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Manhattan Beach Unified School District

MCHS PE TEACHERS

Professional Development

Monday, August 21, 2017

8:00 – 9:30 – MCHS Auditorium

- Welcome Back
- Employee Service Recognition
- Speaker - Jonathan Mooney

Jonathan Mooney is a dyslexic writer and activist who learned to read as a twelve-year-old. He since earned an honors degree in English Literature at Brown University and has written and published two books. The first, *Learning Outside the Lines* (now in its 14th printing) hit bookshelves when he was 23. Coupled with his most recent book, *The Short Bus*, Jonathan has established himself as one of the foremost leaders in LD/ADHD, disabilities, and alternative education.

9:40 – 10:10 – Breakout Sessions

In preparation for the 2017-2018 school year. The MCHS PE department will address as much of listed items as possible Some of the items will be ongoing.

- Collaborate on the Fitness/Nutrition class (integrated Health/PE).
- Explore tech integration with our own Amanda Cross (Aires, Canvas, Cloud, Wi-Fi).
- Discuss and set up school visitations/observations in order to investigate PE departments using alternative schedules.
- Discuss and propose the possible adoption of a new Health textbook.
- Plan ahead for Gymnasium demolition.
- Provide input on addressing 'problematic' classes in the department (Per.0 freshmen athletics/PE, Per.6 athletics/PE, Per.7 athletics).
- Discuss transfers from PE to athletics- fall, winter, and spring
- Share lessons within the department (swimming, lacrosse, field hockey, alternative activities)

10:20 – Solar Eclipse Viewing

10:30 – 12:00 – Breakout Sessions Continued

12:00 – 12:45 – Lunch hosted by Kinecta Credit Union

1:00-3:00 - Breakout Sessions Continued