

Committee Report, December 2006

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We got feedback on what is working, what has worked and what still needs some time. Thurgood Marshall Elementary School has tried providing transportation to parents which worked in the beginning but wasn't as successful the past few times. They are committed to continuing it along with providing dinner to parents at future events.

At Twinbrook Elementary, having a Hispanic parent group has been very successful. Having staff members from the different grades share on what is going on in the various grades has made a difference. Thinking outside the box they will begin hosting Saturday events and working along with the Student Government on various projects. For the next quarter we will work on getting to know the cultures, faiths and organizations that we are working with so that we are better able to include them while being respectful and sensitive to their beliefs. We will seek to form partnership with various civic groups, homeowners associations etc to build relationships that will benefit our school and students as well as a media to get our message out.