

FCHS SGT Agenda

February 21, 2018

4:15pm – 5:45pm

Media Center

- I. Call to Order** Principal Erik Cioffi called the meeting to order at 4:16. Members present: Christie Rose, Angela Jones, Mark Henson, Tim Nicholson, Deana Daugherty, Julie Arp and Jessie DeCosta. Members Absent: Cole Roberson. Non-voting Member present: Theresa Dillard; Guests present: community member Carl (last name not known).

a. Approve Agenda

Erik Cioffi

Motion to accept agenda made by Mark Henson and seconded by Christie Rose; no discussion; unanimously approved.

b. Minutes

Erik Cioffi

Motion to accept the minutes made by Julie Arp and seconded by Angela Jones; no discussion; unanimously approved.

c. Requests

Erik Cioffi

- i. School Facility Use Requests** -- Motion to approve multi-day requests made by Tim Nicholson and seconded by Deana Daugherty; discussion on the value of utilizing CTAE building for CNA classes in summer. Unanimously approved. The one day requests do not need SGT approval but are provided for informational purposes.

5/26/18	8 a.m. – 4 p.m	Healthcare Classroom/CTAE	Anne Soriero --CNA classes
6/11-15/18	8 a.m. – 4 p.m	Healthcare Classroom/CTAE	Anne Soriero --CNA classes
6/20- 22/18	8 a.m. – 4 p.m	Healthcare Classroom/CTAE	Anne Soriero --CNA classes
7/9-11/18	8 a.m. – 4 p.m	Healthcare Classroom/CTAE	Anne Soriero --CNA classes
3/15/18	6 – 8 p.m.	Cafeteria	Coach Pavao--Football Meeting
3/19/18	4 – 8 p.m	Cafeteria	Suzianne Pass-- Basketball Banquet
4/13/18	4 – 11 p.m.	Old Gym	Brandey Bengel--Independ Wrestling

- ii. School Field Trip Requests**—Motion to approve field trip requests made by Mark Henson and seconded by Julie Arp; discussion on senior trip field trip being on opening night of spring musical with seniors not being able to attend; admin thought spring musical had been moved to Thursday or two performances on Saturday so seniors could attend. Admin will investigate. No further discussion. Unanimously approved. The local field trips do not need SGT approval but are provided for informational purposes only.

2/9-10/18	White	Fort Valley State College	FFA Horse Judging
2/26/18	Geren	Dawson County HS	Literary Competition
3/1-3/18	Barnstead	Athens, GA	All-State Band
3/6/2018	Key	North Ga Tech College, Blairsville	Tour of Facilities
3/8/18	Barnstead	Dawson County HS	Concert Evaluation
3/8-10/18	Soriero	Marriott Marquis, Atl, GA	HOSA State Conf & Competition
3/13/18	Byers	UNG, Gainesville, GA	Reading Bowl Competition

3/13-14/18	J. Dyer	Ga Gwinnett College, Lawrenceville	FGE State Conf & Competition
3/14-17/18	Gibbs	Athens, GA	TSA State Conf & Competition
3/19-20/18	J. Dyer	Atlanta, GA	Jostens Yearbook Workshop
3/19/18	White	Pepperell HS, Lindale, GA	FFA Competition
3/22/18	Key	Berry College, Rome, GA	REACH students to tour facilities
3/22-24/18	T. Callihan	Ga Int Convention Cntr, Atl, Ga	SKILLS USA State Conf & Competition
3/23-25/18	Padgett	Hyatt Regency, Atl, GA	FBLA State Conf & Competition
3/27/18	White	Floyd County HS, Rome, GA	FFA Competition
4/6/18	White	Speedling Nursery, Blairsville, GA	Tour Facilities
4/10/18	White	Johns Mountain Farm, Armuchee, GA	FFA Competition
4/20/18	Lord	DollyWood, Pigeon Forge, TN	Senior Trip
4/26-28/18	Barnstead	Nashville & Chattanooga, TN	Concert Evaluation & Tour

LOCAL TRIPS

2/22/18	White	New Ag Facility, Blue Ridge	View facility and animals on property
2/26/18	Mathews	New Ag Facility, Blue Ridge	View facility and animals on property
2/28/18	Soriero	Fannin Regional Hospital	Tour facilities
3/2/18	J. Dyer	West Fannin Elem School	National Reading Day
3/6/18	J. Dyer	West Fannin Elem School	TAP Classroom Observations
3/13/18	White	Chattahoochee Fish Hatchery, Suches	Tour Facilities
3/16/18	Viccaro	Blue Ridge Mtn Arts Association	View Photography Exhibit
3/27/18	J. Dyer	West Fannin Elem School	TAP Classroom Observations
4/10/18	J. Dyer	West Fannin Elem School	TAP Classroom Observations
4/17/18	J. Dyer	West Fannin Elem School	TAP Classroom Observations
4/20/18	Owenby	Blue Ridge Elem School	ECE Classroom Observations

- iii. School Fundraiser Requests --Motion to approve fund raiser requests made by Julie Arp and seconded by Mark Henson. No discussion; unanimously approved.

