

CAMPBELL COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL
School-based Decision Making Council
September 15, 2009

MINUTES

Attendance:

Joe Bertucci	Melissa Conway	Dianne Perrin
Renée Boots	Shelly Hegyi	Adam Ritter
Barrett Bradshaw	Chuck Heilman	Brenda Sauerbeck
Sandra Bryan	Ashley Himes	Carolyn Stewart

CALL TO ORDER – Ms. Boots

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG – Ms. Himes

MISSION STATEMENT – Mr. Bertucci

APPROVE AGENDA – Mr. Bertucci moved to approve the agenda. Ms. Hegyi seconded. Motion approved by consensus.

APPROVE MINUTES OF AUGUST MEETING – Ms. Conway moved to approve minutes of the August meeting as presented. Ms. Himes seconded. Motion approved by consensus.

SCHOOL INITIATIVE UPDATE

Interventions – We now have students in two sections of Voyager Math. Teachers are receiving Compass training.

CONSENT AGENDA

Discipline Report – Class tardies are still a problem. However, teachers are really cracking down. Hall sweeps are helping.

Youth Services Center Report – The YSC is helping to plan a College/Career Day in October.

COMMUNICATIONS

Good News – Attached.

Audience Comments – Several parents and students were present to lobby for a Project Grad activity instead of Project Prom. Meg Crail thanked the administrators, on behalf of PTSA, for their cooperation on Kentucky Kids Day. She also mentioned that the PTSA will be having a Craft Fair on November 21.

OLD BUSINESS

Revisit Instructional Budget – Ms. Boots reported that, due to increased enrollment, we received two additional allocations from the Board of Education. At this time we are paying for the half-day business teacher out of our instructional budget and Donn Manker is teaching without pay. Ms. Boots recommended using one of the allocations to pay for the

business teacher and to pay Mr. Manker for teaching two classes. Ms. Hegyi moved to approve this recommendation. Mr. Bradshaw seconded. Motion approved by consensus. Ms. Boots recommended using the other allocation to hire another Math Intervention teacher. Ms. Perrin moved to approve this recommendation. Ms. Stewart seconded. Motion approved by consensus. Ms. Boots recommended reallocating \$26,000 from the instructional budget (that was being used to pay for the half-time business teacher) to purchase much-needed technology for our building (in-room projectors, getting TV system in working order, purchasing document cameras and a Promethean board system). Mr. Bradshaw moved to approve this recommendation. Ms. Stewart seconded. Motion approved by consensus.

NEW BUSINESS

New Club – Ms. Conway would like to sponsor a Newspaper Club. We did not have enough students sign up for Journalism this year to offer the class. This club will publish the Camel Chronicle, the school newspaper. They will meet with the B activities and every Thursday after school. They will publish on-line and will try to get enough sponsors to pay for printing costs to have paper copies as well. Ms. Stewart moved to approve this club. Ms. Sauerbeck seconded. Motion approved by consensus.

Mr. Heilman moved to extend the meeting long enough to set the agenda for the next meeting. Ms. Perrin seconded. Motion approved by consensus.

OTHER

The following New Business items from September will be added to next month's agenda:

- Extracurricular Programs Policy,
- AP Drops
- Accelerated Learning Plan

Also, add:

- Report from Guidance Department
- Review Writing Matrix
- Writing Policy
- Project Grad vs. Project Prom

ADJOURN – Ms. Himes moved to adjourn. Mr. Heilman seconded. Motion approved by consensus.

Respectfully submitted,

Sally McNichols

September 2009 - GOOD NEWS

CCHS freshman Johnny H. was chosen to play Stand Up Bass for the Northern Kentucky Youth Sinfonia. In addition to playing with the Youth Sinfonia, top honors, he will also work with the Youth Orchestra to assist and help the younger, less experienced musicians.

Girls' Soccer – As of Sept. 10th, record of 7-1-1. 6 shut-outs in 9 games. Tied West Jessamine, who is ranked 6th in the state, 1-1. JV also tied West Jessamine 0-0.

Boys' Soccer – Beat defending state runners-up Highlands, 2-1 on Thursday.

Natalie P. was named to the Cake Classics All Tournament team on Saturday at the Highlands HS Volleyball Tournament.

Band of Pride finished in second place in class 5A and fifth place overall Saturday in their first contest of the season Saturday. They also received the award for Best Visual Performance in 5A Prelims.

The Varsity and JV Academic Teams opened season play at the Danville Academic Tournament, competing against some of the top teams in the state. The Varsity team, captained by Ryan M., won 5 of 9 matches, including a come from behind win over Simon Kenton. The JV team, captained by Jenna G., took 2nd place in the JV division, losing only to Dunbar.

We have a new Print-to-Mail system for preparing progress reports and report cards for mailing. The new system should drastically reduce the number of man-hours it takes to send these reports out. First quarter progress reports will be mailed today (Tuesday).

Ms. Boots received word from the College Board that we had 12 students who were named AP Scholars based on earning a 3 or higher on 3 or more AP exams. Two students were named AP Scholars with Honor, averaging 3.25 on all exams taken and earning a 3 or higher on 4 or more exams. One student was named an AP Scholar with Distinction, averaging at least a 3.5 on all exams taken and a 3 or higher on 5 or more exams.