

SAC: TCHS. Minutes 9.20.22

Attendance: Jean Emerson, Regina Roberts, Erik Wile, Alex Oge, Jason Monroe, Lauren Kosinski, Sarah Korta, Sabatay Lazar, Bonnie Key, Denyse Hunt, Heather Ritter, Christine Minch, Beatrice Dejoie, Dominique Thomas, Sheri Reichard, Jazzmine McKenzie

Meeting called to order at 5:07 p.m.

1. Minutes reviewed and accepted.

2. Request for funding for STEM Report (Mr. Lazar)

- a. Mr. Lazar is requesting funds for Sensors Kit, Sea Glide (circuit board inside of a device used underwater and connected via Bluetooth) and Mecanum Wheel set, totaling \$523.13. These items are directly related to our marine science and principals of technology classes and will be utilized within the classroom for algorithms and automation. Jazzmine McKenzie motioned the request for funding, Beatrice Dejoie seconded the request for funding and then all approved the request for funding on 9/20/2022, totaling \$523.13.

3. SIP Report

- a. Mr. Monroe shares 3,068 students attend Treasure Coast High School. Our demographics are 37% Hispanic, 31% Black, 31% White and 1% other. We are currently allocated 168 teaching positions. Treasure Coast High School earned an A for the 21-22 school year (62%) and the data was reviewed and broken down by ELA, Math, Science and Social Studies. Our three areas of focus for the school year are school safety, ELA proficiency for 9th and 10th graders and Science proficiency. Our goal for ELA proficiency is 58% and our goal for science proficiency is an increase by 6% as well as an increase in the identified students with disabilities subgroup by 10%. Action steps specific to each focus area were reviewed. At-risk students, specifically triple hitter data was reviewed and a total of 400 students were identified, with the end of goal of 80% of these students' showing growth by the end of the 2022-2023 school year. The committee approved the School Improvement Plan on 9/20/2022.

4. Leadership Report

- a. Mr. Monroe shares freshman transition days held on July 27, 28 and 29. Approximately 200 students attended each day. PSTs are ongoing for 9th grade students, however because we are lacking data points, the at-risk student meeting will be held in December or January. Individual meetings with students and parents are ongoing. Progress reports went out the week of 9/12/20. Students with three or more F's were identified, parents were contacted, and parent meetings are being held. 9th grade students completed Signs of Suicide on 9/20 and 9/21 in their freshman seminar classes.
- b. Mrs. Emerson shares 10th grade at risk meeting was held on 9/7/22. At-risk students are identified as students who are not on track for graduation due to one or multiple indicators such as GPA, test scores, attendance, credits, grades, etc. Currently there are 136 students in 10th grade classified as at-risk. A remind was created for the parents of the 10th grade at-risk students, as well as a Teams page for the students to streamline communication for testing, tutoring and important announcements. Weekly at-risk meetings are being held every Friday with the administration team and social worker.

- c. Mr. Oge shares testing schedule; PM 1 was held last week; PM 2 will be held in December and PM 3 will be held in April/May. PM 3 is the only assessment that counts towards the school grade. PM 1 was held last week. In 9th grade, 721 students were scheduled, 665 students were tested, totaling 92%. In 10th grade, 735 students were scheduled, 630 were tested, totaling 85%. FSA ELA retakes are being held this week. 77% of 12th grade students tested and 75% of 11th grade students tested. Algebra retakes are next week. A total of 453 students need to complete retakes in the 11th and 12th grade.
- d. Ms. Roberts shares the addition of a literacy coach position to support teachers and students within the classroom. PM 1 assessment data and unit assessment data is still being reviewed by the ELA team. Teachers are reviewing student scores and modifying instruction to meet the needs of our students. Currently, there are 350 12th grade students who are not on track to graduate. We are implementing supports for these students to get them on track for graduation with the help of our graduation coach and school counselor team. Senior parent night will be held on Wednesday, September 28th at 6 p.m. in the auditorium with breakout sessions to answer more individualized questions. PBiS is a school initiative for the 22-23 school year. Our team is attending training and we are starting the implementation process with our 9th grade students. We are in the process of starting a mentoring program to pair our senior leaders with at-risk freshman students. CPR training was given students through HOPE classes. These students are not certified but are gaining knowledge in a very important life skill.
- e. Mr. Wile shares in the June testing series 1,400 individual exams were administered and of those, 1,163 individual exams were passed (78% pass rate). The national average pass rate is approximately 50%. For the class of 2022, 100 AICE diplomas were awarded. 127 students passed the AICE General Paper exam. This counts as a college credit for these students and an acceleration credit towards the overall school grade. For the November series exams, we currently have 71 candidates scheduled for retakes with a total of 120 exams scheduled. With these retakes, there is a possibility to add 10 additional AICE diplomas for the graduating class of 2023. In math, 64% achievement for the lowest 25% learning gains. Our focus moving forward is growth and of those 150 total students, 30 of them moved to proficiency.

5. Principal Report

- a. Mr. Smith was not in attendance

6. Budget Report

- a. Approximately \$19,000.00 is remaining in the SAC account. An exact total will be obtained for the next meeting. The committee approved the STEM equipment totaling \$523.19 to be deducted from the SAC account.

7. School Counselor Report

- a. Mrs. Korta shares the school counselor team completed senior credit checks last week. These checks are completed three times throughout the year; beginning of the school year, after semester one and right before graduation. This is to ensure students are scheduled for what they need, are on track to graduate and supports are in place if they need. Ms. Young is overseeing college visits. Students will sign up via Teams and complete a form. This is open to 11th and 12th grade students; however, GPA

requirements are in place to ensure students are attending visits that are within their scope. District college fair will be held on September 27th from 6-9 p.m. at the Fenn Center in Fort Pierce. This college fair is inclusive of scholarships, financial aid, military and more. School wide PSAT day for 9th-11th grade students will be held on October 12th. 12th grade students who need SAT will be taking it on October 12th as well. Mr. Comeau our math coach created a Teams page and Canvas course for students to access videos and practice problems to help students prepare for the upcoming exams.

8. Youth Advisory Report

- a. Ms. Dominique Thomas shares that the Youth Advisory Council are student led initiatives and changes they want to see occur within the schools and district. Throughout the 21-22 school year, they worked on water bottle filling stations on campus. The water bottle filling stations were installed in the summer of 2022. The first meeting will be held in October for the council.

9. Open Forum

- a. A parent shares there are opportunities for volunteer hours at the Treasure Coast Food Bank for students that need hours. Work hours are now counted towards bright futures; however, it is either 100 work hours or 100 volunteer hours, they are not interchangeable. A parent asked, "is there a central location for students to access volunteer opportunities within the community?" They were previously posted on the Treasure Coast High School website; however, the list needs to be updated. Mr. Wile shares the rebuild JC park volunteer opportunity upcoming in the month of October. United Way, Day of Caring is October 15th and October 22nd is the Making Strides event in tradition and they are looking for student volunteers. October is Hunger Action month and there will be events all month through the Treasure Coast Food Bank. The district is starting a literacy tutoring program. More information will be disseminated; however, it will allow students to earn volunteer hours or be paid \$15 hour to tutor elementary students at Windmill Point. A parent asked about the senior Teams page and notifications. Notifications must be set through the phone and email alerts need to be set through the settings options on the Teams page. A parent asked, "is there a sports booster club?" We do not have a sports booster club at Treasure Coast High School. Booster clubs are by individual sport, not by athletics due to size of programs.

10. Announcements

Meeting Adjourned at 6:14 p.m. Next Meeting: October 18, 2022