September Monthly Meeting

Major Activities Discussed:

* We discussed how we were going to run the Pride Ceremony
* We went through the powerpoint that we were going to show the kids
* We discussed classroom walk through observations as well as the different types of personalities that are in the building and how it is important to do the best job that you can knowing not everyone is going to be happy with every decision that is made.
* We also discussed how to tactfully deal with parents that come in and expect to get your immediate attention.
* Student discipline on a sensitive issue

Reflection on Walk-Throughs:

I enjoyed working with Amy on classroom walk through observations. I learned that she puts each teacher’s name in a bowl at the beginning of the week and randomly pulls out so many a day to see. Amy feels that scheduling her observations in this manner helps her stay involved in the classroom but the randomness of it allows her to see more authentic teaching.

Reflection on a sensitive student discipline issue:

This issue was a very sensitive issue because it related to one student touching another student inappropriately. I was impressed how Amy considered both sides and listened to both sets of parents. Amy did move the student to a different class and developed a behavior plan with the school psychologist.