

## Site Council Agendas 24-25

### Meeting #2

December 9, 2024

7:45am-8:45am, House 1 room 203

- I. Welcome/Introductions - Lambert
  - Called to order at 7:46 A.M.
  - In attendance: C. Lambert, M. Franco, G. Thompson, S. Behzadi, R. Larson, J. Ponzio, E. Pastorious, N. Akinbile, Kyle, Isai, Ellen, A. Boylan, B. Simon, L. Rivera, A. Wilson
  - Guest: C. Burson (CTE/JTED)
  
- II. General School Updates, including testing and accreditation - Lambert/Franco
  - PSAT results from Oct 2024 - 322 students; 70% of students met both math and ELA benchmarks; (45% state, 37% national)
  - Cognia materials submitted and review scheduled for Jan 13-14 - M. Franco: it was submitted over Thanksgiving break and now the next phase is with our reviewers in Jan (formal presentation by admin, and they may talk with staff/students) and then they give a rough draft approval, which is sent to the National accreditation agency
  - Swim state champs; coach of the year; honored at board meeting tomorrow
  - Fall sports is starting - Basketball, soccer, wrestling
  - At a recent board meeting we recognized 7 National Merit Scholarship Program Semifinalists; 8 commended scholars (these are from fall 2023 PSAT scores)
  - Check calendars for a wide range of school events to close out the semester - sports, theater, concerts, etc.
  - Final exams - Wed-Fri 12/18-20; half days on Thu/Fri; no early exams given (M/T are 7-period days)
  
- III. Student Council Updates - Thompson and Students
  - Thompson: food fight with Salpointe and Tucson High (CFHS won!), altogether thousands of pounds of food were collected and donated to the Community Food Bank
  - Kyle: students attending events (theatre, steel drums, etc.) trying to raise awareness for school events
  - Kyle: outside of school, their goal is to complete at least 8 or more community service hours each (over 300 hours total for studco students) - helping all over Tucson
  - Kyle: Winter Formal theme is Frozen for the assembly, and the dance is Jan 18
  - Ellen: Spirit Week - each day is a different theme
  - Kyle: two weeks for ticket sales when we return from winter break
  - Kyle: state convention at Tucson High, 12 delegates from CFHS go

- Isai: state - fundraisers for Special Olympics; Gary: charity for the next two years is Special Olympics - powder puff game, etc, and goal is to donate 3K
- Thompson: early prom, and winter formal are quite close together but moved winter formal up, to space the dances out more
- Thompson: holiday party for special needs students - played Bingo
- Pinto: possibly consider PAC for volunteer hours
- Lambert: commends students for their service to the community

#### IV. FFO Updates - Ponzo

- Ponzo - also commends them for raising awareness - steel drums for example
- Ticket sales going on for grad night - trying not to put the cost on the students, so really trying to push the sales in order to break even
- Staff appreciation - monthly lunches, December breakfast and gift cards
- Looking for positions on the executive board - some positions timing out, and some parents' kids graduating
- Pastorious: grad night banner is up now
- Ponzo: thanks for JTED presentation at last FFO
- Wilson: the TV monitors in each building can advertise events for FFO

#### V. Counseling Updates - Larson

- All fall ECAP lessons complete, grades 9-12
- All Counseling Google Classrooms complete with students/parents invited
- HOBY summer leadership program - 7 CFHS sophomores selected/attending
- FAFSA Night - Monday, Dec. 2
- PimaJTED Field Trip to PCC Downtown and Aviation Tech campuses - Jan 31 - 50 students able to go
- Boys Group - last meeting this week, plans for more groups 2nd semester
- College applications - due dates through January, but most seniors have finished at least one application - able to pull data from MaiaLearning and call out seniors with no applications
- Falcon Fly-Ins from OGMS and ECMS dates set for Jan/Feb
- Shadow days being set up for potential 8th-grade students to visit the campus (5 dates)
- Counselors also attended middle schools outside of our district, to recruit (Lehman academies, La Paloma, St. Josephs, etc.)
- Working on course selection dates and course selection forms
- Setting up spring ECAP dates/schedules/lessons
- Falcon Connections Day - inviting guest speakers (college/career)

#### VI. Spotlight topic - CTE/JTED - Burson/Larson

- Burson: external funding from JTED, and we are looking for advice/suggestions on how we can market our 10 programs/pathways
- Question: what do you know about CTE/JTED? Where did you get that information? Where did you hear about it? What would you like to know?

- When Burson began at CFHS, we had only 7 programs, and had very few participating in off-site programs - now we have 1500 students in CTE programs
- How can we reach all students? How can we do better?
- Graphic Design students are creating posters, fliers and videos to help market/advertise, and inform students about CTE options

VII. Discussion of future spotlight topics for Site Council Meetings - Lambert

- Three more meetings, and we will focus on at least three of the topics listed below:
  1. Campus Mentoring Programs - Link Crew, 12th grade peer mentors, NHS Tutoring
  2. Math Intervention Program
  3. Digital Citizenship Program - describe lessons
  4. College and Career Counseling Program
  5. Math dept shift in instructional model
  6. Cognia results

VIII. Adjourn: Lambert 8:45 A.M.

Future meeting dates:

Monday, January 27, 7:45am-8:45am

Monday, March 3, 7:45am-8:45am

Monday, April 21, 7:45am-8:45am