

CVHS School Accountability Committee (SAC)
Meeting Date: April 3, 2024
Time: 6:30pm Location: Back of the Library

Meeting Logistics

Call to Order at 6:33

Approval of last SAC's minutes - Kari, Norris & Eric

Attendees: Kari Barnes, Elizabeth Dissel, Elthron Anderson, Dana Doty, Norris Crom, Eric Allen, Stacy Wagner, Catherine MacInnes, Taja Dellaro, Jeena Templeton, Matt Tisser, Robert Phelps, Jamie

Student Government report or presentation - Finishing up Conferences

Standing Reports:

Principal Report by Jeena Templeton

Budget follow up - Enrollment is steady with staff being persistent with following up with incoming freshmen. Currently CVHS enrollment is up by 50 students. This is higher than what the district projected, they had us down by 100. When discussing budget the highest priority was class size, and we are keeping to that. The staffing will be about the same. Minus some classes that students have had less interest in are being deleted.

Staffing hiring update: we need a new cultural liaison - connects schools and helps students with different languages. A person was interviewed and offered a position. We need a counseling secretary - offering a position there too. Two 1/2 time English/Lit spots are open and offered to one full teacher. Math needed two full time. This hiring season CVHS saw a decent pool of teachers and options for those spots. A dean of students position- has been hired (or moved over from another position) Two social studies opened up and offered. There is one Science spot, interviewing this week.

The quality and the amount of interviewees are so much better than we have seen in the past. Plus, there are a lot less positions open then we have had in the past.

Lots of good news.

Teacher Report Robert Phelps

Talking with teachers instead of a survey, it is about even with the amount of positives and negatives. The science and tech classes are down to 1.6 (Mr. Phelps will be part time). There needs to be a way to increase desire for these classes and to recruit kids. Just not enough interest to fill a classroom. They are seeing that students are wanting to keep their work load more manageable, and pick a bit easier elective. So, less math, programming, world language. On a positive note Mr. Phelps's class Solidworks class has already seen 5 passing grades out of 18, it is going great. CT, was made for getting these certifications to get into the workforce right away. One student even passed with a 100%

Question for Dr. Templeton - will each admin still teach in the classroom? Yes, she will teach English 3 again, and the admin will either do advisement or school prep class. She feels it is good contact with kids. The admin may feel they are stretched a bit thin, but get a great value out of the classroom time. Also, when we as admin, ask teachers to do things we are willing to do them too.

Question about how many students are traveling to other campuses: 12 legacy currently, 35 using legacy next school year. Calc 3 is offered at Rock Canyon. There was pondering what courses would bring students here, but the start-up costs to get those classes might be too much. But maybe there are grants out there.

Community Report - Norris Croom Building growth is currently flat, cost of materials, and interest rates. The town sales tax is down, so the budget is tight. The Crystal Valley interchange is looking at completion mid 2027. Costco will open the day after the interchange opens. Dawson Trails will be roughly 1/2 the size of the Meadows and should start in 2027. The interchange is needed to get all the people to and from Costco and Dawsons Trails. Health-One medical also just contracted to build in the area too. In the Meadows, the hospital is about 1/2 way of being funded for the Cancer center. Funds for the town go up and down over the years, we are just in a downturn.

DAC Report -TBD

PTO Report: Jaime Lundvall - PTO has been doing fun things for the staff

January - stock the fridge

February - Popcorn

March - Lunch and lotto tickets

April - auction (different) past parking - this year numerous things more. Choose your own off period (some stipulations with schedule) tickets to the dc/cv games, tickets to the theater or early access. cool donated items - sports memorabilia

Staff appreciation week is the first week of may.

PTO learned that food is the way to the teachers heart

SAC Report by Elizabeth Dissel

Elections

SAC Committee - the current positions (non-expiring) will stay, and no new attendees ran for a position so no new elections were conducted

1. Principal: Dr. Templeton

2. Teacher: Rob Phelps

3. At least three parents or legal guardians are needed on the board.

Elizabeth Dissel, Chair, 2023-2025

Elthron Anderson, 2023-2025

Melissa Shenton, 2022 - 2024

4. PTO Representative: Jen Harris and Jamie Lundvall

5. Community: Norris Croom Term, 2023-2025

6. Additional Voting parent members

Kari Barnes, Recorder, 2023-2025

Dana Doty, 2023-2025

Taja Dellorco, 2022 - 2024-her term is over

Tiffany Martin, 2023-2025-she is moving to Florida

Meetings next year: September 4, Nov 6, January 8 and April 8

Open Forum (15 minutes): Proctors for the AP tests are really needed!