

MARK HOWARD, PRINCIPAL

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SAC/SAF Agenda

March 18, 2019

Welcome Mrs. Sturrup, SAC Chair

Greetings Mr. Ernie Sharperson, SAF

February Minutes Mr. Forbes, SAC Secretary

Principal's Report Mr. Howard, Principal

SMART Bonds Projects

Guidance Updates Mr. Mellerson, Guidance Director

PSD Continuation Waiver Mrs. Sherman, Asst. Principal

Funding Request/HERO program Mrs. Sherman, Asst. Principal

Cyber Security Ms. Augustin, STEM

Department Reports Department Chairpersons

New Business Mrs. Sturrup, SAC Chair

Comments/ Suggestions

Adjourn Mrs. Sturrup, SAC Chair



Hallandale High School Mr. Mark Howard, Principal

SAC Committee Meeting Minutes

Monday, March 18, 2019 – 6:00 p.m.

- Mrs. Leona Sturrup called the SAC Meeting to order at 6: 09 pm.
- Principal's Report, Mr. Mark Howard, Principal
 - SMART Bonds Initiative and Funding
 - Mr. Howard greeted the committee members. He expressed to parents, faculty members, community stakeholders and community members that Hallandale High School is, like all high schools in Broward County, one of the schools who will be benefiting from the funds distributed through the SMART Bonds initiative.
 - He highlighted Hallandale High School's commitment to consistently prepare college and life-ready students by making student learning engaging, innovative, and applicable.
 - Mr. Howard suggested that Hallandale High School has one of the highest acceleration ratings within the district.
 - He encouraged members to utilize our surveying resource.
 - Mr. Howard gave the floor to the members of the SMART Bonds Project.

o SMART Bonds Project Presentation - Helen Boyer, Communications Liaison

- Nkenge Davis, Project Manager
- Marleine Ghaby, School Choice Enhancement
- Program Costs and Controls Atkins
- Design Team
- In 2014, a Needs Assessment was given throughout the District, where it was recognized that there is about \$3 billion worth of updates that are needed.
- Improvements Include but not limited to:
 - Exterior painting
 - Aluminum window replacements
 - New exterior doors and frames
 - Restroom Renovations
 - Media Center Renovations
 - HVAC Improvement (Air Conditioning Systems) All of the components of these systems will be replaced.
 - Electrical Improvements to Buildings 1-6
 - Canopy Lighting will be replaced all over school.
 - STEM Lab Improvements/Renovations
 - Fire Alarm Campus wide will be provided with fire alarm upgrades.
 - Fire Sprinklers Buildings 1-2 will be provided with a fire sprinkler system.
 - Single Point of Entry (SPE)
 - All District Schools have safeguards in place for the safety of its students.

• Other SMART Projects at Hallandale:

Athletics – Track Complete

- Weight Room Complete
- o Music Equipment Upgraded instruments obtained.
- Technology Laptops for students and teachers.
- Mr. Howard thanked the committee for the information they have presented to committee members.
- The April SAC Meeting will be utilized to create the ballot requests for the upcoming project to assess priority needs for school renovation ideas and feedback. The ballot will be provided for students, parents, and faculty members.

PSD Continuation Waiver

- Mrs. Sherman presented information about the waiver approval process and the purpose of Professional Study Days, and the 8 days proposed by the county.
- o She discussed how Hallandale Magnet High School utilizes PSD days.
- She presented student assessment data that points to the critical and effective nature of utilizing the 8 Professional Study Days.

• HERO Program - Mrs. Sonja Sherman, Assistant Principal

- Mrs. Sherman explained the purpose of the HERO Program implemented here at Hallandale. Students can be rewarded for positive interaction and behavior through this resource.
- She expressed that Hallandale has implemented HERO Watch Parties every Professional Study Day, where students can enjoy a movie and popcorn to reward them for their positive behavior and interaction displayed throughout the month.
- Mrs. Sherman mentioned that the first phase of this resource was free, and is requesting \$4,800 from SAC to fund the program and keep the program in cycle at Hallandale for the upcoming school year.
- o Voting members are being asked to vote on funding the HERO Program.
 - Mr. Jeff Carroll, SAF Representative made a motion to accept the funding for the HERO Program for the 2019-2020 School Year.
 - The motion was seconded.

