



**Instructional Services
Parent Advisory Committee (PAC)
Coombs North**

Thursday, February 26, 2026 5:00 - 6:00 pm

Agenda

I. Call Meeting to Order-Time (notes in Blue, meeting called to order at 5:01)

- ◆ Welcome and Introductions -noted that Marcia Cole-Fiajbi did not start the meeting
- Go Back to what is best for students, mission, and district goals were reviewed, 15 individuals present at beginning with 4 people with raised hands who have students enrolled in Banning USD and at end of meeting 20 individuals present)
- ◆ Superintendent's Report: Mr. Terrance Davis - share around goals and pivot that there is a trophy internally to celebrate the
 - Accelerate Student Achievement - 3 times meeting with Principals & student achievement data, growth is happening across schools, visibly seeing growth
 - Safety - all schools are following similar data around safety, raised the bar to ensure that students are feeling safe on campus which is elevating learning
 - Community Engagement - is our weakest area, can continue to increase and focus on this as a district next year
- ◆ Department's Report-
- Community Engagement (Angel Mead gave an update)
- Safety Coordinator (Joseph Schilreff gave an update)
- Student Services (Dr. Moises Merlos gave an update)
- Director of Special education (Timothy Worthington, gave an update)
- Fiscal Services & Nutritional Services (Eddie Ramos gave an update)
- Kennedy Paige (Transportation gave an update)

II. Reading of Minutes -

- ◆ November 20, 2025 PAC Minutes_11_20_2025- hyperlinked minutes, voted to approve minutes (19 people were present and approved minutes)

III. New Business-

- ◆ District Goals-
- ◆ Banning Unified School Transportation Changes-
- ◆ LCAP Mid-year Review- Dr. Tonia Causey Bush gave an update on LCAP goals
- 1. ELA, Math, Graduation Rate, and College & Career Indicator
- 2. Improvement in safety around discipline & chronic absenteeism
- 3. Parent Engagement,
- 4 & 5. specific to Coombs & Florida Street
- ◆ Community Engagement-

IV. Program Updates -

- ◆ English Learners Program/ELPAC- Marcia Cole-Fijabi, gave an update and emphasized that the goal is reclassification at Elementary levels. Progress is being made and BHS is the



last school site that they need to complete and testing grades are the goal in completed, emphasizing partnership with parents and students. Building team effort at High School level to celebrate students achievement and build collective success as a team, using all of the available resources to students. Bilingual Aides at Elementary schools, Middle School, and High School. Students are cohorted by ELD levels at both Middle School and High School, level 3s and level 1s are not always put together. Collaborating with the teachers and being specific in what domain students need.

Public Comment #1: Around the importance of being reclassified, repetition, and doing their very best. Ensuring that there is not a disconnect between student actions and the reason why students are completing the ELPAC and the opportunities that they are going to have in Middle School and High School.

Emphasize the importance of students being student success in elective courses.

Public Comment #2: Elective incentive for Middle School. Are students cohorted by levels? Can we add an incentive to the high school students?

Public Comment #3: Is there an alternative option that can be offered at the High School level for students who still have not passed the ELPAC. Some students are hiding from the assessment.

- ♦ Summer School Dates- Official Flyer will come out week of March 9, 2026 (Given by Marcia Cole-Fijabi)

V. Community Comments

-Question on Safety - access to the 3-D map, only for the First Responders

-Update on Safety - BHS and staff set up of the school in general, can't get past an entrance. Addressed by Joseph Schilreff(restructuring and resetting, black fence is new since Covid) and Terrence Davis - new entrance through library and that is the goal- working on roll out and timeline. Banning USD is aware of problem, we are continuing on working to address the problem

-Communication & Social Media **Angel Mead, instagram to post updates on IG and Facebook, can also be sent via Parent Square as well, weekly communication sent out from School to Parents via Parent Square. Please add all flyers and communication on Parent Square as well. (Terrence Davis - shared that we are approaching and looking for a balance in communicating with parents each Sunday night and not having all communication regularly coming out to become white noise.) Phone Calls are being strategically saved for safety. Can we subscribe to a google calendar via parent square?

VI. Adjournment -Time - meeting adjourned at 6:07 pm