

Minutes of Student Health Advisory Committee

January 3, 2023 – 3:00 pm – LSK Professional Development Room

Meeting was called to order by Chair Michael Mitchell at 3:04 pm. The pledges were led and the invocation was given by Chair Mitchell.

Attendees present were: Michael Mitchell (ISD, Chair), Adele Mooney (Community), Steven Davis (ISD), Kerrah Turner (ISD), Faye Pearson (Community), Amy Haws (ISD), Chelsea Hoard (ISD), Raket Brandt (ISD), Emma Latimore (TX Dept. of State Health Services), Melodie Short (DSHS), Stephen Cooper (Parent), Sarah Tucker (ISD), Gilmica Brown (ISD), Brittany Chadwick (ISD), and Amanda Stinson (ISD).

Chelsea Hoard moved for approval of the minutes of the October 17, 2022 meeting. Amy Haws seconded and the minutes were unanimously approved.

The draft of the SHAC By-laws were then reviewed with changes which can be seen in the draft with highlighted portions and the final draft (both attached.)

Designated voting members were determined to be: Amanda Stinson, Amy Haws, Chelsea Hoard, and Kerrah Turner representing the ISD; Sarah Nichols (Primary Campus), Lauren Wilson (LSK Elementary Campus), TBD (MMS), and TBD (MHS); Faye Pearson, Adele Mooney, and Tony Tucker representing community members.

The positions of chair, co-chair, secretary, and coordinator were agreed upon, as follows: Chair- Michael Mitchell; Co-Chair - Tony Tucker; Secretary - Adele Mooney, and Coordinator – Brittany Chadwick.

Motion for the selection of Brittany Chadwick to serve as Coordinator was made by Amy Haws and seconded by Adele Mooney. Motion passed unanimously.

Motion for the selection of Adele Mooney to serve as Secretary was made by Kerrah Turner and seconded by Faye Pearson. Motion passed unanimously.

Motion for the selection of Tony Tucker to serve as Co-Chair was made by Adele Mooney and seconded by Chelsea Hoard. Motion passed unanimously.

Chelsea Hoard led the discussion of the sex education curriculum being proposed by the SHAC for students in 8th through 12th grades. The curriculum from the organization known as Youth Equipped to Succeed (YES) is titled Freedom to Succeed and for the 2022-2023 school year will focus on awareness and understanding of the laws (criminal, family violence, child abuse, sexual abuse, teen dating violence, sex trafficking, sexting, and pornography). The program is of the type where the parent/guardian of the student must opt-in for the student to be allowed to participate. A second review of the program must be held by the SHAC before it can be presented to the School Board.

Adele Mooney mentioned a curriculum focused on social and emotional learning that could be possibly be provided to the ISD with a 3-to-1 matching grant through the Lions Club International Foundation – Lions Quest. She will provide further details for a future meeting.

The next meeting date was set for Monday, January 23 at 4:00 pm and the one following that was set for Monday, March 27 at 4:00 pm.

A brief discussion was held regarding the Components of the Whole School, Whole Community, Whole Child program. It will be discussed in much more detail at a future meeting. Emma Latimore commented that she could provide sample program details from other school district's SHAC committees.

Kerrah Turner discussed the plan to have an immunization clinic and 'back-to-school' event in August to coordinate with (one of the) nights of registration for MMS students. Many services other than just immunizations can be sought to be provided to students. Once the date for the event is determined more planning for the event can begin.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 5:24 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Adele Mooney, Secretary