

ROSWELL HIGH SCHOOL
Governance Council Meeting

March 8, 2017

7:15AM

Roswell High School Conference Room

Minutes

Council Member	Attendance
Chair: Jim Vitale	X
Vice Chair: Jeni Stephens	X
Parliamentarian: Jennifer Koon	X
Fred Barth	X
Cielo Castro	X
Lindsay Hasson	
Jerome Huff	X
Josh Martin	X
Valerie Morelli	X
Catharine Phillips	X
Lily Rubin	X
Amy Short	X
Ben Sutter	X

Attendance:

Frederick from the FCS

PTA: Lee Hills and *the branding person whose name I cannot recall.*

Approval of Agenda:

First: Morelli	Second: Stephens	Approved unanimously
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Review of meeting minutes from February 14

First: Barth	Second: Short	Approved unanimously
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Student input (discussion)

RE: Rigor and mental health

Some AP Students are reporting that they are doing 3 hours of HW daily and getting 5 hours of sleep. Some on level students report that they are getting 1.5 hours of HW that they often complete in class and so at least one student report getting 11 hours of sleep.

Discussion of what kind of guidance students are getting, starting at middle school and then throughout HS, with regard to setting an appropriate and manageable level of rigor and enrolling in AP and honors classes.

Short explained process for how guidance advises existing students about course selection, balance and their process towards graduation requirements.

Discussion of having students post reviews of AP and honors classes by teacher and describe the reality of the different classes in an online presentation (like a peer mentoring page). This could possibly become an assembly that the students could present to the student body.

Budget (approval)

First: Stephens	Second: Phillips	Approved unanimously
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Fitness Waiver (discussion)

Discussion of whether we add Crew to our RFF. Discussion of adding all NCAA Div 1 sports that are not offered at RHS. Sutter volunteered to facilitate a separate work session to discuss further.

Outreach & Communications Plan (discussion)

Suggest that the RHS vision proposed be removed from the doc until this can be developed by and shared with faculty.

First: Barth	Second: Sutter	Approved unanimously
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Agenda topics for next meeting:

Elections update

Principal update

Strategic Plan extension and modifications including mental health

RFF/Seed ideas

Adjourn: 8:32

First: Barth	Second: Morelli	Approved unanimously
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