

Hamden High School

School Governance Council

Meeting Date: Monday, December 10, 2018

Attended Members: Sherlet Kurian, Christy Palumbo, Judith Goldberg, Chris Daur, Jasmina Besirevic-Regan, Erica Tamsin, Kim Bielen, Frank Dixon, Amita Singla, Corrine Castro, Liz Marini, Ann Stiltner, Alice Stoeffler, Chris Thomas, Erica Tamsin, Judy Goldberg, Nadine Gannon, Darce DeCosta, Ava Purdue, Tony Naguib

Agenda for Tonight's Meeting

Housekeeping

Meeting Minutes taken by: Kim Bielen
Next Meeting: January 14, 2018

Goal wishes

Educational/Support/ Budget Review Safety Etc./School Promotion

Minutes

6:00pm October 2018 minutes approved.

6:10pm Brief review of November 2018 informal committee meeting discussing goals.

- Committee meetings will be 90 minutes in duration
- Selection of long term /short term goals/projects
- NEASC will be reviewed at 11/19/18 meeting

6:20pm Chair Kurian discussed conversation with Judy Carson (Dept. of Education, state of Connecticut) reviewing statute of school governance council and resources available

6:40pm Goal wishes for 2018-2019 need to be narrowed down and a plan in place to continue if not met this year.

6:45pm Principal Gannon discussed the NEASC 2yr progress report results and presentation to board in January 2019.

7:05pm Discussion on improving communication between students, school counselors, social workers, teachers and admin staff. The success of the 9th grade set up of weekly team meetings with staff on students' progress. The positive results with 9th grade students transition to the high school b/c of these regular meetings and discussions. How can this be acquired for upper classmen?

7:15pm Follow up discussion on H-Vac system in wings A and D. The progress of Synergistic conserving energy at HHS.

7:20pm Principal Gannon followed up on progress of school cleanliness and operating procedures to ensure progress

7:30pm Future goals of committee:

- Parent orientation suggestions
- Suggested to invite HHS school counseling to governance meeting for discussion on issues
- Suggested to invite BOE to HHS governance council meeting to discuss HHS building issues
- Student truancy plan discussed

7: 40pm

Meeting Adjourned



