



Forest Hill Community High School

SAC Meeting Minutes

Tuesday February 8th, 2022

6pm – Media Center

1. Welcome, Ms. Skowron
2. Pledge of Allegiance, SGA President (Soraya Pearson)
3. Roll Call Voting Members, Ms. Skowron
4. Confirmation of Quorum
5. Approval of February 8th, 2022 Agenda
6. Approval of January 11th, 2022 Meeting Minutes
7. New Business
 - a. Principal's Report, Ms. Rivera
 - b. Treasurer's Report, Mr. Rose
 - c. Title I Updates, Ms. Rivera
 - d. SGA Updates, Soraya Pearson
 - e. Stakeholder Input
 - f. Adjournment

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Meeting called to order at 6:00pm by Ms. Skowron

SGA President Soray Pearson led the Pledge of Allegiance

Roll call of voting members and quorum confirmed:

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Ms. Rivera

Ms. Skowron

Ms. Proby

Ms. Millay

Mr. Johnson

Mr. Rose

Mrs. Grammar

Ms. Herst

Ms. Kenny

Ms. Barto

Soraya Pearson

Motion to approve agenda (Approved)

- o Mr. Johnson
- o Ms. Kenny
- o Ms. Millay

Motion to approve meeting minutes from January 11th, 2022 (Approved)

- o Ms. Millay
- o Mr. Rose
- o

Administration Updates: Ms. Rivera

Seniors (Ms. Proby) – Reading/Math Proficiency still a concern to work on

Ms. Millay – FSA Retakes & Algebra Retakes

ESE – Waiver / College Readiness Class

Math – Concern for seniors meeting graduation requirement

Credits – Concern (Mr. Rivera) – Requested 4 Additional Teachers for E2020 (Credit Recovery)

Instructional Positions – 3 Teacher Vacancies (Math) – Ms. Rivera spoke with district personnel about offering a work visa for positions overseas (2year visa) – trying to find best solutions

New Positions:

Ms. Heidi – Treasurer

Ms. Mary – Data Processor

Ms. Nihara Seedeem – Deans' Office

Ms. Cousins – Bookkeeper

Questions:

- 1. Why are juniors and seniors taking the SAT/ACT ?** – Many students are not passing the FSA @ Title I schools. However, students that take the SAT/ACT can earn a concordant score and tend to pass the reading equivalent of FSA.
- 2. Is the hiring process being expedited ?** – In the past the process was backed up, slowing the procedures. Elaine Gallegar, the new human resources director, has expedited the process. This is no longer the process as the district has improved as the process is now taking 2-3 weeks.

Positive News:

Student Highlight (CNN International) – Student being aired about overcoming struggles

SGA – Girls Weightlifting (District Champions Snatch) / State Qualifier Snatch

Band – State 3 or 4

Chorus – State 1

Ms. Heidi – Ellie May was asked to be a part of remembrance ceremony as a therapy dog

Grant Request:

Literacy Committee (Ms. Millay) – Asking \$4000 to invite author Kim Johnson who wrote

“This is my America” and purchased 160 class sets of books.

Ms. Rivera – Stated additional funding can be used for books though AP,IB, & AICE classes.

Questions & Responses –

Some parents wanted to know about potential local authors to consider and how this author would be allocated or resourced on campus.

Response – Upon approval this would be a small school initiative across varying classes and to make it intimate and personal in the media center. Teachers would be given the opportunity to be involved as well to help promote on campus.

Motion to Approve Literacy Committee Grant : Approved

Treasurer's Report:

Mr. Rose reported that the SAC balance as of 2/8/2022 was \$14,491

Title I Update: Ms. Rivera on behalf of Mr. Loyd

Friday February 11th letters are going out to parents of non-qualified (out of field teachers)

Several teachers were asked to teach a sixth period due to shortages

Next meeting new school plan budget for Title I (suggestions - -use funding for more staff positions)

SGA Updates: Soraya Pearson

- o SGA went to Park Vista for a workshop on school spirit
- o Winter Pep Rally Coming up
- o Valentine Fundraiser (CUPID MONDAY)
 - Cookies
 - Chocolate Covered Strawberries
 - Cookie Heart Cake
 - Cupcakes
 - Oreo Cake
 - Strawberry Shortcake
- o Soraya –Mentioned an idea about students having the ability one day for mental health days

Stakeholder Input:

- o Ms. Barto – Brought up recognition of (Beach Cleanup Surface 71)
 - Forest Hill High represented with district over 100 present
 - Some student volunteered all the way to Juno Beach
- o Ms. Grammar – Brought up the recent school emergency incident (no specifics mentioned)
 - What were the interventions on campus after the address of the students and or staff?
 - Ms. Rivera (responded) –
 - Due to HIPPA this is sensitive ground
 - Threat Assessment Team – Determines safety plans
 - Announcements go out to school for available services
 - Mental Health Services Provided to Students
 - Ms. Jones – Need Parent Authorization (Actual Mental Health Specialist)
 - Ms. Pegram – Behavior Specialist sets up services
 - Counselors – Provide one on one sessions
 - Grief Counselors – Duration of two weeks
 - Ms. Rivera – The effect on the school/staff/individuals is difficult to access so an umbrella is created to offer and seek out (family, friends, peers)
 - Discussion to be continued

Adjournment (Approved)