

Chippewa Valley Schools African American Parent Network Meeting

May 20, 2021

Vision Statement: Our vision is to engage African American students in the learning process and to motivate them to become lifelong learners by providing opportunities to develop their academic, physical, social, and emotional growth that will enable and prepare them to become productive, responsible citizens.

Mission Statement: The mission of the African American Parent Network is to collaborate with teachers, staff and administration in Chippewa Valley Schools to create a safe and inclusive learning environment where African American students are valued and respected. We will work together to address implicit bias, eliminate racial inequalities, and promote diversity in the curriculum. We will educate, energize, and empower our community to meet the needs of all CVS students.

Committee Chairs Present: L. Smith

Committee Members Present: J. Bailey, S. Mannan, K. Elms, J. Belcher

Committee Chairs/Members Absent: A. Taylor, S. Ward, L. Smith, T. Addison, T. Snead, L. Battles, D. Belcher, S. Shackelford, J. Belcher, E. Smith

Administration Present: Nicole Faehner, Harry Weaver

Guests: 7 participants

A. Call to Order at 7:00 P.M. by La'Trise Smith

B. Updates

- CVS is having a Virtual Career Fair on Thursday, May 27th from 7:00 – 8:30 pm and Saturday, June 5th from 10 am – 1pm
- Class of 2021 AAPN slideshow submissions are due by Wednesday, June 9th. Please send your submissions to Jade Bailey.
- AAPN Ambassadors Event – a cooking class was held last month for elementary students
- La'Trise created a video for our 1-year Anniversary. The video will be shared during the last meeting on June 17th.
- Boys and Girls Club Summer Camp Program – June 1st - August 13th (information is available on the CVS website)
- CVS Board Meetings are held every 1st and 3rd Mondays at 6:30 PM
- The last AAPN meeting of the 2020-2021 school year will be held on Thursday, June 17th

C. Adjournment

- The meeting ended with closing remarks from La'Trise Smith.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 P.M.

Respectfully Submitted by Shameeka Ward