Feb-Mar 2018	Padgett	FBLA	Pay \$1 to pop balloon for treat
Feb-Mar 2018	Padgett	FBLA	Dairy Queen Nights
March 2018	Padgett	FBLA	Dorm Supplies
Feb-Mar 2018	Owenby	FCCLA	Dairy Queen Nights
March 10, 2018	Stanley	Volleyball	Youth Volleyball Clinic (at Rec Center)
March 26 – April 13, 2018	White	FFA	Plant sale in FCHS Greenhouse
March 26- April 9, 2018	Davis	Track	FCHS apparel – North Ga. Sports Zone
April 7, 2018	Barnstead	Band	Mattresses, bed bases, pillows, etc.

II. School Safety

Darvin Couch

- a. Code Yellow --- Staff has Emergency Operations guide to follow; community member received a random text message that there would be a school shooting that day; she contacted 911; law enforcement tracked phone to Dayton, TN, area; not sure how a cell phone in this area received text; All schools entered into Code Yellow—which is heightened alert. This came at same time as a comment that was being investigated from a former student. All tied together --- class assemblies for 10th-12th grades held

today to discuss safety, procedures and for students to “say something if they see or hear something” as they are eyes and ears of school.

- b. School investigations—EOP (Emergency Operations procedures) are updated yearly; GMEA only requires this to be done every other year; teachers will have an updated training on Monday (Feb 26); all other staff members will be trained before or after school so ALL staff will be updated; then we will have “announced” lock down trainings for students.
- c. Safety Plans – FCHS has safety plans in place but will not announce the details to the public for obvious safety reasons. Principal Cioffi reminded and emphasized the fact that the safety of students and staff is our number one priority. He also emphasized we are fortunate to have a resource officer at every school in Fannin County.

III. **OCR Recommendations (Aug. 2017)** Erik Cioffi

The OCR review was last fall. Results were glowing with only a few recommendations. While we were doing the acts requested we did not have written policies and procedures in place. We now have these in writing which will now lend us to have documentation to prove in the future.

IV. **FCHS at a Glance** Erik Cioffi

Principal Cioffi gave an abbreviated version of the presentation he made at last month’s BOE meeting. The presentation presented factual information on school statistics and how the school operates along with the accomplishments and highlights of FCHS over the past years.

V. **PBIS update** Erik Cioffi

- a. Minutes from February -- FCHS is the only high school in the Pioneer RESA District to receive “Operational Status” in regard to PBIS. Now the team is aiming to become “distinguished.” The PBIS team has started an Award system to recognize the “Teacher of the Month” and the “Staff Member of the Month.” We continue to have our student attendance contest each month among grade levels with the winning grade receiving their reward usually during lunch time. If anyone has questions or concerns related to PBIS please ask and remember we are always looking for donations from the community for monthly prizes.

VI. **Honors Qualifications** Erik Cioffi

Motion to approve change of honors policy made by Mark Henson and Julie Arp. Discussion on how these changes were viewed previously by Leadership Team and Academic Instructional Team. No further discussion; unanimously approved.

- a. Staying in Honors
 - i. Current 80 in Math & 88 in other core subjects
 - ii. Changing to 84 in all subjects
 - 1. SGT approval – School policy
- b. Entering Honors
 - i. Currently 93 in all core subjects

ii. Changing to 90

VII. Curriculum Update

Theresa Dillard

- a. Newsela -- Information on Literacy Initiative and Newslea was given at last month's meeting. Currently Newslea being implemented weekly or monthly by all subjects.
- b. MAP Screener—Information on District initiative to implement MAP (universal screener for all schools). Currently Math and English students in grades 9 – 11 being screened. Teachers will hold professional learning sessions on utilizing Newslea and MAP data next Tuesday, February 27, during their planning block.
- c. Registration – FCHS implementing new method of registering students for upcoming school year. The focus is on utilizing technology more effectively which will allow teachers more time to advise students.

VIII. School News

Erik Cioffi

SPLOST Update--Salto Locking system being implemented with 25 more doors; surveillance cameras to be upgraded along with adding more cameras; main building entrance (which has been discussed for several years) will be renovated this summer to eliminate access and have parents/ visitors "buzzed in"; there is conversation occurring regarding the possible addition of officials in parking lot. The developing of the school calendar for 2018-19 is anticipated to begin soon. Deena will represent FCHS SGT and provide us with info after her first meeting. Principal Cioffi acknowledged and thanked our visitor for attending the meeting.

- IX. Adjourn --** Motion to adjourn at 5:22 made by Christie Rose and seconded by Julie Arp. No discussion; unanimously approved.