

**Niceville High School
School Advisory Council
Regular Scheduled Meeting
May 18, 2010**

Attendance:

Cindy Belcher	Jim Evans	Jodi Maker	Jennifer Russell
Amanda Brady	Pat Hearne	Lisa McMahan	Angleat Shelikoff
Wanda Brunson	Howard Hill	Amy Meyer	Sandy Sims
Becca Childress	Emily Hsiang	Grant Meyer	Victoria Verzwylvelt
Michelle Cook	Stephanie Hsiang	Hayden Meyer	Dan Wooten
Jo Culberson	Heather Kilbey	Venita Morell	Vince Wyatt
Jocelyn Donahoo			

Call to Order:

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

Old Business:

- Chairman Kilbey reviewed Old Minutes and called for a motion to approve. Sandy Sims moved the motion be accepted, seconded by Lisa McMahan and passed unanimously.

Financial report:

- Chairman Kilbey stated the SAC financial budget in the month of May is showing a -0- balance.

New Business:

- Guest Speaker Steve Bolton briefed the SAC on the uses of capital outlay money for the district. He said the district is asking for a ½ cent sales tax to be allocated for capital outlay projects such as A/C systems, roofing projects, drainage projects. He said this money is imperative for keeping schools mechanically and structurally safe and secure.

Principal report:

- Christy McInnis briefed the SAC on NHS budget cuts since 2007, which included administrative, support personnel, instructional and supplemental cuts. The back of this sheet shows the climate survey results for NHS.
- Christy McInnis told SAC that AP exams finished last week and we are finishing AICE exams this week. She said Mr. Pridgen has done a phenomenal job in administering and preparing for these exams.
- The proposed dates for FCAT scores to be received by schools are as follows:
 - Grade 10 FCAT Retakes: May 19
 - Grades 4-10 FCAT Reading and Mathematics
 - Grades 5, 8, 11 FCAT Science
 - Grades 4, 8, 10 FCAT Writing: June 7-11
- Ms. McInnis asked Howard Hill if he would like to speak to the SAC about Amendment 4, which is the Class Size Amendment Implementation. Mr. Hill said if the Amendment passes it will give the schools a little more flexibility in scheduling classes. High school classes would be limited to 5 over in grades 9-12, with an average of 25 students.
- Christy McInnis briefed the SAC on the changes in course offerings for next school year.
- Ms. McInnis said a big thank you to SAC for covering substitutes so our teachers could score the Okaloosa Writes.
- The Anne T. Mitchell Awards are being held tonight. Niceville High School has 28 Summa, 46 Magna and 39 Cum Laude.
- The spring game will be held at NHS on May 27 rather than May 28.
- NHS student Charlie Tidwell holds the State Champion title in shot put. He also is #2 in the discus.
- The ladies softball team did a great job at state playoffs. We are very proud of them.

Announcements and Discussion:

- Mr. Evans said we still volunteers for Project Graduation.
- Mr. Evans told the SAC the Booster Club will be hosting a Teacher Appreciation Dessert Day for the NHS staff on Wednesday, May 19th.
- Chairman Kilbey announced that this is the last regularly scheduled meeting. The SAC will not meet again until next August.

Chairman Kilbey called for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Lisa McMahan moved the motion be accepted, seconded by Jim Evans, unanimously accepted. Meeting adjourned at 7:30 A.M.

Next meeting is scheduled for August, 2010 at 6:30 A.M. in the main conference room.

Wanda Brunson, Recorder

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