

SAC Meeting Minutes- ELMS Performing Arts Building

Date – 10/8/19

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 8:00 AM. Present were: Shannon Kennedy, Amira Ray, Dave Reid, Deborah Clark, Brenda Fessler, Elizabeth Citro, Kristy Zumwalt, Patty Halula, Yuli Zurga, Kristen Collora, , Karen Huzar

Absent: Theresa Harriel, Toni Benton

2. Approval of Minutes

Motion to approve the September minutes as written by Shannon Kennedy, second by Kristen Collora.

3. Presentations:

HS choices/Area HS Presentations with the 8th grade timeline.

October –

PSAT 8/9 – October 16th, all 8th grade students will participate. Lunch schedule shifted to accommodate.

October 29th from 6 – 7:30 there is a district fair at Countryside HS. Highly encouraged that parents attend this fair. Parents need to make sure they have their parent password now so there isn't a delay in the application process.

November – December are Discovery Nights throughout the district.

January – Application window opens. MUST apply to East Lake HS if would like to attend Engineering program, NOT grandfathered in. 8th Grade requirements: Must earn 3 credits in Science, Math, ELA, Social Studies. HS courses offered here will impact their GPA in HS. Application Programs include Fundamental, Magnets, and Career Academies. ALL programs have a discovery night.

February/March – Must go back in and accept what program you want to attend.

Countryside HS Assistant Principal – iSTEM program. 11/6/19 is the Discovery Night. iSTEM offers 7 different strands under their program to meet the interests/needs of various students. Offers the most industry certifications in the county.

East Lake HS Assistant Principal - offers a collegiate program, working with SPC to start offering dual enrollment programs so students have the potential to earn college credit/towards AA. December 9th at 6PM is the Discovery Night. Info about Performing Arts, Biomed, and Engineering programs will be shared. Shadow days will be after Discovery Night. Only application program is Engineering – all others are offered to all students.

HS Shadowing Program Steps:

1. Contact School/Program Director – every school does this different. Be sure to contact schools about available dates/times.
2. Complete HS shadowing form and submit to Mrs. Huzar for approval (must be done for tracking/attendance purposes)
3. Approval form copied and delivered to student to confirm

4. Principal Update

5. New Business

6. Old Business

6. Open Discussion:

7. Adjourn

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 AM, and the next SAC meeting is scheduled for November 12th at 8:00 AM