

Santa Rita School Council

Minutes (23-24)

Meeting Date 2-27-2024 Meeting Location: Zoom

Members present	Tamara Ray, Brenda Lundt, Wendy Torres, Damian Montoya, Sylvia Reynozo, Brenda McCune, Sarah Peterson
Members absent	Pam Dominguez, Kerri Haeflinger, Jewel McDermott, Jena Simental
Constituency group represented	Administrators, Teachers, Parents, Community leaders

I. Called to order at 6:10pm by Sarah Peterson

II. Approval of Minutes for 11-25-23

DISCUSSION

N/A

CONCLUSIONS

Minutes approved by Damian Montoya and seconded by Brenda Lundt

ACTION ITEMS

III. Review Old Business

DISCUSSION NOTES	Semester 1 Honor Roll Recognition, Boys and Girls Soccer Undesignated Tax Credit Approval
CONCLUSIONS	Ms. Ray pointed out the monies for the boys and girls soccer team was originally from club monies that were replenished after they had been rolled over to undesignated tax credits.
ACTION ITEMS	
	none

IV. New Business

Discussion Notes	PTO Report and Site Council Update
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DISCUSSION	PTO reported zero new members with a PBIS event coming up in Spring. Their current funds are \$545.62 Site Council by-laws, norms and smart goal need to be reviewed and updated.
CONCLUSIONS	By-laws, norms and smart goal to be reviewed and updated at next site council meeting.
ACTION ITEMS	
none	

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	By-Laws, Smart Goals and Norms
	Damian Montoya recommended discussing by-laws as a site council, he is currently a member of Palo Verdes Site Council. We have set by-laws, we need to update them. Brenda brought up meeting in person would be better to accomplish getting these things done. Syliva agreed. The discussion of having meetings in person vs. zoom. All members agree that having in person meetings is a better option for us all. Times and dates discussed.
By laws, norms and smart goal to be reviewed and revised at next site council meeting.	

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IV. Principals Report

ITEM TITLE	Principals Report
DISCUSSION NOTES	We have had two new staffing updates, Mrs. Brenda McCune as an interim Assistant Principal and a new athletic director. Enrollment numbers have been studied closely and district enrollment has been declining over the past couple of years. Santa Rita numbers for next year are up by 16. We are the only high school on the east side that has enrollment growth for next school year. Santa Rita stands out, it has all the sports, all the clubs, CTE programs. We are planning to hold on to the enrollment we have and try to grow our enrollment as much as possible. We are starting our tours with our neighboring middle school 8 th graders to present our campus and educate them on all things Santa Rita. We have a lot to offer.
RESOLUTION	

ITEM TITLE	Spring Events
DISCUSSION NOTES	ACT testing on 4/2 which is a primary feeder of our letter grade. We are holding a free ACT testing workshop on 3/23, which is in support of our students success on the ACT. HOSA is having their state competition which 10 student members have qualified for. The competition ranges in different health care personal and professional growth. The competition is taking place at La Paloma. Santa Rita has been the only TUSD HOSA club that has been active in the HOSA competition. Discussing our students excelling in these clubs and certifications is going to be celebrated through a "Did you know" newsletter highlighting our extraordinary students. CTE Technical Skills Assessments will be held in April for all CTE programs. Q3 assembly, PBIS event and music concert.
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- V.** Submission of items for next agenda.
Next meeting is scheduled for 4/30/24 @ 4:30 pm in person.
By-laws, Norms and Smart Goal will be reviewed and revised by all members.

- VI.** The meeting was adjourned at 7:13pm by Sarah Peterson