

Blanche Ely High School

SAC Minutes -January 15, 2019.

Attendance: Ira Blue, Syllas Brown, Guerloucha Butler, Lillian Fields, Delia Ford, Anthony Jordan, Delvin King, Shaun King, Connie McGirt, Djuna Robinson, Steven Woloszn, Betty Walker, Brenda Wade-Lester

Absent: Conrad Brown, Brandon Brownlee, Pierre Dupuy, Jimmie Lang, Gillian McIntosh-Brown, Nicole Blands, Karlton Johnson, Yolanda McCoy

Call to Order:

A meeting of the Blanche Ely High School Advisory Council was held in the Amphitheater January 15th. Mr. D. King called the meeting to order at 6:43. Steven Woloszn will record minutes for this meeting.

Minutes:

SAC Meeting Minutes 1/15/19

- Mr. D. King called the meeting to order at 6:43. Members reviewed the meeting minutes from December. Ms. Walker motioned to accept the minutes w/ the corrections as discussed. Ms. Robinson seconded. A vote of Aye carried the minutes.
- SMART Update: Mr. Spence shared that most of the equipment is in. The podiums are on site. The detail has to be in ETS format. Dr. Johnson wants the crest on the podium. The process is in place to have this done. The county will pay for the changes. The two locations will be the PLC and the JLJ. Partial delivery of the Science equipment has occurred. The additional carts for Lenovas should be taken care of this month.
- The remaining balance from the funds is \$197.17. This is not enough to cover the expected cost of the ID lanyards. This would cost \$727.12. Additional vendors are being looked into for cost purposes.
- School Improvement Plan: Mr. Spence and Dr. Clark are still in the process of looking at the plan. There are some final portions being completed. We are past the midway point at this time.
- Mr. Spence talked about the progress on the patio. He passed around a visual representation of what the projected patio will look like. The representation that the architect shared is not quite acceptable. There is only one view. There needs to be a north, south, east, and west visual representation shared. There is not visual of handicapped areas.
- Mr. S. King shared that this school is not being represented adequately. This school is not receiving the services that we should be. Other schools do receive such services; however, BEHS seems to be taken advantage of.
- Mr. Spence mentioned how the building of the stadium fit in this scenario. Certain components that were expected in the final

product did not make it. Adequate visual representations weren't shared to the full extent.

- Ms. Wade-Lester urged people to go to the School Board with factual data concerning issues. This cannot come from one person. More voices need to be heard.
- There will be a weekly meeting this Thursday concerning these areas. There is a question as to whether the architect will be at the meeting.
- Mr. S. Brown also expressed concern that the visual rendering that was shared does not adequately show what is expected to be part of the patio facility.
- New Business: Ms. Toeller talked to the group about Social Studies End of Course exam scores. They are not where we would like them to be. The department is instituting strategies to help improve this situation. There are after-school tutoring components, as well as camps being looked at to improve student achievement.
- The Social Studies EOC is a state-mandated graduation requirement.
- We need to have more parental support. In order to get more parental support, we need to entice them. One idea is that we offer a meal for participants to encourage the support. She asked for \$300 dollars to fund this evening/meal.
- Ms. Walker motioned to give \$300 for the meal. Mr. Brown seconded. The group approved with a vote of Aye.
- Ms. Watson asked for funds for extended learning opportunities. Algebra I, Geometry, Biology, US History, ESOL Reading, ESOL Math, ACT/SAT.
- Ms. Fields asked about the YMCA program. If YMCA is already doing ACT/SAT preparation, then why do we need to have another program?
- Ms. Toeller shared that the YMCA has their own curriculum; however, we have other areas that we want to incorporate in this extended learning areas. We need to make this more beneficial for the specific academic areas.
- Mr. S. King expressed a concern that there is a teacher who does not get up in front of the class to actively teach. He has had two children as students here, and is concerned.
- The cost being asked for this program is \$5000. This will cover the cost of paying seven teachers for thirteen weeks (\$25 per day for two days per week each). Remaining funds from the \$5000 will be used to purchase paper and supplies for the program.
- Ms. Wade-Lester asked that SAC receives a monthly update that reflects just how many students are coming to receive the services.
- Ms. Robinson expressed concern that some teachers are being selected who are not performing actively in such situations. We need to make sure those selected will work toward more actively support student achievement.
- Ms. S. King motioned to accept the proposal, provided that SAC is kept aware of the progress of the program. Student attendance will be shared, as well as student progress as they participate in this program. The group approved w/ an Aye vote.

