



James B. Castle High School



Final Minutes from JBCHS Community Council Meeting

DATE / TIME: November 14, 2017, 5:30 PM

LOCATION: Castle High School Office

PARTICIPANTS: Teresann Tau'a (Vice Principal), Jeannine Miura (Classified Staff), Kana Naipo (Faculty), Judy Esaki (Parent / Secretary), Georgianna DeCosta (Community – Castle Foundation), Sam Kakazu (Community – Alumni), Paige Garcia (Student – SCC Vice Chair), Rene Hutchins (Student)

QUORUM PRESENT:

DATE APPROVED: December 12, 2017

Discussion Topic	Actions and / or Significant Points of Discussion
#1 Call To Order	5:31 PM by Paige Garcia (SCC Vice-Chair); Roll Taken
#2 Approval of Minutes	Motion to approve October 17 minutes by Sam Kakazu. Seconded by Kana Naipo. Approved minutes will be forwarded to Makee Tano for posting on school website.
#3 Scheduled Testimony	None scheduled.
#4 Announcement & Updates	<p>Updates from Students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Winter Ball is scheduled for December 16. Theme is “Beauty and the Beast”. November 15 is last day for bid sales. • Junior Prom scheduled for March 10. • Senior Luau is in planning stage – no scheduled date yet. • Senior Prom scheduled for April 28. • Juniors planning a fund raiser scheduled for the holiday season. • Sophomores are selling lemonade. <p>Updates from Staff:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • None <p>Updates from Faculty:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Staff Appreciation Day scheduled for November 22 with coffee and donuts in the office. • In-Service meeting for registration held on November 13. <p>Updates from Administration:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Superintendent Kishimoto recently visited Castle High School and spoke with students. • Emphasis on School Design (The What); Student Voice (The Why), and Teacher Collaboration (The How) • 3 Goals – 1) Student Success; 2) Staff Success; 3) Successful Systems of Support

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 10 teachers and 2 Administrators are attending a Math Conference on the mainland. Considering incorporating “Geometry in Construction” for hands-on math learning. Considering a pilot for next school year.• 7 students went to Nashville to observe “Best Practices” in an array of learning academies. <p>Updates from FFC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• None <p>Update from C4 :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• “Community Engagement for the Castle Complex” focuses on building community awareness with the goals of encouraging parents to be involved in their children’s education. C4 is an advisory body for Matt Ho, the Complex Superintendent. <p>Community Updates :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sam Kakazu reported that the Alumni Association had a general membership meeting.• Considering supports for Agriculture Science Education pre-school to college programs. Of particular interest is an option for an Agriculture Science Certificate with Early College courses.
#5 Old Business	
#6 New Business	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Defer Feedback for SCC Survey to next meeting
#7 Announcements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Rene Hutchins announced that a Student Voice meeting will be held on November 22 in the Little Theatre. The meeting, run by the Knights of the Roundtable, will provide a forum to discuss topics from the recent student survey. Students may also bring up other matters of concern. Goal is to have one Student Voice meeting each quarter. She requests a member of the Administration be present.

Future Meeting Date: December 12, 2017, 5:30-6:30, Castle High School Office

Adjournment: 6:00 PM

Submitted by: Judy Esaki