

School Advisory Council Meeting

October 18, 2017

In attendance: Lisa Aylstock, Sarah Barker, Danny Brothers, Lisa Compton, Jim Docherty, Nathan Ford, Joanne Haynes, Dan Hecht, Anita Marie Hitchcock, Jay Matthews, Cynthia Murray, Margaret Whibbs, Miki Zimmer

*Called to order at 8:08 am by Chair Joanne Haynes.

Secretary's report: Last month's minutes were distributed, reviewed, and no changes or corrections were made. Motion to approve minutes passed.

Principal's report:

- Principal Brothers stated that the SIP typo brought to our attention by Lisa Aylstock has been corrected. The updated and corrected SIP is on the school website.
- School recognition money: Principal Brothers distributed the documentation with the total amount of recognition funds- \$161,168.00. This is an increase from the previous year, due to school growth. FL. Statute 1008.36 states how schools must use the money and SAC must vote to approve the school option, decided on by the A+ committee. The options that were presented by that committee were reviewed; Option A was the option chosen by the faculty and staff. A motion was brought to approve the option; it passed.
- Sports are wrapping up the fall seasons: Cross Country's lead boy and girl are moving towards regionals and state finals; Girls Golf finished 2nd in the district and Boys Golf finished 3rd- both will be moving on to regionals; Volleyball qualified for regionals and will play that game on 10/19; Swimming is competing in districts today; Football is open this week and plays rival Navarre at home on 10/27.
- Band received all Superior ratings across all categories at the all-county exhibition on 10/17.
- The two days missed from Hurricane Irma will not be made up.
- Principal Brothers would like to encourage everyone to spread the word about promoting the canned food drive competition between Gulf Breeze and Navarre (will take place the week of 10/23).
- New dean James Byers was hired and is a great addition to the faculty.
- PSAT scores are not yet in.
- A group of seniors were given the ACT to achieve a concordant score for graduation- scores should be coming in the next couple weeks.

Student representatives report:

- 12th grade: Homecoming Dance was moved to 10/21 from 8:30-11:00 pm; they are hosting a blood drive on 10/24, and they are looking for senior gift ideas
- 11th grade: They are holding a chocolate bar fundraiser
- 10th grade: Upcoming is a Zaxby's spirit night and they are still selling Homecoming shirts
- 9th grade: Still looking for fundraising ideas

PTSO Representative report:

- No report given today

Committee Reports:

School Improvement Plan Report:

- SIP is completed; Ms. Haynes's signature is required for completion. Ms. Barker will send a copy of the SIP to all members. Plan will be submitted to the district.

Budgets and Grants Report:

- Committee met this morning
- Unsure of the exact budget numbers at this time, but will get those confirmed by next month's meeting
- 3 grant requests were submitted:
 - Guidance Department: request for paper, printer ink- determined by the committee to be operational costs and thinking they can receive funding elsewhere- grant denied.
 - Science & Health Academy Department: requesting \$17772.98 to supplement the cost of providing background checks, fingerprinting, and immunizations on seniors for their internships- motion to approve grant was passed. Because the grant amount is over \$500, a representative will present to SAC at our next meeting.
 - ESE Department: requesting \$499 for Twisted Pens Start-Up Kits. This would be a life skills opportunity for students. Refill kits are \$30. Money made selling the pens would go back into the department- motion to approve grant was passed. An ESE representative would like to present the idea at the next SAC meeting.
- Grant applications are located in the SAC mailbox in the staff workroom.

By-laws Report:

- A copy of the by-laws was provided to all members today. They have not changed from last year. A motion to approve 2017-18 by-laws was voted on and passed.

Old Business:

- The senior calendar is up to date on the guidance department website (located on school website).

New business:

- Nathan Ford informed the committee of the Rotary hosted "Discussion About Competition" to be held on 10/24 at St. Ann's, 7:00am. This is a closed Rotary meeting which invites the Gulf Breeze and Navarre football teams, staffs, and cheerleaders. Quint Studer is this year's speaker.
- GBHS Interact Club is hosting a Career Day in accord with Rotary on 10/31 at 8:00am in the library.
- Next SAC meeting is 11/15.

*Meeting adjourned at 9:02.