- Mr. Spences asked Ms. Watson to share the schedule, time, and individuals who will be participating. She will share this w/ Mr. Spence, who will share that w/ the group.
- Ms. Wade-Lester brought up old business. Issues need to be put into writing, and shared w/ the district. One area in particular is the issue w/ vending machine monies. Specific information/details need to be shared with the district so they can be taken care of.
- Mr. Spence put into motion that we consider making the campus more visually appealing, such as painting tigers around, slogans such as "Go Tigers!" This is something to consider for next year.
- Ms. Robinson expressed concern that we do not make announcements about sports events.
- Ms. Walker motioned to adjourn at 7:46. Mr. S. Brown seconded.

Next Meeting Date & Time:

The next meeting will be held on February 19th in the Amphitheater.

Meeting Adjournment:

Motion: Betty Walker motioned to adjourn the meeting at 7:46. Mr. S. Brown seconded. The motion carried unanimously with an Aye.

Submitted by,

Steven Woloszn
SAC Secretary

Approval Date: _____



Dr. Karlton Johnson, Principal

BLANCHE ELY HIGH SCHOOL

Home of the Tigers

1201 NW 6th Avenue Pompano Beach, FL 33060

School Advisory Council (S.A.C.) Meeting

Agenda

January 15, 2019, 6:30pm, Amphitheater

- I. Welcome (Roll Call)
- II. Approval of Minutes December Meeting
- III. SMART Update
- IV. School Improvement Plan
- V. New Business
- VI. Adjournment



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School: BLANCHE ELY HIGH

Committee:
SAC

Sign In sheet for BLANCHE ELY HIGH Date: 1/15/19 Time: 6:30pm

#	Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent Of Student At School	Sign Here .
1.	BLANDS, NICOLE	Parent	Yes	Yes	Excused
2.	BLUE, IRA	Community Rep	No	No	Excused
3.	BROWN, CONRAD	Parent	No	Yes	Excused
4.	BROWN, SYLAS	BUSINESS	No	No	Excused
5.	BROWNLEE, BRANDON	Community Rep	No	Yes	Excused
6.	BUTLER, GUERLOUCHA	SAC Co-Chair	No	Yes	Excused
7.	DUPUY, PIERRE	STUDENT	No	No	Excused
8.	FIELDS, LILLIAN	Community Rep	Yes	No	Lillian Field
9.	FORD, DELIA	Parent	Yes	Yes	Excused
10.	JOHNSON, KARLTON	Principal	Yes	No	Excused
11.	JORDAN, ANTHONY	Non-instructional	Yes	No	Excused
12.	KING, DELVIN	SAC Co-Chair	No	No	Excused
13.	KING, SHAUN	Parent	No	Yes	Excused
14.	LANG, JIMMIE	Community Rep	No	No	Jimmie Lang
15.	MCCOY, YOLANDA	Teacher	Yes	No	Excused
16.	MCGIRT, CONNIE	Teacher	Yes	Yes	Excused
17.	MCINTOSH, BROWN, GILLIAN	Teacher	Yes	Yes	Excused
18.	ROBINSON, DJUNA	BTU Steward	Yes	No	Excused
19.	STEVEN, WOLOSZN	SAC Secretary	Yes	No	Excused
20.	WALKER, BETTY	Iz/SAF-Designee	No	Yes	Betty Walker

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Guest Sign In Sheet For **BLANCHE ELY HIGH** Date: 1/15/19 Time: 6:30pm

#	Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student at School	Sign Here
1.	Dahlene Kaze Knight	Parent		✓	<i>[Signature]</i>
2.	Kaulisha Silbuan	Parent		✓	<i>[Signature]</i>
3.	SHURA WATSON	TEACHER			<i>[Signature]</i>
4.	Hattie Fulton			✓	
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6.	Marlene Raymond	Parent		✓	<i>[Signature]</i>
7.	Brenda Wadlow	Guest			<i>[Signature]</i>
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