



**SLT Minutes**

*June 25, 2008*

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| ✓ <i>R. Asher, Principal</i>         | ✓ <i>D. Baldwin, UFT Chair</i> | ✓ <i>J. Ewing, PTA Co-President</i> |
| ✓ <i>D. Fanning, APO</i>             | ✓ <i>D. Belmont, UFT</i>       | ✓ <i>S. Goltser, PTA</i>            |
| ✓ <i>M. Mandery, BTHS Foundation</i> | ✓ <i>J. Ludwig, SLT Chair</i>  | ✓ <i>A. Grundman-Cooper, PTA</i>    |
| ✓ <i>A. Ahmed</i>                    | ✓ <i>I. Yu, Student</i>        | ✓ <i>J. Hertzberg, PTA</i>          |
|                                      |                                | ✓ <i>G. Hines, PTA</i>              |

**A. CALL TO ORDER**

**B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES** - Minutes of May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2008 are to be reviewed on line.

**C. ACADEMIC INTEGRITY DRAFT REPORT** – Evidence of breach of policy earns grade of zero. Zero allows for a consistent deterrent. Lack of a gray area, anything other than a zero, may also serve as a deterrent. There should be clarity in classrooms as to what plagiarism is. Current grade proposal seeks to address current inconsistent grading policies. Plagiarism is a problem in our school. Motion to have issue referred back to Academic Accreditation Team on the policy of consequences. Consensus on the motion, with one abstention.

**D. BUDGET** – Still arguing for additional funds. Some staff has been excessed. Several electives have been eliminated. Other schools have had larger numbers of excessed teachers. We have not hired a parent coordinator yet. Pre-screening has started.

**E. CONTRACT FOR EXCELLENCE** – CEP IS DUE IN November. Contract for Excellence can provide money to the school.

**ADJOURNED: 5:30 P.M**