

PAC Business

02/12/2024



Attendance: Elissa Cox, Karla Theisen, Michelle McCoy

Guests: Amanda Althouse, Amanda Muncy

Shawna Dippman, MCISD

Amy Sanderson, MAF

<https://www.monroeisd.us/departments/specialed/specialedparentresources/pac/>

1. New business
  - a. Election
    - i. Vice Chair - vacant
2. Upcoming events
  - a. [Upcoming Events: Learning Opportunities - Michigan Alliance for Families](#)
    - i. Share often and widely!
  - b. Host/partner for one more event?
    - i. Can discuss customizing a Monroe/ Lenawee live presentation in Spring with the MAF Trainer(s) focused on Behavior, Transition or another priority topic.
    - ii. Reach out to transition council about the date of their transition event – use MAF Karen Wang for keynote (transition specialist)
3. Old business
  - a. PAC overview
    - i. <https://www.michiganallianceforfamilies.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/MARSE-R340.1838-PAC.pdf>
    - ii. [https://www.michigan.gov/-/media/Project/Websites/mde/specialeducation/familymatters/FM2/PAC FactSheet.pdf?rev=24129ba0f3bd49178b1a8ed522d2b32f](https://www.michigan.gov/-/media/Project/Websites/mde/specialeducation/familymatters/FM2/PAC_FactSheet.pdf?rev=24129ba0f3bd49178b1a8ed522d2b32f)
    - iii.   [PAC By-Laws, Revised May 2022](#)
  - b. [https://www.monroeisd.us/downloads/reports\\_and\\_publications/misd\\_iep\\_handbook\\_8.6.20\\_7\\_1.pdf](https://www.monroeisd.us/downloads/reports_and_publications/misd_iep_handbook_8.6.20_7_1.pdf) - Move to Final version and distribute to PAC members, place on website
  - c. Recruitment
    - i. Board meeting
    - ii. Superintendent meeting
    - iii. Principal meeting
4. Next Meetings
  - a. Schedule for next year, select topics (how many?)
5. Topics:
  - a. Select 4 topics for next year, select dates, decide who will do what

- i. Potential topics include Executive functioning, response to behavior, IEP bootcamp, parental involvement in process and advocacy basics
- ii. Remember: Partnering with the MAF, MAC- Monroe Autism Collaborative and/or the GSC- Great Start Collaborative makes sense to extend reach and resources.

Topic		Who	Will do What	By When
Executive Functioning	Spring	Elissa/Shawna	Secure presenter	
Special Education 101	August or September	Shawna/Amy		
Behavior is Communication	October	Shawna/Amy		
Small t to big T transitions		Shawna/Amy	Secure presenters for Early on – early childhood  ECSE – K Elem – MS MS – HS HS - College	

Additions to the agenda: One more meeting May 13

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