

BRADEN RIVER HIGH SCHOOL

SAC MEETING MINUTES

March 5, 2018

Meeting called to order at 6:30pm

- 1. Welcome by Jamie Phillips, President, SAC**
- 2. Approval of February minutes**
 - a. Minutes approved
 - b. Motion made to approve minutes by Ivan Ramirez
Seconded by Carmen Maayan; motion carried
- 3. Accreditation Visit Review by Matt Whelden.**
 - a. Review went well
 - b. All paperwork submitted to AdvanceEd
 - c. Interviewed 169 people (4 Admin., 21 Parents, 88 students, 35 teachers, 20 Instructional Support)
 - d. Findings:
 - i. Classroom environment well managed
 - ii. opportunities to teach and learn
 - iii. orderly and safe with good communication
 - e. Improvement:
 - i. need more outside CTE opportunities
 - ii. need to know Mission Statement
 - iii. lack of instructional materials
 - iv. explore opportunities for collaboration and engagement
 - f. 40 days until we receive report
- 4. Review of Student Handbook by Mr. Cochran**
 - a. 10 days projects and assignments are subject to being denied if turned in late regardless of reason; want to add “unless documented and excused absence” added to section

b. nose piercing – do we want to continue with current more restrictive school policy disallowing facial piercings?

c. Theft is theft – currently any theft, no matter the value, is punishable by a 10 day suspension; a discussion occurred about changing the punishment to 2, 5 or 10 days depending on the value of the stolen item; will vote on changes at April meeting

d. Ms. Scarbrough stated they will email parents the current handbook and suggested changes for voting next month

5. Safety and Security Update by Mrs. Scarbrough and Dep. Ackerman

a. Sheriff's office made the decision to charge all offenses in schools

b. Sheriff added off-duty officers for the rest of the year

c. next year one more School Resource Officer will be added

d. Have not needed to lock down; Shelter in Place has been practiced with students and teachers will know when a drill is being conducted

e. Main front door is only entrance

f. all staff and students wearing IDs

g. Random backpack searches with metal detecting wands being conducted

h. supervision sweeps conducted randomly all day

i. will be reviewing video from cameras

j. teachers have been instructed on where to hide, what windows to cover and knowing the line in their rooms to hide behind to stay out of sight

k. no active shooter drills currently being planned; it has been reviewed with staff

l. students have been instructed on where they go if they are not in a classroom when an emergency occurs

m. Walk Out protocol for 3/14 – allowed to be on campus in courtyard for 17 minutes; if they leave the secure area, they will be “skipping” and may be suspended

n. cameras have been added to Administration and school

5. Principal's Report by Sharon Scarbrough

a. Congratulations to Brendan Bengsston, who became our first State Champion Wrestler this weekend

b. Our JROTC Pirate Drill Team finished 1st overall in the Area 5 JROTC Drill Team Championship. Ten out of 14 teams qualified.

c. The TSA team brought home a wealth of trophies and a first place finish as the top high school at the TSA State Conference

d. A special “thank you” to all who helped make the “For the Love of the Game” event such a success for our athletic program

e. Bayside Community Church helped beautify our campus over the weekend as part of their Service Day

f. Combined Women’s Choir and Women’s Chorale earned straight Superiors in Sight Reading; River Rhapsody also received Straight Superiors on Stage and earned a Superior with Distinction in Sight Reading, a rating reserved only for a selected number of Choirs and Men’s Choir earned Straight Excellents on stage and a Superior in Sight Reading

g. Career Day Academy Fest is on Wednesday – modified schedule for that and many guest speakers

h. End of 3rd Quarter is March 15

i. Spring Break is March 26-30

6. Closing by Jamie Phillips

a. May 7th meeting added

b. Officer nominations for 2019-2020 SAC board will be made in April and voted for in May

Next Meeting scheduled for April 2, 2018

Adjourned 7:35pm