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Tucson High School Council

Meeting Date 8/9/2024 Meeting Location: Badger Room and Zoom Meeting ID: 88004525009

Members present	Naomi Jarillo (NJ), Heather Bates (HB), Noah Sensibar (NS), James Fennewald (JF), Arnold Montiel (AM), Sarah Tully (ST), Virginia Haniman (VH), Catherine Comstock (CC), Nydia Ybarra (NY), Paisley Goffeney (PG), Jimena Aguayo (JA)
Members absent	Rebecca Redding (RR)
Constituency group represented	Parent, Student, Certified, Classified, Community

I. Called to order at 5:15 by Heather Bates

II. Approval of Minutes for previous meeting

DISCUSSION NOTES	None
CONCLUSIONS	JF motioned to approved minutes. NJ seconded and motion passed.
ACTION ITEMS	
None	

III. Call to the audience

DISCUSSION NOTES	None
CONCLUSIONS	
ACTION ITEMS	
None	

IV. Reports

REPORTS TO REVIEW	Student Report
DISCUSSION	Student council is working on their pep assembly. They will be making changes because of all the complaints about the last pep assembly. This will be some time in October. The student council elections are this Friday. It will go about three weeks. Part of ASC and will be hosting the state convention in January at Tucson High. Because of the size of this convention, class might not be meeting in person. Student council expressed concern about the communication during the lockdown.

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CONCLUSIONS	None	
ACTION ITEMS		
None		

REPORTS TO REVIEW	Principal Report
DISCUSSION	Great past few weeks. Today was 10 th day, which means students who have not shown up for the school year were dropped. The lower enrollment means an FTE reduction of 1.4. We won't have to lose any teachers because we do have some unfilled positions. The district does not like to run classes with fewer than 20 students. Some adjustments will be made for class sizes. Hope to have these done by open house. Open house will begin with an athletic meeting followed by a Title 1 meeting at 5:30. Open house will start at 6:00. Starting new flag football program. Hosting a Spilling the Tea on the Big Three and PCC to educate people on their college options on August 29th. First away game for football coming up. First home game September 6 th . On September 10 th the Main building will officially be 100 years old. There will be a special dedication by the Badger Foundation on November 2 nd . Parking continues to be an issue. Looking at options for expanding parking. We only have 80 available parking spaces for students. We have had a couple of difficult situations. There was a report of a weapon on campus from a social media post. This was investigated and not weapon was found. We also had a fight between two students. The problem was the group of students who ran after the students fighting trying to record the fight and would not leave the area. Most of the students gut what they were supposed to, but this large group of bystanders who felt posting to social media was more important and created an unsafe situation. Looking for ways to educate students to not become part of the problem. A lockdown was accidently called, so we went into lockdown. The principal is required to send a parent message out anytime a lockdown is called. We know they can be vague, but we are frequently still gathering all the information. The majority of the students are doing what they should do, and this is a great school. Ms. Comstock is an interim principal until we can hire a new principal. The school council is involved in the selection
CONCLUSIONS	None
ACTION ITEMS	
None	

V. Action Items

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SCHOOL DISTRICT

ITEM TITLE	Meeting Schedule
DISCUSSION NOTES	Is 2 nd Wednesday at 6pm still ok for meetings. We will need to make an adjustment in October because of fall break.

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RESOLUTION

It was agreed the time still works.

ITEM TITLE	Council memberships and needs
DISCUSSION NOTES	Council membership is set. One parent resigned, but another parent has already responded with interest. Parent membership usually is selected through PTA or PTO, but Tucson High does not currently have one of those.
RESOLUTION	
Waiting to hear about RL	

VI. Discussion/information items

ITEM TITLE	Facilitator Training
DISCUSSION NOTES	If anyone would like to participate in facilitator training, please email HB.
RESOLUTION	

VII. Submission of items for next agenda.

ITEM TITLE	Next Meeting, tax credit balance.
DISCUSSION NOTES	Email HB any items for next agenda.
RESOLUTION	

VIII. The meeting was adjourned at 5:53 by Heather Bates

Submitted by

Site Council Facilitator

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