

CITY HIGH SCHOOL



Minutes for Monthly School Board Meeting

5/4/2017 @ City High School, 47 E. Pennington St., Tucson, AZ 85701

Members Present: Oliver Dewey, Marisol Badilla, Meta Everett, GayeLynn Fisher, Jonathan Martin, Brett Goble

Members Absent: Alfredo Vasquez, Milo Lehrling, Eve Rifkin, Ann LaVigne, Rudy McCormick

Also Present: Erica Saunders, Becca Dillon

Meeting started at: 5:39 with a quorum present

Announcements and Call to the Audience:

- Gateway Season- Seniors done, everything went well with new Google Form for tracking scores. 9th-11th grade gateways happen May 22-26. 22nd starts after 12 and the 26th only happens in the morning.
- Graduation- May 26th from 7PM-8PM, located at Jacome Plaza. All welcome to attend.

Community Updates:

Family Association-

- Organizing photo booth for graduation
- Movie Night postponed until beginning of fall
- Number one priority is getting parents involved in conversation with teens

Student Voice-

- Prom happened at Bates Mansion and everyone loved the venue!

CITY CCL-

- Town Hall Summit for 4 board in town hall format at Paulo University on June 9th.
- New Auditor! from the firm HBL. Preparing the budget for the next school year. Teacher salary increase is priority.
- Still finalizing contractor for 37.

Update and Feedback on the Strategic Plan: Wellness Priority Area:

- National School Lunch Audit happening soon. Requires all schools to have wellness policy. Working with policy developed in 2012. We need feedback on progress of policy. Developing group for all 3 schools.
- 5 Wellness Goals: 1. Education 2. Sense of belonging and care 3. Family and Communities being involved in events that are wellness related 4. Farm integration 5. Community resources
- This is significant for the students to make good decisions for the future and thinking about resources. This helps in the classroom with crisis management.
- Hoping to have 2 new classes next year- HIV prevention class and substance abuse class
- Education- provide relevant classes, SAAF doing healthy relationship class, WSM presentation, advisory focusing on wellness, Staff training, Family Nights, Wellness Day
- How to incorporate two events to get more information out there. Use the successful events to add information to.
- Nutrition- Farm to Table, food we grow into culinary class
- Physical Activity- Elective classes, BikeFriendlyBusiness, community partners
- Next Year: charting sleep, continue to integrate wellness into advisory

Working Session: Preparing an update for the 4-Board Summit

- 2 people from board to give summary of last 2 years on board
- Categories: Governance and Leadership, Strategic Plan and Advanced Education Accreditation.
- Strategic- Built on previous work, very holistic, big community effort, students developed the goal, implementation of wellness with LIC, lots of work in fully integrating
- Advanced Ed Work- surveys, self assessments, reps meeting with committee, improvement plan.
- Governance- smaller group, more voting power to Principal and VP, acknowledging that advisor isn't always best advocate, bring in other teacher that has strong relationship with student.

Looking Ahead:

- Recruiting new board members, student, teacher and community (Paco Vellez from SAAF)
- CITY CCL 4 Board convening on June 9th.