



# California High School

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## Minutes for School Site Council Meeting

**Date: Wednesday, February 14, 2024**

**Time: 3:20 – 5:00**

**Location: CHS Library**

**In Attendance:** Andira Fara-Desouky, Rosanne Fissore, Shannon Banta, Billy Piggott, Sonia Hamlani, Ethan Surya, Shirley Darroch, Brian Hampton, Vinita Battu, Demetrius Ball, Donna Montague

1. Call to Order
  - The February 14, 2024 School Site meeting was called to order at 3:25.
2. Approval of SSC Minutes of [January 10, 2024](#)
  - The minutes of the January 10, 2024 School Site Council meeting were approved (Banta/Piggott 11/0/0).
3. Science Alliance - Shirley Darroch, Sarah Aberra, and Akshay Madivanan
  - Science Alliance is a club that partners up fifth graders with high school students
  - These students work together to make science fair projects at an annual district-wide science fair
  - Six meetings throughout October-March to work on science fair projects
  - Goal is to make science not only educational, but also fun
  - Mentors are students who are passionate about spreading their knowledge and passion for science
  - Goals of community engagement, teamwork, and a passion for science
4. Financial Report
  - Funding source for campus monitor position will change next year
  - \$32,058 total spent since 12/28/23
  - Site teacher hourly - \$2.5k
  - General supplies - \$1k
  - Site non capital equipment \$13k
  - Site conference - \$625
  - Site other professional services - \$11.5k
  - Admin - \$2k
  - Departments \$2k
5. Staff Development Requests
  - No requests this month
6. Site Improvement Goals

- Goal #1: By December of 2023, increase ELA proficiency to meet or exceed standard on the CAASPP score by 5%.
- Goal #2: By December of 2024 we will increase school connectedness on SWEB from 66.9% to 70% by implementing deep learning/innovation of strategic directions.
- Goal #3: Increase the percentage of students prepared via College and Career Indicators (CCI) by 10% in the following subgroups by Dec. of 2024: Students with Disabilities, Hispanic, Socioeconomically Disadvantaged
- Increase in attendance by 10% compared to previous year.
- Collaboration and inclusivity goals for this year

## 7. Principal's Report

- a. New Courses (Peer Counseling, Korean, AVID 9)
  - Presentations for classes for next year
  - Course sign up counselor talks in classrooms
  - Course sign-up window is March 1- 8
  - Open house for incoming freshman is coming up soon
- b. Staff Development
  - Staff will have professional development at MVHS and DVH Son Tuesday, February 20
  - There will be teachers presenting
- c. Faith Alpher Assembly
  - This year's assembly will address previous issues at CHS such as the graffiti during Homecoming.
  - Will also be addressing some stress on campus that is present on campus with the Palestine/Israel conflict.

## 8. Student Reports

- Ethan Surya: Tobacco Use Prevention Education presentations in Health classes
- Billy Piggott: Mock Trial competed in the County finals, Fiber Arts club recently stocked up new supplies and materials.
- Jae Smith : All-state for choir, play production festival, and singing Valentines.
- Sonia Hamlani: iQuest out-reach for new students, Interact Savers drive every Sunday in February at Athan Downs from 11AM-2PM.

## 9. Other

- Academic Boosters can sponsor various student activities including fundraisers and club activities.

## 10. Public Comment

## 11. Adjourn

- The February 14, 2024 Site Council meeting was adjourned at 4:34.

Next meeting: Wednesday, March 13, 2024

SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL MEETING DATES AND TIMES 2023-2024

Time: 3:20– 5:00

CHS Library  
2nd Wednesday of Each Month

Wednesday, April 10  
Wednesday, May 8