

School Site Leadership Team Minutes

3.14.12

Arcadia High School

Conference Room 1, Administration Building

Chairperson: Terri Darr tdarr@ausd.net

Timekeeper: Niroo Dev

Members Present: Terri Darr, Kathy Yamane, Joan Stevens, Michael Feraco-Eberle, Jon Kwok, Niroo Dev, Julianne Curr, Jennifer Oku, Winnie Chin, John Davis, John Tung, Oliver Beckwith

Minutes from February and recent staff meeting were distributed via email, corrections by Terri Darr, posted by Jonathan Kwok on webpage

Meeting called to order: 3:07p.m.

Feedback on Staff Meeting-Positive feedback from John about the Staff meeting, just enough excitement, Question from Julianne about Makeup of Panel, addressed by Terri, there were was conflicts about panel development history in that there were questions about administration-David asked if he should be there, but there was feedback saying there would be more questions if he wasn't there and compliments to Terri about the Transparency of the entire process.

Perhaps we should have another BROWN Bag Brainstorm #2 meeting INFORMAL with just the staff-SCHEDULED FOR Wednesday, 3.21.12, Room C1 at lunch. More than 5 staff members have asked for this meeting. Terri, Kathy, Oliver or Michael will be there.

But please note: We have the Wooden Box for the questions, email SSLT, do the anonymous survey, etc. Please when Terri sends out surveys, questions about the Principal Search, please, please respond asp.

Meeting at lunch with Dr. Klatt next Thursday 3.16.12 with the Application Screening committee, to get **instructions** from Dr. Klatt.

WASC Action Plan Implementation Update: by Joan Stevens

Initial inquiries were not able to identify any high performance high schools utilizing an "advisory or homeroom period ". Still have not met with John

- Terri Darr will follow-up with John Davis this afternoon about scheduling time to work on the task implementation items for the action plan. (Perhaps John and Joan and Terry will reformulate the WASC goals, plans. WASC goals will be attached to these minutes

AVID Program Update-counselors/ teachers who have had experience with the program have positive feedback. AVID focuses on the "middle performance" students. (Support the two year college students to go to 4 year instead) teach study habits, AVID says classification GPA 2.0-3.5 or 2.5-3.0 (GPA preferred by counselors), possibly would be in cooperation with curriculum-English, taking notes, study habits,

highly organizational skills. Projected to be a 4 year life lesson goal, especially those who come from out of the district, who don't do things "the Arcadia Way". This would be addressing WASC goals 1 and 3.

Training is supposed to use College Students, we wouldn't be paying College students. We would want to start with Students from middle schools. Still working on this program/process.

There is an AVID debriefing on Thursday, 3.15.12 with Catherine Merel. John suggested sharing with another school district. Monrovia already uses this AVID process, but it is now so ingrained in their curriculum, they don't pay for the instruction orientations

Update Student Integrity: by Joan Stevens: Continues to Host luncheons to discuss academic integrity once a month

Terri Darr adjourned meeting at 3:53p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Kathy Yamane

Secretary

Approval by Consensus and Correction: March 21, 2012