**Creekside High School**

SAC Minutes – December 10th, 2024

**Attendance**:

Amy Kennair

Barbara York

Denise Shedlock

Ethan Chen

Ferres Joshua

Ingrid Marrero

Jacoba De Boer

Johanna Karlsson

Jorge Mateo

Lynn Berstafka

Madeline Shedlock

Rachel Sandler

Susan Moore

Victor Hegeman

**Quorum: ( Yes or No )**

**Call to Order:**

A meeting of the **Creekside High School** Advisory Council was held in **Room 116 and virtually via TEAMS** on **Tuesday, December 10th, 2024**. **Amy Kennair** called the meeting to order at **8:04 am**. **Ingrid Marrero** will record the minutes of this meeting.

**Approval of Minutes:** Jacoba C. De Boer & Denise Shedlock

**Budget Review:**

* School Advisory Council (SAC) Account Balance: **$44,715.29**
* School Recognition Funds (SRF) Balance: **$33,049.98**

**Old Business:**

* Approval of November Meeting Minutes

**New Business:**

* **FFEA Conference Highlights:**
	+ Over 130 students from 11 schools participated, including 13 Creekside students.
	+ Karina Castillo placed first in the school service project, designing an inclusive playground for Freedom Crossing Academy and winning a $2,000 scholarship for attending UNF College of Education next year.
	+ Grace Maxim placed second in public speaking.
	+ Lisa Circo placed third in the job interview resume.
	+ The ethical dilemma team placed second place.
	+ Creekside FFEA Chapter created a playlist, designed conference badges, donated pins, and helped with tasks during the event.
* **Spirit Week Themes:**
	+ Monday (Holiday Movie Day), Tuesday (Holidays Around the World), Wednesday (Mean One Day), Thursday (Reindeer Games), and Friday (Ugly Sweater Day).
* **Registration Process, Creekside High School Registrar, Jessica Sundstrom:**
	+ Go over the PowerPoint for rising juniors, covering graduation requirements, AP courses, dual enrollment, and the registration process.
	+ Graduation requirements, including the new half-credit financial literacy requirement for current sophomores and younger students.
	+ Information on ground grade forgiveness, AP courses, and dual enrollment options, both online and brick-and-mortar.
	+ First Coast Technical College dual enrollment is mentioned, highlighting its career-based nature and the process for applying for the summer and fall 2025 term.
	+ Registration process, including the recommendation phase where teachers recommend courses based on students' current performance.
	+ Students will receive a course request sheet and an elective worksheet to rank their preferences.
	+ The importance of submitting changes before summer break is emphasized, and students are reminded to bring necessary documents to their registration appointments.
	+ Details about the financial literacy class for rising juniors on the AP track are being finalized, final decisions have not been made but there is an online option, and the possibility of meeting requirements through different routes is being discussed.
* **School Counseling Presentations**:
	+ Was held for 10th graders, covering topics like Zello community service, grade importance, and registration preparation.
	+ An email was sent to parents of 10th graders, and a similar presentation is scheduled for 9th graders.

**Reports**: **N/A**

**Open Agenda: Upcoming Events**

* December 10th - Winter Concert for Band in Auditorium @ 7:00
* December 11th - Academy Showcase at WGV @ 3:30
* December 12th - Winter Concert for Jazz Band-Duke Ellington, “The Nutcracker Suite” In Auditorium @ 7:00
* December 16th - Give Back Night at CFA Mandarin & S. Mandarin 6-8 For Best Buddies
* December 18th - PTSO Sponsored Holiday Breakfast
* December 19th - Winter One Acts The Nutcracker And The Wizard Of Oz In Auditorium @ 6:30
* December 20th - ASL Caroling & 2nd Quarter/1st Semester Ends
* December 21st – January 2nd Winter Break

**Next Meeting Date & Time:** January 14th, 2025, 8:00 am in Room 116 and virtually via TEAMS.

**Meeting Adjournment:**

Motion: **Ammy Kennair** motioned to adjourn the meeting at 8:21 am. Motion carried unanimously.

Submitted by,

Ingrid Marrero,

SAC Co-Chair

December 12th, 2024