• Hallandale High School's Cybersecurity Magnet Program, Program Instructor

- Expressed that there is a growing need for Cybersecurity positions, especially considering high school students who could graduate from high school with a certification in Cybersecurity and can be hired in the work field making \$35,000-\$40,000 with just a certification.
- The instructor expressed that this program will be beneficial to students who are interested. She highlighted the various companies and organizations who are consistently hiring including the government, banks, etc.

• Department Reports

- o Mathematics Department Ms. Latavia Pickney, Department Chair
 - Just wrapped up Math Review.
 - After Spring Break is "Crunch-Time"
 - Geometry & Algebra 1 EOC's are approaching.
 - Utilizing no calculator policy to ensure that students are confident computing without the reliance on the calculator.
 - There will be a faculty talent show as a fundraiser to raise funds to purchase snacks for testing.

- Students are encouraged to log on to Algebra Nation and other online resources covered in course.
- There is a review packet that is in circulation, given to those students who committed to working on the packet.
- Ms. Pickney expressed that students should speak with their instructors regarding obtaining the material.

o Science Department - Mr. Kelly, Department Chair

- Preparing for "Crunch-Time" after Spring Break.
- Team-Teaching strategy will be implemented.
- District Teach Aid to assist with teacher-student interaction and literacy.

o English Language Arts/Reading Department - Mr. Khalil Jones, Department Chair

- Gearing up for testing **immediately** after Spring Break.
- Review session will be implemented on Monday, April 1st Tuesday, April 2nd.
- Following the "Crunch Time" Plan.
- Saturday Academy has been approved, to begin Saturday, April 6, 2019.
 - Ms. I highlighted that students can receive tutoring for all core subjects, AP/SAT/ACT/CTACE (Industry Certification) help.
 - Students are provided transportation, free meals.
 - Ms. I is strongly encouraging members to get their students involved in Saturday Academy.

o Magnet/CTACE - Ms. Kaila Gillings, Magnet Coordinator

- Highlighted the 6 Magnet Programs offered here at Hallandale.
- Ms. Gillings urged the importance of recruitment for the upcoming 2019-2020 school year.

o Social Studies - Ms. White, Department Chair

- Teachers reviewed the Great Depression.
- Worked with the 30th Percentile for reinforcement of Benchmarks.
- March is Women's History Month
- U.S. History EOC Exam (May 6th).
 - Ms. White disseminated Review information to parents of 11th Grade Students.
- Expressed that there was District involvement with last review session

o **JROTC**

- Participated in State Color Guard.
- March to Success
- Afterschool Program averaging 30 cadets per day.
- Color Guard continues to support the school and the community.

o Performing Arts Department

 Drama Club will be leaving tomorrow to compete in the District Thespian Competition in Tampa, Florida.

• Testing, Mrs. Lizette Johnson, Testing Coordinator

Upcoming Testing Dates:

- FSA ELA Writing (All 9th and 10th Grade Students) April 1-12
- Spring Testing Days: May 1-29 (Testing Window)
 - FSA ELA Reading (All 9th and 10th Grade Students)
 - NGSSS Biology EOC

- NGSSS U.S. History EOC
- FSA Algebra 1 EOC
- FSA Geometry EOC
- Advanced Placement Exams
- Grade 12 Final Exams (May 20-23)
- Grade 9-11 Final Exams (May 30-June 4)
- Mrs. Johnson expressed that all upcoming Testing Dates are posted on the main **Testing** Information Bulleting Board.

• Raffle Tickets/Drawings

- o Conducted by Ms. Kaila Gillings and Mrs. Sonja Sherman.
- Mrs. Sturrup requested that a motion be made to adjourn the meeting at 7:19 p.m.
 - The motion was seconded.
- Meeting was adjourned at 7:20 p.m.