

# MINUTES

## East High School – School Community Council (SCC)

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*Monday January 9, 4:30 pm | Meeting called to order by Kristien McDonald*

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### In Attendance

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Kristien McDonald, Becky Cisneros-Cox, Elizabeth Florence, Rebecca Anderson, Sara Farah, Molonai Hola, Natalie Fetzer, Rebecca Fredrick, Shannon Freedman, Erin Massey, Ashley Shaw, Ned Maxfield, David Bergstedt

Pam Pedersen, Lynette Yorgason, Cassidy Bell, Kevin Waite, Lance Taylor

Guest(s):

Jorge Rojas

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### Approval of Minutes

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The minutes from Monday, December 12, 2022, were approved. Motioned and approved

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### Follow Up on Previous Assignments

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Accessing district teacher photos to put on school website

Pam Pedersen is working on this. No update currently

School cell phone policy discussion follow-up

Kristien McDonald attend the teacher faculty meeting on January 9, 2023, but time did not allow for discussion. A survey will be sent out to teachers to get their thoughts on a policy.

Elizabeth Florence will be working on a parent committee to review existing polices and propose a policy for the school. As part of their research, they will be sending a survey to parents for their thoughts on a policy. Members of the SCC that are interested in being part of the committee signed up and their information has been shared with Elizabeth.

SLCC General Education Certificate of Completion program follow-up

Molonai Hola provided an update on a program that provides jobs to students after graduation with the requirement that they are enrolled in a certificate program at the U of U or SLCC. He will meet with Pam Pedersen to discuss how it can benefit East High School. An update will be provided in our February meeting.

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### Fundraiser Requests – Lance Taylor, Assistant Principal

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Men's Basketball Team:

Teacher/Sponsor: Mitch Smith

Basketball Youth Clinics (set of 3)

Projected profit of \$2,000

Motioned and approved by email December 23, 2022

#### East High Softball

Teacher/Sponsor: Antonio Sthilaire

Crowdfunding – Snap Raise

Projected profit of \$4,500

Motioned and approved January 9, 2023

#### East Track and Field

Teacher/Sponsor: Roland Tolbert

Little Leopard Track Meet

Projected profit of \$3,000

Motioned and approved January 9, 2023

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### Student Government Report – Lynette Yorgason, Student Government Advisor

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The Multicultural Assembly was a big success.

January 21, 2023 - East will be hosting a multi school stomp at the school

February 3, 2023 – The theme for Spirit Week will be announced during half time at the basketball game

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### District Three-Year Calendar Vote – Kristien McDonald, SCC Chair

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The ballots were received and tallied for the calendar vote and the Calendar Committee is recommending to the Board adoption of Option 3 for 2023-24, 2024-25, and 2025-26. The weighted votes for the various options were:

2023-24	Option 1	5,577
	Option 2	3,762
	Option 3	9,935
2024-25	Option 1	4,944
	Option 2	4,395
	Option 3	9,935
2025-26	Option 1	4,944
	Option 2	4,395
	Option 3	9,935

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## Principals Report - Pam Pedersen, Principal

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Artist in Residency Program – presented by Jorge Rojas

He is currently working with Utah Humanities to secure grant funds for the project

The past 3 months he has been meeting with the Clemente students to discuss ideas for the art project

Their goal is to create a project that includes every student and unites them

In about 3 months the students will come to the SCC to present their idea, mission statement, strategic plan, and budget

They hope to create a program that will continue year after year and be implemented in other schools

Pre-Advanced Placement College Board Implementation Report

The program was implemented for the 2020-2021 school year

AP Human Geography became standard for all freshman

Data shows an increase in students enrolling in AP classes after 9<sup>th</sup> grade

10<sup>th</sup> grade – 34.3% to 54.3%

11<sup>th</sup> grade – 37.9% to 45.7%

Previous 3-year 9<sup>th</sup> grade AP Human Geography pass rate was 43%. Post cohort 2021 shows a 9<sup>th</sup> grade pass rate of 45%

The report was in draft state. It will be shared again with the council when it is complete

The question was asked on what classes are offered for students to learn test taking skills. Principle Pam is going to investigate what is being offered by teachers.

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## Parent Teacher Student Association (PTSA) Report – Rebecca Fredrick, PTSA President

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No updates

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## School Improvement Council (SIC) Report – Brenda Kraack, SIC Chair

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No updates

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## School Counseling Report – Kevin Waite, School Counselor

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2023 – 2024 class selection starts on January 10, 2023. The counseling office is asking everyone to take registration seriously. Last year 1/3 of the students did not register

Important Dates:

1/10/23 – all grades

1/13/23 – 9<sup>th</sup> grade

1/17/23 – 10<sup>th</sup> grade

1/18/23 – 11<sup>th</sup> grade

1/19/23 – make up

Emails will be sent out to parents/guardians providing them details for registration. They will be sent out several times during the registration process. Middle schools will register after February 6, 2023.

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Glendale/Mountain View SCC Update – Karla Jimenez

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Karla was not in attendance

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Additional Business

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None

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Next Meeting

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Monday February 13, 2023, at 7:00 pm

Glendale Mtn View Community Learning Center (1388 S Navajo Street, SLC, Utah 84104)

Motion to adjourn was made at 5:54 pm and was passed unanimously