Fancher Creek 2023-24

IDAC Meeting 11/3/23



8:00-9:00 AM / Fancher Creek Conference Room

# ATTENDEES

* Principal Carisa Cordova
* Teacher Courtney Burnett
* Parent Autumn Ireland
* Parent Maria Correa
* Parent Melissa Goto

# AGENDA

## Welcome, Introductions, and Meeting Norms

* Meeting opened at 8:00 a.m. with an introduction by Principal Cordova.
* The attendees introduced themselves individually.
* Principal Cordova discussed the purpose of IDAC.

## Multicultural Education

* Presentation given by teacher Courtney Burnett, who runs the multicultural club at Fancher Creek.
* The goal is school wide consistency to improve cultural relations between students of diverse backgrounds including students with special needs.
* Upcoming events were shared
	+ Native American Dancers – Nov. 9th
	+ Diwali Rangoli Art – Nov. 13th
	+ Multicultural Night – May 24th
* Melissa Goto commented that she appreciated that students with special needs were included.
	+ Follow CUSD Community Advisory Committee on Facebook

**Focus Group Achievement**

* Principal Cordova shared how to access the California Data Dashboard and shared subgroup data in chronic absenteeism, suspension rates, as well as math and english language arts.
* ATSI plan to decrease suspensions, especially our African American student suspensions was shared with parents.
* Parent Autumn Ireland shared that she likes the idea of positive phone calls home to previously suspended students.
* Parent Maria Correa agreed that alternatives to suspension are more effective than students going home.

## Positivity Project

* Principal Cordova shared about Positivity Project and how it is being used to help students be accepting and mindful of one another.
* Video on how and why the Positivity Project Video was founded was shared.

## Questions/Comments

* Parents did not have any questions or comments.