

Moanalua High School School Community Council Meeting

2825 Ala Ilima Street
Office Conference Room
5:30 pm August 8, 2019 Thursday

Attendance: Byron Nagasako, Steven Sano, Tracie Romualdo, Robin Martin, Aimee Sze, Barbara Lane, Liane Voss, Karen Nishigata, Kane Ruiz, Kristen Yamate, Dennis Arakaki

AGENDA

0. Karen Nishigata gave presents to everyone.
1. Call to order at 5:34 by SCC Chair Byron Nagasako in the office conference room. Introduction of SCC members (share a short story about a teacher or administrator that inspired you).
2. Approval of May 9th, 2019 minutes
Approved as submitted to be posted on our school website.
3. Student's Report- Kane Ruiz, Kristen Yamate
 - a. August 9: Welcome Back Assembly @ Moanalua High School Gym. Students have been busy preparing the assembly to welcome new and returning students.
 - b. August and September: Homecoming. Students and classes are starting to get ready.
4. Parent's Report- Byron Nagasako, Tracie Romualdo, Steven Sano
 - a. Can Graduation 2020 be moved off campus (like Aloha Stadium) due to massive construction at Moanalua High School? There is much less parking now and more parking traffic and congestion.
 - i. It is expensive to have graduation at Aloha Stadium.
 - ii. There is no lighting for lei giving at Aloha Stadium.
 - iii. There is parking congestion and traffic at Aloha Stadium.
 - iv. There is no priority date picking at Aloha Stadium.
 - v. Aloha Stadium will also have construction work soon.
 - vi. Moanalua High School Gym is too small to hold graduation ceremony.
 - vii. The Shuttle Service with Aliamanu worked well.
 - viii. There is consideration in doing a live feed of graduation. Farrington already does that.
 - b. E-School
 - i. Counselor Yamamoto helped child sign up and take class with e-school during the summer so that the student can have an elective period during the regular school year to take a Study Hall
 - ii. E-school is not advertised and only told in select circumstances
5. Teacher's Report- Liane Voss, Aimee Sze, Barbara Lane
 - a. New school year and new teachers
 - i. There are 17 new teachers who received 2 days of training.
 - ii. All teachers got new school vision t-shirts.
 - iii. There will be a staff/department introduction video at the Welcome Back Assembly.
 - iv. Teachers are signing up for chaperone jobs for the school year. Teachers busy setting up. Teachers may need parent/community support for various activities.
 - b. Open House
 - i. August 15 Thursday
 - ii. PTSA Meeting starts at 5:30
 - c. Core 1
 - i. Core 1 had their Parent Night on August 7 Wednesday.
 - ii. The event was successful and had many in attendance.
 - iii. Food was good.
 - d. Donors Choose event. Teachers can get support for their lessons and activities.
 - e. Fall Sports Meeting
 - i. Will be held on August 14 at the gym at 6:00 pm

- ii. Mandatory for students and parents to attend.
 - f. Professional Development
 - i. July 31 Wednesday
 - ii. Design Thinking
- 6. Classified Staff Report- Karen Nishigata
 - a. Social Club information will be forthcoming.
 - b. There is a conflict with both Social Club and Concussion Testing wanting the school library on the same school day. This will be further looked into.
- 7. Community/Military Report- Dennis Arakaki
 - a. CrossWalk
 - i. meetings with participation and input from principal, SCC, and the community were highly valued and welcomed.
 - ii. People are getting adjusted to the crosswalk.
 - iii. Things should get better in the future when the sidewalk is finished.
 - iv. Crosswalk issues occur more after school than in the morning.
 - v. Students seem to be walking to the roundabout to cross to the other side.
 - b. Can we darken arrow traffic pattern at the parking lot? It is currently misleading.
 - i. Maybe security or student volunteers
 - ii. No set plans
 - c. Salt Lake Boulevard is going to be widened.
 - i. Funding has been secured.
 - ii. Don't know when this will happen.
 - iii. The area being widened is the part by Safeway Shopping Center where the 2 lanes narrow into 1 lane.
- 8. Principal's Report- Robin Martin
 - a. Beginning of the school year
 - i. We had a really good opening.
 - ii. Healthy enrollment over 2000 students
 - iii. As of today, all teacher positions have been filled.
 - iv. Missing one college career counselor due to a last minute resignation
 - 1. For this year, might just have a teacher assistant to help the college counselor.
 - 2. February 2020- advertise counselor position
 - v. Purchased extra teacher position. Selling Counselor position. Testing/advising assistance.
 - vi. New Staff information: 15 new teachers (last teacher was hired on August 8 Thursday), 6 student teachers, 2 new vice principals
- 9. Public Testimony:
 - Not applicable
- 10. Old Business:
 - a. SCC members for SY 2019-2020: Byron Nagasako (chair), Tracie Romualdo (parent), Steven Sano (parent), Robin Martin (principal), Shelly Koyanagi (teacher), Barbara Lane (teacher), Aimee Sze (teacher), Liane Voss (teacher), Karen Nishigata (classified staff), Kane Ruiz (student), Kristen Yamate (student), Dennis Arakaki (community)
 - i. Military... Tamsin Keone... unsure if she left
 - b. Crosswalk has been removed at Ala Ilima & Ala Napunani (any improvements)
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- 11. New Business:
 - a. Create an SCC members roster and email to CAS (Mr. Erickson)

- i. Byron Nagasako (chair), Tracie Romualdo (parent), Steven Sano (parent), Robin Martin (principal), Shelly Koyanagi (teacher), Barbara Lane (teacher), Aimee Sze (teacher), Liane Voss (teacher), Karen Nishigata (classified staff), Kane Ruiz (student), Kristen Yamate (student), Dennis Arakaki (community)
 - ii. Military... Tamsin Keone... unsure if she left
- b. SCC Orientation (email the SCC Handbook to our new member Kane Ruiz)
- c. Schedule the two SCC public/community meetings
- d. Evaluation of SCC Meeting (things to improve & good points)
- e. Stay a few minutes at the end of the meeting to share perceptions on how well we worked together to accomplish our goals
- f. MoES Fun Fair
 - i. Will be held on November 15 Friday
 - ii. Looking for talent and entertainment
- g. PTSA
 - i. Wants more student/community involvement
 - ii. Will have Health Fair around November 8 Friday
 - iii. Kaiser involvement
 - iv. Tripler volunteered to help
- h. Menehune Turkey Trot... Stepping Your Way to Wellness
 - i. Nothing finalized yet
 - ii. May have special bell schedule and end school early
 - iii. Optional student attendance
 - iv. Encourage each other. Eat well. Do well.
 - v. Healthy, helping teen issues
 - vi. PEP and Botelho involved
 - vii. PTSA involved
 - viii. Hoping for best

12. Announcements:

- a. Next SCC meeting: September 12, 2019, 5:30pm, Conference Room
- b. Events:
- c. Others:
- d. Future SCC Meetings: September 12, 2019; October __, 2019 (public/community); November 14, 2019; No meeting in December 2019; January 9, 2020; February 13, 2020; March __, 2020 (public/community); April 9, 2020; May 14, 2020 (last meeting)

13. Adjournment Time: The meeting was adjourned at 6:47 pm

Recorded: Aimee Sze