

Wai`anae High School -- School Community Council

May 16, 2018

Minutes, Regular Meeting

SY 2017-2018

1. Call to Order: 5:25 pm by Acting Chair Mae Oshiro
2. Attendance:

Parent	Teacher	Classified	Community	Student	Principal
	Philip DePorto		Robin Hermance	Camren Keawe	Disa Hauge
Valerie Lawson	Mae Oshiro Chris Akana		Dan Gomes Jo Jordan	Ashlynn Sequin Kailynn Anderson Teah Martin	
Guests:	Calvin Endo, Lanny Busher				

- a. Quorum: 5 role groups present: Admin, Community, Parent, Teacher, ~~Classified~~, Student
3. Approval of Agenda and Minutes:
 - a. The following items were added to the agenda: Voting on the 3 year Academic Plan.
 - b. Minutes of 4/11/18 were accepted as corrected: 4.f.iv.: Some students were missed for Academic awards and they felt badly.
 4. Reports and Concerns:
 - a. Admin:
 - i. Graduation is on track for 419 students with 11 Valedictorians. It will be on the field with reserved seating on the field and public seating in the bleachers. The special guests will be hosted in the library this year due to SP getting ready to move out by June 1st due to construction. No balloons, signs or umbrellas allowed in the stadium complex until after the ceremony.
 - ii. Busy hiring for 20 positions. Teachers moving to mainland, going to law school, etc. Only two transferred to town.
 - iii. Ho'ike was a success with many people attending. We were thoroughly impressed with the students' presentations about their learning. We will have a 9th grade Open House in August and a 10th-12th Ho'ike each May.
 - iv. SCC Elections: There were no responses to the form published in the 4/5/18 parent bulletin asking for nominations by 4/20/18 for the Parent/Community representative. Teacher & Classified nominations are being taken until 5/27 and elections will be on 5/31.
 - v. WASC 6 yrs accreditation with a recommendation to work on rigor and we also gained Wai`anae complex accreditation, one of the first in the nation.
 - b. Parents:
 - i. Saturday Band Concert was good, but the cafeteria is in need of significant improvement. We need to help the band teacher because at least 10 parents signed up to be on the booster but no response from him.
 - ii. PTSA will take on the cafe improvement project. First assess and clean then do the long term repair and maintenance. There is a lot to do and it will start this summer.
 - iii. PTSA gave 5 scholarships worth \$750 each. Anonymous donors gave 3 students computers and \$2200 each with a backpack.
 - iv. PTSA Convention last weekend with the biggest attendance. WHS got an award for increased attendance at our meetings.
 - v. Project Grad is on track, 99% complete and ready to go. It is fully financed.

- vi. Complaint because of awardees' casual dress at the scholarship night. CCC counselor will address this next year with all awardees.

c. Teachers:

- i. HOSA write up was in the Westside Stories. The last blood drive had 43 donors, but the location was difficult. About a third of those who volunteers were deferred due to various legal reasons. We did great on the bone marrow registration with 10 new people signed up. We are the only high school that does this every year. Fundraising for the HOSA competition is on-going. Internship at Tripler is completed and the kids did well. College students are looking forward to returning to work with us next year. Three winners of full ride Chaminade scholarships for nursing.
- ii. AVID Senior awards were given at an event and kids shared tips for the lower classmen. Seniors' last day is 5/18 then they have practice for graduation on 5/25.

d. Classified: No report.

e. Community:

- i. Networking opportunities with community members to discuss our community's issues are available to all and we want young people to join in. Business opportunities and first impressions are important and make a difference. We want our teachers to come from our community so that our school is
- ii. A.M. sprinklers are on 7:30 and problem for kids coming onto campus by C,A buildings.
- iii. June 2, 9 am, Emergency Preparedness Fair for the community. June 5, Blood drive at Wai'anae Mall, sign up thru WCCHC. Ko Olina Oceans Day on June 10 "Moana". Aug 4-5, Sunset on the Beach vendor applications are out; cultural practices at 3:30-5:30 on Sat/Sun; next meeting is June 14, 7 pm, at Maili Community Park. Sports Shooting Fair on June 16 at Koko Head. Nanikai Beach Park Moana Day 6/23 Mohala i Ke Wai. KS 5/31 PVS talk story session at 5 pm at CLCM.

f. Students:

- i. Students have won awards for writing, like the Martin Luther King, Jr Peace Poem contest.
- ii. May 18 is the Aloha Assembly for seniors.
- iii. Prom was really nice and the flip books were fun. Kids stayed and had a lot of fun.
- iv. SP entered the Pele Awards and took Silver and Bronze at the college competition. At the high school competition they took many awards, including Gold.
- v. PTSA Writing competition was won this year by a Wai'anae student over all other schools.
- vi. Camren went to NY for the StockPitch competition and met businessmen. There was a NHS Stole Ceremony while he was gone but he got his stole. This is his last report and hands off the responsibility to the future Seniors. He received the Josh Endo Memorial Scholarship.

5. Action Items:

- a. The Academic Financial Plan was reviewed and the following action was taken:

- i. Recommended to the CAS with or without suggestions; or, Not recommended.

- 1. Camren moved, Dan Gomes 2nd, to approve the Academic Plan as written. Approve votes: parents, community, students, teachers. Motion carried.

- b. The principal was excused from the meeting and the SCC went into closed session to complete her evaluation.

6. Announcements: None

7. Next meeting, August 15, 2018 at 5:15 pm, Adjourned: 6:45 pm