

## FAA Family Involvement Committee Meeting

Topic: Meet & Greet

Date: Tuesday, September 11, 2018

Time: 5:30pm

Location: FAA Cafeteria

Purpose: The purpose/focus of this meeting was to allow families, new or returning, to meet the FIC chair members, the new 2018/2019 FIC leaders, FAA staff and to congregate with each other.

-President, Chaunea Greene, opened with a welcome and introduction; explaining her expectations for the school year and inviting parents/guardians and staff members to share additional topics for future meetings. President Chaunea also gave a brief description on what to expect in upcoming meetings.

-Vice President, Hope Patterson, introduced herself, her role in FIC and mentioned the goals she hopes to achieve this school year and in the meetings.

-Secretary, Yolanda Lawhorn introduce herself, the role she has in FIC and her goal of everyone uniting.

President Chaunea Greene: Briefly discussed the Uniform Drive and additional places that sell discounted school uniforms.

PLEASE NOTE: For those that are in need of school uniforms, we are still collecting donations. Please check the office for a sign-up sheet.

ICEBREAKER: Yolanda encouraged everyone to participate in a fun activity. "What is Your Theme Song?" People were given time to come up with a song that would play if they were in a movie scene. After the FAA staff introduced themselves, we had several people share what their theme song would be.

Introduced Dr. Charvez Russell

-Dr. Russell conducted a 10 minute PowerPoint presentation where he talked about the history of FAA. In 2008/2009 the media doubted us and projected that we wouldn't make it. He discussed the huge academic turn around, the growth, FAA's vision, beliefs and focus. Dr. Russell did a great job at ensuring parents/guardians that their scholars are in great hands at FAA.

*"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world."*

~Nelson Mandela

Raffle ticket drawing: 2 winners

End time: 6:35pm