

White County High School Governing Council

Meeting Minutes Tuesday, March 12, 2024

I. Call to order

- A. The meeting was called to order by Mary Anne Collier at 3:37pm.
- B. Present:
 - 1. Marshall Anderson
 - 2. Mary Anne Collier
 - 3. Michele Drane
 - 4. Jeb Kukurugya (guest)
 - 5. Amanda Lammers (guest)
 - 6. Renee Langston
 - 7. Dee Likens
 - 8. Hannah Lowendick
 - 9. Kim Wilkes

II. Approval of agenda

III. Guest

- A. Amanda Lammers Warrior Connection
 - 1. Located adjacent to the high school campus
 - 2. Exists to provide warm showers, food, clothing, and a place to wash clothes for ALL students and their families in need without a stigma.
 - 3. Eventually wants to provide cooking classes and mental health support.
 - 4. We concluded our meeting with a tour of the Warrior Connection facility.

IV. Counselor's Report - Mr. Kukurugya

- A. Local and regional scholarship update
 - 1. 438 applications were turned in this year
 - 2. Summer School
 - a) located at WCMS this year due to summer construction at WCHS.
 - 3. Meetings with WA once a month
 - 4. Seniors
 - a) Planning graduation
 - b) Senior picnic
 - 5. Sophomore meetings are almost done.
 - 6. Probe Fair '24
 - a) October 7
 - b) Afternoon session

V. Principal's Report

- A. SY24-25 Open Positions
 - 1. Girls and boys basketball
 - 2. Boys soccer
 - 3. Sped Teacher
 - 4. Sped Para
 - 5. Sped Para self contained
 - 6. Healthcare
 - 7. Math
- B. PAC & Renovations
 - 1. Rigging is here!
 - a) 6 week install
 - b) Move out date is scheduled for April 29
 - 2. Summer Construction
 - a) Media Center and Weight Room moving to the front of the building (where the existing theater and band room are located).
 - b) Current Media Center will become two classrooms, nurses office, PLT room
- C. BOE Presentation March

VI. Old Business

A. Charter Training Videos - No updated videos as of now

VII. New Business and Action Items

- A. Fundraisers ALL APPROVED
 - 1. Special Needs Talent Show (approved on 2/29/24)
 - 2. Chili Cookoff Sunshine (March 14)
 - 3. Kiss a Senior Goodbye FBLA (April 10-24)
 - 4. Pine Straw Sale Boys Basketball (April 1 June 1)
 - 5. Putt Putt Tournament Wrestling
- B. Field Trips ALL APPROVED
 - 1. Kathy London Select CTAE Seniors 2024 Tool Expo at Chicopee Woods Agricultural Center (approved on 2/29/24)
 - Environmental Science World of Energy at Oconee Nuclear Station (Seneca, SC) (approved on 2/29/24)
 - 3. Spanish Classes: El Campesino March 22
 - 4. Science Olympiad State Tournament March 30
 - 5. Envirothon Team: Regional Workshop March 27
 - 6. WTVN: Jr/Sr trip to Warner Brothers Studios TBD
 - 7. Mock Trial: LEB & SS Class May 3
 - 8. Senior Grad Walk: Wednesday, May 22 @ 8AM (prior to graduation practice)

VIII. Dates to remember

- A. Spring Break 4/1-4/5/2024
- B. Prom 4/13/2024 @ Lanier Tech
- C. Baccalaureate @ The Bridge 5/5/24
- D. Teacher Appreciation Week: 5/6/2024 5/10/2024
- E. Grades 9-11 Honors Night 5/9/2024
- F. Senior Picnic & Yearbook Day 5/13/2024
- G. Senior Honors Night 5/13/2024
- H. Seniors last full day 5/16/2024 (Final Exams 3rd & 4th blocks)

- I. Senior last day on campus (half day) 5/17/2024 (Final Exams 1st & 2nd blocks)
- J. Half Day 5/23/2024 (Final Exams for 1st & 2nd Blocks Grades 9-11)
- K. Half Day 5/24/2024 (Final Exams for 3rd & 4th Blocks Grades 9-11)
- L. Graduation @ 8pm 5/24/2024

IX. Adjourn

A. The meeting concluded at 4:18pm and then we finished up with a visit to the Warrior Connections building.