

BLT MEETING MINUTES

March 10, 2015

Dodge City Middle School BLT met at 3:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 10, 2015 in the DCMS auditorium. Those in attendance were Pam Algrim, Faye Wells, Deb Keitel, Kathleen Beach, Daniel Dawson, Donna Johnston, Lisa Pelton, Sarah Schaeffer, Traci Small and Mallory Weidner.

RESPONSIBILITY OF BLT

- Provides leadership for accomplishing school target goals.
- Insures that the building engages in a variety of evaluation tasks – those that help determine the goals, those that help inform progress and change and those that benchmark success (i.e. student achievement, school climate, etc.)

REVIEW OF FEBRUARY MINUTES

- Minutes from the February 10, 2015 meeting were reviewed and motion was made by Sarah Schaeffer to approve and seconded by Kathleen Beach. Minutes were approved as written.

PRESENTATION BY DLR

- Nicole Nichols and Jim French opened the presentation with an example of how far education has come. Pencils and tablets to iPads. Technology has brought the field of education into a challenging field for educators. There are three categories of concern for the district; Capacity, Security and Safety.
- The purpose of the meeting was to engage educators to be a part of the improvement process to the building.
- BLT members were asked to voice their dreams for improvements to DCMS:
 - No more modulars
 - Storm shelter
 - Safety in the front entrance
 - Facilities for exploratory classes
 - Flexible space for teaming activities
 - New gym
 - New restrooms

BLT members were reminded to attend the DLR meeting tonight at The Learning Center at 6:30 p.m. There were no additional items for discussion and the meeting was adjourned. The next scheduled BLT meeting is on April 14, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

Deborah Keitel

