CSHS School Advisory Council Meeting

February 10th, 2021

Member Attendees: Jodi Lesko, Joy Smith, Kim Jones, Darren Pais (virtual), Narelle Prew.

Administration Attendees: Blake Fry, Kristy Munafo, Ana Alvaro

Next meeting: Wednesday, March 10th, 2021 @ 6pm, CSHS Media Center

Chair Jodi Lesko called meeting to order at 6:01pm.

1/13/21 Minutes

1/13/21 Meeting Minutes were approved - first by Kim Jones.

Principal Report

COVID 19 Update

20 seniors are attending 5 days p/week in the Media Center or Lab, not in classroom - "holding pattern" before bringing more students on campus full-time. After-school tutoring has been approved. Progress Reports are available. A couple of new cases for CSHS were posted on the District's COVID 19 Dashboard. Significant exposure is impacting teacher and student attendance, hence no huge move to bring students back for 5 days p/week. Theresa Axford is doing everything at her end to obtain vaccinations for the District – still only available for 65+. Michigan teachers and first responders are fully vaccinated – unsure when that will happen in Monroe County.

Curriculum Night - 2/17/21

Principal Blake Fry reiterated it will not be traditional; adhering to groups of 50 or less, the format is virtual, which can be viewed over and over. Headteachers for each core department will present Powerpoints/videos. Students will sit with guidance counselors throughout March.

Principal Blake Fry met with Superintendent Theresa Axford last Friday to review the budget, which looks good. Cosmetology is not a huge expense; \$100K-\$200K endeavor. Referencing last night's MCSB meeting, there is a good chance Cosmetology will be funded. Once the Community College of the Florida Keys leaves CSHS, possibly in May, plans for space can go ahead.

Other

- 1. Curriculum Guide: Data is being reviewed for core areas teachers have until Friday to post subjects in the curriculum. Assistant Principal Kristy Munafo reported teachers and students are still being added e.g. European History was dropped for 2020/2021 because the teacher's schedule was full CSHS has a teacher for it for 2021/2022. Similarly, Science Earth and Space was integrated out. New subjects added include Guitar, French, Gymnastics and Cosmetology. AP Physics is back in because the District feels it is important. Anthropology and Sociology is out. Honors Art will become Pre AP Art, with Honors credit. Pre AP classes are designed for all; problem solving/critical thinking. Pre AP classes added for 2021/2022 include Geometry, Chemistry, English II and History (World History credit).
 - Counselors are completing their presentations. Live presentations will be given in Middle Schools. CSHS students will only enter their elective choices in Focus, then counselors will review. The virtual Curriculum Night is more detailed and informative Principal Blake Fry suggested it may be worth keeping the concept in the future, along with face-to-face. Overrides in the middle of the year are unique 1 in 2020/2021.
- 2. 3/30/21: ACT 13 seniors need it for Graduation; better than last year (26). Some seniors may need to portfolio. FSA/SAT exams are provided at school. Senior students who do not pass can still walk across the stage, and can come back to CSHS anytime; opportunity does not go away.
- 3. 4/13/21: SAT B Day juniors, selective seniors.
- 4. 4/27/21: SAT A Day juniors, any seniors within 30 points of making Bright Futures scholarships; if student drops below 35, only the lower amount will be awarded.

- 5. Graduation: The stage has been ordered will cover the end zone of the football field; Marathon High School is drawing circles for 6ft. social distancing.
- 6. Grad Bash and Prom are remaining on the calendar. Potential Prom location is Bakers Cay, with a 500-person capacity Ballroom. Superintendent Theresa Axford is hoping to have seniors back on campus for the final 2 weeks of school.
- 7. Regarding seniors painting parking spaces Leadership is not interested trying to think outside the box.
- 8. 4/13/21: Seniors Emma Kost and Ali Woltanski will be announced as National Merit Scholar finalists (top 1%).
- 9. 11th Grader Gage Cooper is Monroe County's Sunshine Scholar.
- 10. Significant intervention for Grades 9-10; not seeing huge gaps.
- 11. Wednesday, March 11^{th,} 2021 SAC meeting confirmed for next month.

Meeting adjourned at 6:38pntion