

**Niceville High School
School Advisory Council
Regular Scheduled Meeting
February 15, 2011**

Attendance:

Cindy Belcher	Jim Evans	Amy Meyer	Linda Smith
Amanda Brady	Kathy Gaubron	Grant Meyer	Paul Snyders
Wanda Brunson	Rick Hernandez	Venita Morell	Melissa Thrush-guest
Susan Bubel	Emily Hsiang	Jodie Parker-guest	Jennifer Williams
Becca Childress	Heather Kilbey	Jennifer Russell	Vince Wyatt
Michelle Cook	Tyler Kinard	Leslie Sheekley	
Jo Culberson	William Kortbein	Angleat Shelikoff	
Jocelyn Donahoo	Lisa McMahan	Janet Simpson	

Call to Order:

- Heather Kilbey, Chairman, called the regular meeting of NHS SAC to order at 6:35 AM in the main conference room.

Old Business:

- Chairman Kilbey reviewed Old Minutes from the January 18, 2011 meeting and called for a motion to approve. Jim Evans moved the motion be accepted, seconded by Emily Hsiang and passed unanimously.

Financial report:

- The SAC financial budget in the month of January showed all funds have already been allocated, which leaves a -0- balance in the account.

New Business:

- Taylor Brown and Sara Gold, two NHS Junior Ambassadors did a presentation on our Student to Student (S2S) program. This program is designed to help new students transition from one school to another.
- Craig Miller briefed the SAC on the mid-year review School Improvement Plan. The plan highlights proficiency in the areas of Reading, Math, Science, Writing and College Readiness/Academic Acceleration

Announcements and Discussion:

- Jim Evans said the Booster Club has reviewed all the money requests from clubs, academics, teams, staff, etc. and has distributed approximately \$20,000 for this year.
- Jim Evans said the Booster Club is still accepting sign-ups for Project Graduation. The deadline is January 20th and then the price goes up. At this time we only have 70 signed up. We have to have 150 by March 1st deadline. He asked everyone to encourage students to sign up. Volunteers are still needed to help that night.
- The person that was responsible for putting together the football program is retiring this year. Jim Evans asked if anyone knew a person who specializes in computer graphic programming and would be interested in doing the program this year.
- Heather Kilbey informed the SAC that the Taylor Haugen Youth Corp will be working on the grounds at NHS on February, 26th as part of one of their community service projects.
- Michelle Cook thanked the Booster Club on behalf of FBLA for the funds they received. She said the money received from the Booster Club helped FBLA students go to competition. She said we had 15 winners and 11 qualified to go to state.
- Melissa Thrush said the School Board had approved money to start looking at the chillers at NHS and another school.

Principal report:

- Dr. Smith informed SAC that Lynn Prevatte is the NHS Teacher of the Year and Claudette Fulghum is the NHS Support Staff of the Year.
- Dr. Smith presented SAC with copies of the 2011-2012 school calendar.
- We are in the process of making budget adjustments and trying to stay within the class size amendment. We are hoping for a strong FTE in February. We are attempting to balance the budget and we have dropped 16 classes from next year's offerings.
- Kyle Saleeby and Shreyans Patel will both be going to the State Science Fair.
- We have been having good attendance on registration assemblies for next year. We will have extended SOAR for students to register for classes for next year. We will be hosting registration information meetings for Destin and Lewis on February 22nd and Ruckel MS on February 24th.
- We will be having FCAT Writes on March 1st.

- Dr. Smith reviewed the testing calendar which included AP, AICE, and EOC exams. Some students will be taking multiple exams on the same day, as the calendar has some tests stacked on certain days. We are working to find some relief.
- Jocelyn Donahoo asked if students have to choose between AP or AICE classes. Some students take numerous classes of both AP and AICE.

Chairman Kilbey called for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Leslie Sheekley moved the motion be accepted, seconded by Venita Morrell, and unanimously accepted. Meeting adjourned at 7:50 A.M.

Next meeting is scheduled for March 15, 2011 at 6:30 A.M. in the main conference room.

Wanda Brunson, Recorder

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