

SAC Minutes

Monday, January 24, 2024

6:30 PM in the Media Center and virtually via TEAMS.

Mr. Bradshaw and Mr. Champagne welcomed everyone to the meeting.

The minutes from the last meeting were approved.

There was no old business.

New Business:

School Recognition Funds – Ms. Gagnon:

- Ms. Gagnon shared the proposal for how to disburse the school recognition funds that were earned because PCHS increased the school letter to a grade B.
- A school committee was created with representatives including instructional and non-instructional staff members. This committee was voted on by all staff.
- Ms. Gagnon was a member of the committee but did not vote.
- Upon approval by SAC, the proposal will be sent to the district for final approval.
- The funds are divided into “units”:
 - Full unit awarded to staff that was hired for the duration of the 2022-23 year.
 - Partial unit awarded to staff that was hired for part of the 2022-23 year.
 - Social workers, psychologists, and gifted specialists awarded a unit divided by the number of schools they work at.
 - One unit for the resource officer.
 - \$100 for district employees that work with jobs falling under the categories of visually impaired, deaf/hard of hearing, speech/language pathologist, behavior specialist, and migrant liaison.
- No funds for staff that are no longer employed by SDMC, failed to renew their contract, were terminated, retired, or were hired exclusively for extracurricular activities.
- PCHS will hold 3 units to account for any errors or extra funds. If not used, these funds will go back to the school.
- The exact amount is unknown as of now, but it is expected to be divided into units worth approximately \$1,000 before taxes.
- **The proposal was approved.**

Construction Update – Mr. Bradshaw:

- On February 13th, the construction plan will be taken to the district allowing the contracts to be signed afterward.
- A slight setback was caused by the county requiring an extra traffic study because of an increase in students.
- The plan is currently under budget.
- An engineering lab is expected in the new building 8.
- Completion is expected in March 2025.
- There is no foreseeable issue with student parking for the remainder of this year or next year.
- There will be a slight change to traffic flow in the mornings because anyone parked in front of the admin building will have to access parking lot a different way.

Media center update – Mr. Bradshaw & Ms. Wildman:

- 9 challenged books were removed from PCHS library shelves.
- 3 challenged books were kept for students to check-out with parental consent.
- Most of the challenged books have never been checked out within the last 5 years.
- Students can still access elsewhere (i.e., public library)
- The goal for school library books is for them to be appropriate and educational.

Senior update – Mr. Bradshaw:

- A list was provided of several important dates for seniors.
 - Senior meeting: February 12
 - Spring spirit week: April 8-12
 - Prom: April 13
 - Grad bash: April 20
 - Senior awards: May 6
 - Senior exams: May 7-10
 - Graduation practice: May 13
 - Cap and gown pickup: May 14
 - Graduation: May 15
- Awards night was moved to May 6th due to an athletic conflict

Principal's update

- Celebrate literacy week is this week with several activities happening around school.
- Student blood drive February 1st
- Incoming 9th grade night February 13th
- Registration materials coming out soon for next year's classes.

The meeting was adjourned.

Next Meeting

Monday, March 4, 2024 at 6:30 in the PCHS Media Center, or online via TEAMS.