

Cartersville Middle School

Governance Council

2023-2024

March 26, 2024

1. Welcome
2. Principal Update
 - a. Enrollment – 1070 – Continued Growth
 - i. 7th Grade largest, 8th close behind, 6th grade group smallest in several years
 - ii. Balance – new applications for out of district, families moving in to district
 - iii. Out of district – best to apply now
 - iv. 5th grade in district students who do not currently attend CES – enroll now
 - v. Upcoming 6th grade class – average around 360 students
 - b. Spring Athletics/Events
 - i. Track – Girls & Boys County Champs
 1. Region Meet – this Saturday
 - ii. Tennis – Girls & Boys Region Champions
 - iii. Footloose – April 19th & 20th
3. Personnel
 - a. Principal/AP
 - i. Closed yesterday after 10 days posted
 - b. 1 teaching vacancy
 - i. Additional ESOL teacher added
 - ii. Several retirements
4. Student Transitions
 - a. 8th graders completed high school course registration
 - i. Feedback – smooth and seamless
 - ii. Student Athletes can take online health course and begin participating in extra curriculars this summer
 - b. 5th graders
 - i. Feedback – positive feedback on Parent Fair
 - ii. Elective videos in productions to showcase each elective
 - iii. 5th graders will come to CMS in May for tour, Q/A with CMS students, meeting with principal
 - iv. Open House in July
5. 8th Grade Dance – May 3rd
 - a. Dress code guidelines posted

- b. PTC sponsored
 - c. Around 250 students attend
- 6. Tour of Georgia – May 15-18
 - a. 65 Students
- 7. Standardized Testing
 - a. Spring MAP Assessment – March 26-28
 - b. GAA
 - c. GMAS – May 6th-14th
 - i. Day added to spread ELA over 2 days
- 8. Open Discussion
 - a. Next SGC Meeting - May 14th