



Nuvview Bridge Early College High School

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Advisory Council Meeting Minutes For February 3, 2011

- Meeting called to order by: Wendy Solinsky Time: 5:07 Pm Date: 02/03/2011
- **Public Comments:**
 1. **Stacey Efurd:** Suggested to host a silent auction using baskets for fundraising. She was going to look into donations from local businesses and theme parks. Donations can go towards scholarships, and/or events that Advisory and other participating clubs designate.
 2. **Sybel Alger:** The winner for Poetry Out Loud at our school, Nkem Ehiemere, went to the county level in Palm Desert and won. She will now be representing our school in Sacramento. Sybel wants to fundraise for the expenses of the event.
 3. **David Linzey:** He introduced the new interim principle for NBECHS Mr. Jeff Simmons. Mr. Koski will be leaving for a new superintendent position on Wednesday February 9, 2011. Mr. Simmons is very excited to be the interim principle for NBECHS. He has already started to walk around campus so students can get accustomed to him.
- Approval of Minutes:

Approval of minutes from last NBECHS Advisory Council meeting held on January 6, 2011

Moved by: Sybel Alger Seconded by: Zayna Thorpe

Vote: Ayes: x Nays: _____ Absent: _____ Abstain: _____

Motion Passed: Yes: x No: _____

Information Items-

- **College Update-Mrs. Frey:** Spring registration was great, they were done with the registrations by half day. 100% of the students paid online. Every student was able to register with a class. Three Political Science classes were cancelled but other than that the registration was great. There are two other college programs at MCV, Vista de Lago and ?, that are different to our program because they only do college for 11th and 12th grade students. We are now under the same Middle College Umbrella, we have the same guidelines; much better because then NBECHS students can participate in activities provided for early college students. Since we are under the same umbrella then we can have a Safety Plan in case of a natural disaster. It is also better when it comes to the classes because we are all allocated for 5 spots per class. In between the programs we can exchange classes. College classes start on February 14, 2011.
- **Student Updates-ASB Stephanie Martinez:** She talked about all the activities planed for the month of February. On the fourth of February, some students will be taking a fieldtrip to the Sound of Music at RCC. There will be a spirit week from 02/07-02/11. On Friday February 11th there will be a pep rally (Battle of the Sexes), a Powder Puff game, and Sadie Hawkins dance. There will also be a movie night hosted by GSA. On 02/17/2011. On the 26th Prom Committee will be hosting a carwash from 9-1pm at El Comal.
- **Principal/Designee Update-Mr. Fowler & Mr. Cornett:** Mr. Fowler said that the school is getting ready for testing. The estimated college acceptances for the senior class so far are 54 different ones. That is a great number for this time of year. They are working hard on the

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scholarships. There is a new program offered by APEX, an online school. It's perfect for the students who need to retake classes or want to advance in classes. The school is starting the AP Government and AP Calculus class next week. The purpose is to give students as much opportunity to get college credit. It's only \$200 per seat, and as students finish the school can place another student for the same seat. Gear Up may help fund for this program, a meeting will be held to determine what they are going to do on February 07, 2011.

- **District Update- Mr. Koski:** Mr. Fowler said that the revised budget was estimated at \$2,333,960 for about 380 students. Our actual enrollment is closer to 360 students, bringing us down 20 students from our estimation for the entire year. Our actual budget should be \$2,211,120 and end with \$330,899. We may have over budgeted in other places.
- **Technology Subcommittee Report- Mrs. Alger, Mr. Fowler, Mrs. Thorpe, Mr. Jobe:** Most of the items ordered already came in, including the light bulbs. The subcommittee really wants the items to be delivered to NEBECHS and not the District office because sometimes the school has to wait until the District Office gives it to them.
- Action Items:
 1. Enrollment less than projected; bring back an accurate budget report on spending:
Moved by: _____ Seconded by: _____
Votes: Ayes: _____ Nays: _____ Absent: _____ Abstain: _____
Discussion: _____
Motion Passed: Yes: _____ No: _____
 2. Budget for NBECHS Budget Recruitment Campaign:
Moved by: Zayna Thorpe Seconded by: Dan Clarke
Discussion: For the 2011-2012 school year the school wants at least 430-450 students. Want students from out in the community to come to NBECHS. They are going to create incentives for every student that encourages a student to come to NBECHS. Have people distribute flyers in different communities. They are proposing a budget of \$2000.
Vote: Ayes: x Nays: _____ Absent: _____ Abstain: _____
Motion Passed: Yes: x No: _____
 3. Recommend of new hire of a staff member at MVC to aide in data planning-(college liaison):
Moved by: Wendy Solinsky Seconded by: Zayna Thorpe
Vote: Ayes: x Nays: _____ Absent: _____ Abstain: _____
Motion Passed: Yes: x No: _____
 4. Recommend to use tutor money for the college liaison:
Moved by: Wendy Solinsky Seconded by: Dan Clarke
Vote: Ayes: x Nays: _____ Absent: _____ Abstain: _____
Motion Passed: Yes: x No: _____
 5. Recommend of setting aside field trip money for all school field trip:
Moved by: Sherrie Seconded by: Zayna Thorpe
Discussion: They are asking for \$3,500 to cover for the buses.
Vote: Ayes: x Nays: _____ Absent: _____ Abstain: _____
Motion Passed: Yes: x No: _____

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6. \$250 to cover substitute for Michele Check-she was one of a select group invited to attend a seminar on the Constitution & Bill of Rights:

Moved by: Sybel Alger Seconded by: Dan Clarke

Discussion: It is a great honor; everything is paid for except the Substitute.

Vote: Ayes: x Nays: _____ Absent: _____ Abstain: _____

Motion Passed: Yes: x No: _____

7. A proposal from the Technology Dept. on Virus Protection:

Moved by: Wendy Solinsky Seconded by: Dan Clarke

Discussion: The school has been experiencing a virus for 3 months now. The virus is the a tracking virus, reads/record everything a person types in the computer. It came in November but the virus protection the school has didn't do anything to remove the virus. In January the virus finally attacked and is still there. They have already looked into software called NOD32 that costs \$1,312.50 for one year. There is a 3 year plan but going to try the one year to see if it's worth it; so far is because downloaded a free trail of it. There are two ways to install it: one by putting it in the District office and then pushing it out to the server or go manually to each computer.

Vote: Ayes: x Nays: _____ Absent: _____ Abstain: _____

Motion Passed: Yes: x No: _____

- Unfinished Business:

- 1.
- 2.

- New Business (Open Discussion):

1. New program-APEX online school
- 2.
- 3.

- Call For Agenda Items for next meeting:

1. Basket Fundraiser presented by Stacey Efurd
2. Allocate money for the Poetry Out Loud Winner
- 3.

- Meeting Adjourned by: Wendy Solinsky Time: 6:25 pm

- Next Meeting will be held on: March 3, 2011 Time: 5PM
At: NBECHS Campus; Staff Lounge