

ALPINE ISD SHAC MINUTES – April 6, 2022

The meeting was called to order at approximately 5:30 p.m. in the AMS Library. Those in attendance were:

Gayla Owen – AISD Nurse	Andrea Sanchez – AMS Staff	Lynn Crim – AMS Staff	Judith
Pardo – AMS Principal	Allison Vidal – Parent	Leticia Hall – AMS Staff	
Jessica Sierra – AMS Staff	Angie Ruiz – Parent		

Ms. Owen welcomed and thanked those present for attending the meeting. Minutes from the meeting on February 22, 2022 minutes were approved.

Old Business

Recruiting New Members: Group discussed recruiting members and electing officers for 2022-2023 school year. Ms. Owen discussed recruiting new members in efforts to build the group and have a successful committee. She went over the rules for election and the procedure for electing officers. Ms. Owen stated that the principals would be recruiting stakeholders for the 2022-2023 year as well.

Members felt like it was best to elect officers at the first of the next school year, being that it was late in the year and there were no officers this year being that the committee was started late in the year.

Officers for 2022-2023 school year: As above, the committee all agreed that it was best to elect officers at the first of the next school year, being that it was late in the year and there were no officers this year being that the committee was started late in the year.

Spring Festival: I informed the committee that the recycling booth for the Spring Festival was a huge success. Mrs. Pardo, AMS Principal stated that she would really like to start recycling at the AMS for the 2022-2023 school year. The committee agreed and stated we would look at this for the upcoming year. Andrea Sanchez stated she will continue to look into getting receptacles for AMS and possibly the high school.

New Business

Wellness Policy Assessment Tool - Ms. Owen informed the committee that the Wellness Policy Assessment Tool was done for all three campuses and sent to Region 18 for approval. It would then be posted on the school's website, under the school nurse tab under SHAC. The committee was also informed that it would also be uploaded to the Texas Department of Agriculture. Ms Owen informed the committee that this would be reviewed by the committee in the years to come prior to submission to Region 18. A copy of an example was shared with the committee to review. The committee was informed that this would be due every three years with the next one being due 2025.

Ms. Owen discussed with the committee House Bill 1525 and stated that the committee would review the health curriculum, would vote on one and submit to the Board before the May Board meeting. Ms. Owen informed the committee that House Bill 1525 addresses sex education, opt-in to sex education. Ms. Owen explained that the school had used the opt-out to sex education years prior and that the changes would be made so that the school would get written permission from each student's parent to

give permission to attend sex education presentation. Ms. Owen also informed the committee that in the past a remind was also send to all parents to inform them of the upcoming class. Mrs. Pardo stated that it would probably be a good idea to continue with this procedure. The topic was tabled and will be discussed further at the next meeting in May.

Ms. Owen invited discussion on community activities. She informed all that a health fair that had been canceled in January was rescheduled for June. Mrs. Pardo voiced interest in starting a recycling program the middle school. Ms. Owen stated that some of the teachers in the high school were interested as well. Andrea Sanchez stated that she would call TDS again and see if they would be willing to donate the recycling bins. Mrs. Ruiz stated that she had been part of a mileage club and it was very successful. Mrs. Pardo stated that this would be a great activity for the students and community. Mrs. Pardo stated that TDHS had donated podometers to the school at one time and wondered if they might be able to donate those again.

Ms. Owen stated that a remind would be sent out for the next SHAC meeting inviting parents and requested that administration/committee members think of people that might be interested in joining the committee.

The next SHAC meeting was scheduled for May 4, 2022 at 5:00 p.m. at the AMS Library.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 6:00 p.m.