

**Mountain Vista High School
School Advisory Council Meeting Minutes**

Thursday, September 2, 2010
MVHS Library Conference Room

X	Cravens, Dixon	N	Hurlburt, Lynne	X	Nodland, Kathy
X	DeShetler, Paula	X	Jhaveri, Shivani	X	Thomas, Rich
X	Froechtenigt, Margi	X	Johnson, Steve	X	White, Dana
X	Heck, Scott	X	Mires, Whitney	N	Zynda-Otsuki, Priscilla
X	Hargett, Jake	N	Morris, Vicky		
X	Hitchingham, Michael	X	Mustin, Carolyn		

X indicates attendance

N indicates pre-notification of absence

Review of Norms – Rich Thomas

- Begin and end on time
- Share the air
- Work with stated agenda items
- Be cautious about bringing personal agenda items to the meeting. (Have methods for “taking things offline” through sub-committees or by assigning an offline discussion with the appropriate person)
- Use an issue bin. (Document items on yellow stickies to be put into the issue bin for future discussion)

SAC Election Results – Rich Thomas

- Dixon Cravens appointed new voting member for SAC 2010/2011. 180 people voted online this year, which was excellent.

Election of SAC Officers – Carolyn Mustin

- Election of SAC officers approved: Carolyn Mustin as Chairperson; Margi Froechtenigt as Vice Chair; Scott Heck and Dana White as Co-Recorders and Vicky Morris as DAC Representative.

SAC E-Training – Steve Johnson

- We all viewed the SAC E-Training videos. A few key points:
 - State legislatures mandated SAC’s in 1971, and created them in 1988
 - State standards were implemented in 1993-House Bill 1313

- Colorado Growth Model started in 2006

For further information and to view these videos, visit the website @ <http://online.dcsdk12.org/moodle/course/view.php?id=3662>

Review and Approval of Revised SAC Bylaws – Carolyn Mustin

- The biggest change to the SAC Bylaws is the name; now called ***School Accountability Committee***.
- Carolyn Mustin will sign the bylaws.

Celebrations – Steve Johnson

- New teacher SAC representatives this year
 - Michael Hitchingham - Algebra II, College Algebra, Trigonometry/Pre Calculus
 - Whitney Mires - Spanish
- Many Vista students had perfect ACT subscores and/or composite scores!
- New this year and added to the announcements each morning is a *Quote of the Day*

Update on UIP/SIP and Budget – Steve Johnson

- Mandate approach to improvement process for struggling schools.
- Vista is on a performance plan – all is good!
 - Academic achievement has exceeded state standards @ 87.5%
 - Academic growth is at 75% - we need to focus on this area
 - Academic growth gaps are at 61.7%
 - Post-secondary and workforce readiness – 100%
 - Weighted total – 83.7%
- UIP is not yet available
- In the future, student growth will encompass a higher percentage of teacher success, as well as how they are compensated financially.
- Vista is rolling over \$80,000 from last year – will go back to the departments
- Current enrollment is 2060 students. Class sizes have increased.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 a.m. Respectfully submitted by Dana White

Future Meetings:

MVHS SAC: October 7, 2010 @ 7:00 a.m. - Library Conference Room

District Advisory Council Meeting: September 14, 2010, 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM - Wilcox Building - **This meeting was postponed.** Next DAC meeting is October 12, 2010, 6:30-8:30pm - Wilcox Building in Castle Rock.

DAC Regional Forum: October 26, 2010, 6:30 PM to 8:30 PM - Cresthill Middle School