

Santa Rita High School Site Council 2010-2011 for April 11, 2011
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MEETING MINUTES

Attendees:

Administrator	Chris Bonn (by phone)
Certified	Tammy Case, Brande Kitzberger, Mike Acevedo
Classified	Joni Lee, Don Blackman
Parents	Rachel Romero, Yvette Smith, Butch Kennedy, Don Mattus
Community	Delfina Cruz
Students	Rebecca Codoner, Gerardo Fuentes
Apologies	Emil Lamanda, Rodney Gaines

Date: April 11, 2011

Location: SRHS Library
 Call to order by Don Mattus at 6:00 p.m.
 Recorder: Brande Kitzberger

Handouts: 1. Agenda
 2. Minutes 3/14/11

Adjourned: 6:55 p.m.

Agenda Item 1	Approval of March minutes		
Discussion	Motion to accept minutes by Joni Lee. Second by Tammy Case.		
Decisions			
Action Item	Responsible	Deadline	Notes

Agenda Item 2	Updates	Tammy Case, Mike Acevedo	
Discussion	Baseball field/gym renaming - Baseball field and gym....will be going to the board on April 12, 2011 at 8:20 and 8:30 JTED Construction - All the buildings are built. Just waiting for the concrete to be		

	poured. This should happen this week.		
Decisions			
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Chris Bonn and Mike Acevedo will be in attendance at the board meeting	Chris Bonn, Mike Acevedo	April 12, 2011	

Agenda Item 3	New SC members	Don Mattus, Brande Kitzberger	
Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Each constituency needs to replace exiting members. Parents and Certified have 2 positions and Classified has 1 position. - Elections need to be held before the May meeting. - New members will be introduced at the May 9th meeting. 		
Decisions			
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	Butch- parents Brande- certified Classified (email went out)		

Agenda Item 4	Student Council	Rebecca Codoner, Gerardo Fuentes	
Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wrapping up the school year - PROM - 3 on 3 basketball tournament on Saturday, April 16th from 10:00-2:00. There are 13 teams and hoping for 16. Costs \$1.00 to enter. Please come! - Elections- extended due to potential candidates not turning in their packets. - Organizing Senior Reflections - Spring Sports Assembly is April 29th. 		
Decisions			
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	Rebecca Codoner, Gerardo Fuentes		

Agenda Item 5	Principals Report	Chris Bonn	
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<p>Discussion</p>	<p>Budget</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Due to the cuts in JTED, positions cut <u>MAY</u> be JTED counselor, Second Construction teacher, and 1 Business Tech teacher. - 3% cut in desegregation monies (\$22,000) will cut the AP Psychology and Mandarin Chinese positions. <p>School Schedule</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Chris Bonn wants to speak with faculty about schedule possibilities. - As of now, SR is going to a 6 period day with 1 lunch next year. The school day will be 8:00-2:30. An outside school auditor indicated that there was no way to have a 7 period day and stay in consensus. - Tucson High was able to continue with a 7 period block schedule but is requiring all seniors to take 5 periods using desegregation monies. To do this, SR would have to hire 3 more teachers where there are no additional funds. - Don Mattus- Is there a possibility for a flex schedule (1-7 periods with teachers teaching 1-6 or 2-7)? Chris indicated that there was, but issues surrounding transportation and food service need to be addressed. Students would potentially have to be responsible for getting to a first hour to leaving after a 7th hour. <p>CTE/ JTED</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - When the budget was signed by Governor Brewer, it cut 52% of the JTED program in Pima County. This <u>ONLY</u> affected Pima County since Pima was the only county that offered JTED classes to freshman (wording for freshman was in the proposition that passed by voters). Funding was cut for freshmen taking JTED courses. This would have affected 305 students at SR this year. This equates to approximately \$1,000 per student. - If there are all freshmen in a class, it will not be funded. There can be mixed classes (freshmen, sophomores, juniors). - Positions cut (see above) - This will not affect the building or attendance of the new JTED building. The classes being offered are for upper classmen. <p>Student Council Elections</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Site Council may be getting complaints on the elections. There have been some actions by students that has been mean spirited- Facebook attacks, bullying and ripping down posters. Chris Bonn indicated that he has and will pull a candidate from an election if he/she participates in this. He does have evidence to do this. He expects candidates to behave appropriately and represent SR well. <p>Open positions for 2011-2012 school year</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Music Director has been posted. Chris Bonn hopes to interview by mid May.
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	- May 20 th - all DIT's will be placed		
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	Chris Bonn	April 15, 2011	

Agenda Item 6	Public Policy	Brande Kitzberger	
Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The budget was signed by Governor Brewer last week and cut 52% from JTED for Pima County. - Don Blackman- Why did they do this? Brande responded that the issue is the deficit, not what is good for students. - Tammy Case- When a student is in JTED for 3 years and follows a program, there is a 3 year assessment. The industry writes the questions, not educators. 8 students took the test. Seven students far exceeded the standards. The progression of classes (e.g. Tech Apps to Yearbook/ Business Publication to CBE/ Yearbook) is very important. Tammy was very proud of her students! There is concern that without a Tech Apps requirement that there is not a teacher to help students sign up for this assessment or teach students the basis programs on the computer (e.g. Word, Excel, etc). - Tammy Case- Will these cuts affect the school? Brande- yes it will affect the classes students can take, student interest and retaining 9th graders. 		
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Agenda Item 7	Call to Audience		
Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Linda Mattus- Please send the SC Agenda to her so she can send it out to the parent loop. • Rachel Romero- Finals schedule- Seniors (Week of May 16th, all others Week of May 23rd.) • Senior Reflections- May 20th • Mr. Bonn- Clear up graduation expectations and behavior • Mandatory meeting for parents for graduating seniors? • Security- Can we use JTED cameras for security? 		
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Next Meeting – May 9, 2011 – 6:00 p.m. in Library (It is potluck!!)
 Agenda Items for Next Meeting

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Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student Council • Introduction of new SC members • Fundraising at graduation • Update on mandatory Parent meeting for seniors • Vacancies- teachers, band director • Security cameras system and JTED? 		
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