PARENT FEEDBACK MEETING NOTES FROM 6/1/20

David Miyashiro shared we have been gathering input for months. He shared the guidelines for reopening school.

Questions/Topics:

Breakout Rooms Discussion Recap

Room 1: Shared safety concerns. Option for not sending kids. Designated area for sick kids. Still offer lunch. Reimaging staff. Funding. Special academics, spots and clubs.

Room 2: Half model at home and school may not work for all families. Block schedule. Need for daycare. Not sure if parents can continue working from home. Different students at different sites. Middle school / Elementary school and getting kids to both places. Transportation. Ongoing concerns about safety. Options for distance learning to continue. What would child care look like. Concerned with loss of learning.

Room 3: Families need to know so they can plan. IEP's need to be met. Okay with the system now and hope for a hybrid model.

Room 4: Multiple temp checks. Survey results to look at family needs. Flexibility to change. Trust our district. Time to come in and meet with the teacher.

David Miyashiro shared there is a planning summit on Saturday. Have been thinking about this for a long time.

Lesley shared to look at campus for best/safe environment and provide options for families.

Maria we have collected data during townhalls with Tamara and parent meetings from parents, teachers and classified staff. Keeping students safe and families trust us. There are a lot of variables. We need to look at classroom space and needs of students. Lots of layers and concepts. Lots of perspectives. She thanked the parent leaders.

Nerel shared this is a team situation. Our students are out #1 focus. Thinking of the future of students. Why wait if we can create things better for students.

David shared the safety of staff and students is a priority. Safe procedures and practice. Onboarding students before school starts and should be done over the summer. We can do this without issues. Child care is not an issue, the issue is space. Most schools are at capacity. If we partner with community partners like the Rec Center and colleges to provide space. We need to be creative and maybe fully staff other facilities for learning. We need your input.

Sheri shared she supports the use of any facilities. The closer to school, the better for families.

Kirk shared he is curious to know logistics. They are in a rural area and busing. He loves the idea of shared spaces.

David shared they are exploring the use of tents/shade structures in fields.

Elizabeth shared most kids prefer the hybrid model. A couple of days at school.

Kate asked to keep kids/siblings on the same schedule. Keep at one spot or same schedule.

Zina asked about teachers changing classes instead of students to keep the same group together.

Sabrina asked about 5th grade staying at Rios for 6th grade for comfort level and security.

David shared if that allows Rios to maximize space at less utilized schools. We have to design in case of closure/outbreak.

Carmen shared parents requested to keep 6th grade as well at Crest.

Kirk asked about outdoor groups.

David shared that outdoor groups are looking to partner with parents. Requested dance, robotics, language, etc. Transportation will look different because of how many students we can transport. Pick up drop off as it was is no longer an option. We will need to stagger.

Mike shared will need more support and family resources.

April asked about a possible year round or block schedule.

David shared that would be interesting.

Maria shared her parents also inquired about a year round schedule.