

Castle View High School
SAC Minutes

Date: 4/8/21

Time: 6:30

Attendance: Elizabeth Dissel, Susie McKenna, Shelly Mares, Norris Croom, Kathleen Williams, Kris Defnet, Jennifer Harris,, Nola DeKeyrel, Rex Corr, Debbie Gentry

Guest: Katie Winsor, Assistant Principal

Meeting was called to order at 6:32 p.m.

Rex was contacted by Tri County Health Department and they moved CV to remote status starting Friday. Any confirmed covid cases over 50 and 600 quarantines require it. Our staff impact has been minimal. We want to emphasize to the community this was a decision made by the state health department and not the school or board. Mountain Vista was the first high school to go remote. General information guidelines around activities and athletics will be forthcoming and Rex will pass information along as he gets it. Norris mentioned Douglas County has high numbers and may go back to orange. Rex said having kids in the building is what is best for kids. We will look at possibly moving up seniors so they can have a full 10 days before graduation. Jennifer stated parents and the community need to do a better job asking kids to stop having parties and being out in the community. She suggested asking Corey to send out another e-mail to that affect. Question was asked if we could come back in hybrid to help with the quarantines? Rex said that has not been an option at this time. But this is not Rex's decision.

Katie Winsor, our assistant principal was in attendance to talk about our UIP (Unified Improvement Plan). The state made changes to the timeline and structure of UIP and it isn't due yearly. This is the year for us to write ours and look at data. Katie went through the [UIP presentation attached here](#). (click control enter for link) Cause for celebration in that the groundwork was laid years ago for our good data. Counseling and mental health have been coming up with programs to help the students. We have a 71.1 rating right now and in really good standing with the state report.

CMAS Science will not be offered this year.

Set goals for the next year from fall data.

Principals report: Debbie gave a report on the current hiring for next year.

- Art – growth of partial – hired from CRMS
- Counseling – resignation
- Dean – resignation in December – hired Ben Kellerman from Sedalia and he's very familiar with our kids and community
- Engineering – resignation in March
- ESL – resignation in December
- Math – resignation – 3 positions
- P.E. – resignation in December – rehired Jordan Boriack and our new football coach Eric Handke
- Science – resignations – 3 positions
- Social Studies - resignation
- Technology – retirement – hired Kelly Swiryn from PHS

Salary will be a big issue this year because other districts are paying a lot more.

Teacher Report: Shelly said going remote again was a bummer! All our staff was pretty devastated because our kids were starting to thrive again. We have them engaged, participating and doing work. She is very concerned. Tiffany said it's much easier to teach in person.

DAC: Kathleen said her information was old because their meeting is coming up. They have a new charter school application set for approval. There were 7000 responses from a survey they did. Four finalists have been chosen for superintendent: Corey Wise, Chris Page, a gentleman from Utah and a woman from North Carolina.

eDCSD will have two options for remote learning for those not wanting to return to in school in the fall. We will have quarantines but we won't have the option of remote learning at the school level. The district is talking about who will get the funding. We will not see a financial impact on schools.

ABC report: Nola said their next meeting is 4/22. Working on an online fundraiser with student parking and possibly a tour of the new pod (if construction approves). ABC offers four academy scholarships and is working on staff appreciation. They have funds to finish up this year. ABC is looking at ways to honor academic groups. They are looking at banners but what type and the cost. Right now they are offering birthday grams and senior shout outs on the marquee.

Community: Norris said last month Rex talked about the enrollment at CV going down in the next few years. The Town of Castle Rock has received an application for a large development, Dawson Ridge, with 5400 residences. They would like to start construction in 2022. That would be 15,000 people with families that would feed into CV. Pine Canyon development located by DCHS will have 800 units. That won't feed to CV but it is still major growth for Castle Rock. The governor will suspend the covid dial and will give control back to Tri-county health next Friday.

We currently have several positions open in SAC: ABC, BHS, LGC, STEM, VPA, community and DAC.

- ABC Rep--Nola to get back to SAC committee; Jennifer Harris willing to serve
- BHS Representative-Jamie Lundvall
- LGC Representative-Tiffany Martin
- STEM Representative-*Needs filled*
- VPA Representative-*Needs filled*
- Community Member-Norris Croom
- DAC Liaison-*Needs filled*
- Parent Member-Kris Defnet

Meeting adjourned at 8:15 p.m.