

# FAMIS

## Ocala Hilton – April 25-27, 2005

SIF – Indian River – Ralph Starr

### **AYP & School Grade Calculation** – John Hughes

- Final file will be ready after the school grades are posted.
- Preliminary Membership File – MEMB0405 – will be ready in the near future
- In the future, they won't do Round I & II, they will just have a time period with nightly posting.
- 2 files for next round.
  1. List of assessment problems to be fixed
    - a. Blank SID
    - b. SID-non-unique – two students with same ID (we will be able to check “Use this” or “Don't Use This”)
    - c. Unmatched SID (doesn't match Membership File) or Unmatched School of Enrollment (same, where the record on the assessment and the record on the membership are not linking. They know the ID is on the membership file but it doesn't match the school.)
    - d. Grade level on the assessment does not match the grade level on MEMB0405. Correct the grade mismatch with the grade of the student when they took the test.)
    - e. PAS problem – Working with data warehouse to resolve as much of this as possible. New Students without prior year data will be on this. (Question – Can we get this now? You are just matching Survey 3 data to the prior years? - Answer – Could be done. Maybe not enough time for this year.)

This file of “problem records” will remain static. Their status will change.

2. File of Type of Test
  - a. Only students in grade 3-10 who didn't take the FCAT
  - b. This file will shrink as corrections are made
  - c. We will be asked, “What kind of test should the student have taken (FCAT or Alt.?)”

INDV0405 at NWRDC – could be used to double check school grade calculations (after school grades are posted) The file layout will be posted on the web. Notice of the file will be e-mailed to Malcolm and Mr. Paul.

## **Class Size – Dr. Martha Hanes**

see PowerPoint for more information

- Term/Survey Indicator
  - New Element
- FISH
  - Now updated from DOE Facilities Oracle DB on Sundays.
  - It will now be pulled once a day during survey week.
- In Class One-on-One – Change
  - 2 teachers – one responsible for one or few students
    - Primary Teacher – **S**elf Contained
    - Other Teacher – **I**n Class – One-on-One
  - Example:
    - 20 kids
    - 1 for 5
    - 5 divided by 2 rounds up to 3 resulting in  $20-3=7$
- M – Multi-Use / Pod
  - created to pull Pods out of C – Co-teacher
  - Special thanks to Miami Herald
- Class Size Calculation
  - will be ready by September 1<sup>st</sup>
  - will run each weekend
  - we must request it from DOE by 3pm (CT) on Thursday
- F70467 – Classrooms With More Than 10 Over Cap
  - This could be changed to 5 if the state sticks with district averages for class size. We should start checking this now to see potential impact.
- Web Application
  - Won't be a secure site
  - Won't list students
  - Will only show about the last 4 digits of the teacher's SSN

## **Sunshine Connections - Jay**

- Info Path
  - Part of MS Office
  - Will allow you to collect data from forms and apply to a data base. Like OmniPro?

## **DOE Update – Lavan**

- Automation of Transportation FTE
  - Very smooth, a great success
- Staff Reporting
  - SB2480
    - Long train with many subjects
    - Attempting to keep class size at district level
    - Would create minimum teacher starting salary of \$35,000
  - Much greater focus on staff reporting this year.

- Many teachers found making below their district's starting salary
- Charter
  - They are our schools, we must be able to expect a minimum of reporting from them.
  - Greater push to bring up to speed in reporting
- Student
  - Survey 3
    - most successful survey ever
  - Survey 2
    - Big mess
      - Storms
      - New Vendors – Lavan will be more “hands-on” with districts and vendors.
  - Prior School of Enrollment
    - Still very critical
    - 66,000 new students expected next year
- Legislative Update
  - Who knows???
  - Hot itmes
    - Teacher's Salary
    - Grade 6-8
      - GPA
      - Transcripts reported to DOE
    - Reading Contract
      - Another way to extend school vouchers
      - Could send an additional 340,000 students to private school
    - Paperwork Study
      - “Are districts following the law to have a standing data review committee in each school formed mostly of teachers that report back to the district (to study required forms)?”

## Spam

- Sites to get throwaway e-mail addresses
    - [www.bugmenot.com](http://www.bugmenot.com)
    - [www.dodgeit.com](http://www.dodgeit.com)
    - Spampal – Free for home use.
- Jim Branton – auto reply can be set to in-district only

## Vendor Updates

- aal
  - Working with St. John's county
  - No Source

- Never
  - “would compromise Oracle security”
- Pearson
  - “new” product
  - Will demo to us first week in May
- Chancery
  - Jerry Schwartz
  - Hired Dianne Cox from DOE
  - Implementing in Orange
- Max
  - Dr. P @ Leon – “making it work”
  - Jim Dunn @ St. Lucie - “we don’t have the resources like Leon”
  - Marsha Cole at Duval
    - Going full live in August
    - Limited use now
    - Working close with St. Lucie
    - Polk back in game
    - Good relationship between 3 districts
    - We should work with Max on the cost
- David
  - Working on one
  - Java – any platform – any DB
  - Will visit in 6 weeks

## **MUG**

Murry – contrary to previous statements in the week, student will not be ready in mid-May.

Sometime in July – functional system, pilot districts in a parallel test first, other districts soon after.

Late fall / early winter – user training, pre-scheduling, general use

July 06 – earliest go live date, they might deploy certain parts earlier (Parent Portal, Gradebook, Data Analysis)

VPN – allows us to go through NEFEC's 1<sup>st</sup> firewall to get to their application server. The SQL server is behind a second firewall and nobody can get to that except through the application.

## Mazik Student @ NEFEC – April 27 & 28, 2005

### Suggested Changes

#### Student Demographics

Address – Add “Street Type”

Who can click on the “Add Address Type” link?

Add lockdown logic to Alias

#### Contact Information

Add – “Receive Mailing?”

Why is “Birth Place” in the Contact Information screen?

#### Student Grade Request

Add “Requested Academic Program”

#### Student Assignment

Add “Date Changed” to Graduation Plan

Add 1<sup>st</sup> Year in 9<sup>th</sup> Grade”

What is Grad Basis? Is this 1<sup>st</sup> Year in 9<sup>th</sup> Grade?

Prior School – Only require/allow one field to be entered.

Display an indicator showing if this is an ESE student.

#### Add/Edit Bus Info

Add AC, Lift, #wheel chairs, Oxygen, ...

#### Student Lists

Fully user defined

User can query and select any sub-set of students they have rights to.

Can be used to populate **any** report

Can be created as the result of **any** report or query

#### Map Point

Must be able to import and maintain D14 type of file

What about DOE’s COBOL programs?

Create some type of tabs to allow the user to organize the main menu.

## Things to Check/Do

Attendance

Daily – Set by time?  
Set by period?

Add Karen's request  
Create screen and alert

DOE – Time of Day? Is it at the district's discretion?

Screen Print D18 and D19

Send Bob Paxton discipline referral forms.

Fax – 386-329-3835 / SC 860-3835

District level form? Each school? Bus?

Ask Bob what he's using to draw the prototype screens.

Screen Resolution – 1024 - what size screens are out there?

# NEFEC's Transcript Import

G09 – Academic History

G10 – Health

P – to post – each line

Add SAH and send back to NEFEC and send to St. Lucie

Change to always keep discipline. Add to outgoing transcripts.



## **TO DO**

Send Attendance Child Study to Candy

Send FASTOUT to Candy