

**Seagull Alternative High School
School Advisory Council Meeting
December 20, 2018**

The SAC meeting started at 10:30 a.m., in the Seagull's School Cafeteria and was chaired by Ms. Renee Hudson (SAC Chair-person).

Welcome and Pledge

Renee Hudson (A copy of the Attendance sheet is attached)

Ms. Hudson welcomed and thanked parents for coming to the SAC meeting.

The minutes from the last meeting, November 15, 2018 was reviewed and approved with no necessary corrections.

Administrative Report –Mr. Bonnie Clemon, Jr., Principal

- Happy Holidays. Enjoy your families and be safe. Students return to school on January 8, 2019.
- When we return the students can resume working on their graduation requirements and credits.
- Graduation rates have increased by 3.2% which is very good.
- We will be getting new cameras that circulate and cover the entire property lot to help with safety and security.
- Thanks, given to our Social Services department and Childcare development, Mr. Clemon's Church for the gift cards given to our students for Thanksgiving.
- Attendance is very important in school especially during FTE. Your attendance effects the budget that helps us purchase new computers, equipment and necessary staff.
- Mr. Michael Lockhart is our new job coach. Please see him if you are interested in getting a job.

Community Resources-Ms. Audrey Ennis (Family Counselor)

Ms. Ennis is responsible for the schools' mental health program

- **We have on site services and resources such as:**
 - ❖ The Wrap Around-An agency that comes to share information and provide access for Medicaid, food stamps, housing, etc. (You must be at least 21 years of age or independent living)
 - ❖ Mr. Hall is on our campus Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and sometimes every day of the week, providing services.
 - ❖ If a student has a problem, they can tell their teacher and the teacher will contact Ms. Ennis or Ms. Bruckner (School's Social Worker) and the student will be given a pass to portable 21 for community resources
 - ❖ Stork's Nest-services for pregnant teens and pre-natal care
 - ❖ Services for the LGBT-specializing in mental health care and support from clinicians
 - ❖ Students are urged to utilize the free resources that are offered to them and empower themselves. Be aware of their peers that might need comforting or help. See something say something. Students are at risk for human trafficking, drugs, depression and many dangers.
 - ❖ Ownership of mental health starts with the individual, self-evaluate and empowerment is the key to healing.
 - ❖ Character is who you are. Self evaluate-eight character traits are respect, tolerance, honesty, kindness, self-control, responsibility, cooperation and citizenship.

SAC meeting adjourned.

**Seagull Alternative High School
School Advisory Forum Meeting
December 20, 2018**

SAF meeting chaired by Ms. Renee Hudson. Attendance sheet is attached.

SAF advisory chairperson is Samentha Prince

Attendance is attached

SAF Update

Senior Updates (Lisa Wattley-Senior Advisor)

- There will be a general meeting for graduating seniors in January the date to be announced.
- Decision regarding Prom
- GRAD BASH is in April the cost is \$150.00
- Snack Shack is on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays during lunch
- Upcoming information TBA

SAF meeting is adjourned.