

Sandy Creek High School School Council Minutes Wednesday, FEB 14, 2018

The Sandy Creek High School Council met in regular session on Wednesday, February 14, 2018 at 0740 in the principal's conference room.

School Council Members Present:

Mr. Hunter
Mr. Dial
Dr. Wade-Smith

Ms. Weinhardt
Ms. Dunn
Ms. Kea

School Council Members Absent:

Mr. Mickey
Ms. Judson

Call to Order:

Chairman Dial, called the meeting to order at 0740 a.m.

Approval of Agenda:

Moved, seconded, and carried, the school council approved the agenda with no changes.

MOTION: Ms. Weinhardt **SECOND:** Dr. Wade-Smith **VOTE:** Unanimous 6:0

Approval of Minutes:

Moved, seconded, and carried, the school council approved the minutes with no amendments.

MOTION: Ms. Weinhardt **SECOND:** Dr. Wade-Smith **VOTE:** Unanimous 6:0

Recognition of Visitors: None

Report of the Principal—Mr. Hunter:

- Need more parents to take the school climate survey for our CCRPI rating. Currently have 150 the goal is 200.
- Academic team took 1ST Place in recent competition.
- Recognized outstanding teachers.
- Signed 13 athlete's to scholarship's. Of note one to WEST POINT and one to the Air Force Academy.
- Boys and Girls basketball teams won the regional championship. Mr. Hunter is very proud of the work the ladies team and coach have put into this season.
- Need a parent to volunteer for the Fayette County School Board committee to review how GPA is calculated. Dr. Wade-Smith volunteered to be a member of the committee.
- Next year SCHS will offer a new pathway in TV/Film and will not offer the auto mechanics pathway.

Community Updates—Mr. Dial:

- It is budget season for the town council.
- Tyrone recently purchased 53 acre's of land adjacent to Handley Park. Still in discussion on how to use the new property.

- Discussion is on going about revamping Founders Day events. The town would like to work with SCHS to combine events. The issue will be discussed at tomorrow's town hall meeting.
- The town is receiving numerous inquiries on business opportunities and property values are high. A challenge is finding affordable housing to attract younger members to the community.

Guidance Department – Ms. Dunn:

- AP class applications are in and students have until 5 Mar 18 to accept their classes.
- 27 FEB the ASVAB test will be offered to 10-12th graders.
- 6 Mar is the last county meeting for dual enrollment students and will be held at FCHS. The student and a parent must attend if they want to participate in the program.
- The staff is focused on getting the students ready for graduation. A part time counselor has been hired to help with the high risk of not graduating students.

Teacher Representative/PTSO – Ms. Weinhardt:

- AMC test is tomorrow @0745. This is a national test for earning awards.
- JV academic team took 7th place in the state.
- 2 March is the West GA college math competition.
- 12 March SCHS is conducting an induction ceremony for students who meet the academic requirements for the National Honor Society.
- 24 March is SCHS prom. Tickets are \$120 each.
- We have an admin intern working with the team.
- SCHS has a new recourse officer.
- SCHS has a new graduation gown design for this year. Senior dues are \$140.

Business Representative—Mr. Mickey: Not present.

Alumni Representative—Ms. Judson: Not present.

Old Business:

- Mr. Hunter will produce a presentation for members to use during their engagements with the community. (Action Working—Mr. Hunter has the brief and will distribute it to the council members.)
- Mr. Dial challenged all the council members to engage the community on the value of getting an education at SCHS. (Action Working—Council Members will report back at the 17 Jan meeting on their community engagements.)

New Business: None

School Council Meeting Dates, 2017-2018

- September 6, 2017
- November 8, 2017
- February 14, 2018
- April 25, 2018

Open Forum: No discussion.

Agenda items for Next Meeting—None noted.

Comments from the Public (limit 2 minutes): (None)

Meeting adjourned: At 0832 by Chairman Dial.