



# MIRA MESA HIGH SCHOOL

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## Minutes from Site Governance Team Meeting January 14, 2020

Call to Order – J. Christensen @ 2:35 pm

In Attendance: B. Shortill, C. Hight, A. Reiss-Malone, H. Santiago Hilley, S. Spear-Barrett, J. Christensen, L. Murray, M. Maheu, J. Schmidt, T. Suarez, J. Earnest, J. Sabins, J. Sabeh

Old Business:

- Approval of Nov. minutes – **Motioned** by T. Suarez, seconded by J. Schmidt – All members present were in favor, none opposed

New Business:

- Parking Lots
  - Staff spots will be repainted by Custodial, not waiting for District due to immediate need
  - Visitor spots will be repainted by District when they pull work order ticket
- Phone/Electronics Policy
  - General cell phone policy usage for students is before/after school and lunch
  - Classroom use left up to individual teachers as some students use their phones to complete work in classroom
  - Teachers who need extra support can see Admin
- Late Start Update
  - Next year continuing with current schedule of periods 1-6, with zero period as approved for certain classes
  - No block schedule as no funds for additional cost of this type of schedule
  - 1/29 – SBB (Site Based Budget) allocations info will be given
    - MMHS now has 44% free & reduced meals – Means increase in funding
    - Title 1 supplemental funds should be more than in the past due to great push by staff to get families to complete meal applications
    - Hoping to have PD \$ for next year
  - 1/15/20 – Late start time to be announced
    - Start time will be somewhere between 8:35 am to 9:30 am
    - An all staff email and parent email will be sent out announcing our new early start time by tomorrow
    - CSA's will most likely be used to supervise students starting at 6 am
    - Plan is to open campus at 6am for staff



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- 0 period non for singleton courses, but PE is ok. All will need to be approved by Area Supervisor
  - Middle schools will have new starts times beginning next year
  - Athletic league schedules still the same – CIF not changing any start times right now as not all Districts changing start times next year. Games after 5:30 pm need Admin supervision. Need lights on longer to account for any later start games. Athletics still questionable before school. Equity issue for lighting softball and baseball fields for all schools. Could have to pull students out as early as 5<sup>th</sup> period for games with late start.
- Considering shortening instructional minutes, passing periods, eliminating short days
- Lunch may be moved to after 3<sup>rd</sup> period, but would have to move master schedule around and M5 to 3<sup>rd</sup> period
- Can appeal start time if we get the 9:30 am start time, but anticipate a start time of 8:35am as busing is not an issue for us
- Dress Code Update
  - ILT rewrote code – J. Sabins will email new verbiage, it will be on school website, and in Mask
  - Suggestions to have Admin go on M5 to discuss new dress code
- Vaping
  - District suing JUUL
  - Studies show 75% of high school students have vaped either on or off campus
  - Students on our campus are selling vaping items
  - Dealing with vaping issues on campus everyday – CSA's are checking restroom more often
  - Suspensions for 3 days for vaping THC plus per CIF rules any athlete will be suspended from playing their sport for 15 school days
  - Or
  - Can attend the 90 day McAllister Program, but still will be suspended from their CIF sport for 15 school days
  - Non-THC vaping consequence - parent called and ISS only
  - Discussion of lack of knowledge of the danger of vaping by students and parents – additional educational programs might be considered
  - Concerned with the difference in consequences between vaping tobacco vs. vaping THC.
  - McAllister program will not touch general vaping issue, only when it involves THC. They are funded through Title I and grants.



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- School police will not write tickets
- Considering special vaping smoke alarms in bathrooms
- Suggested more parental communication about the vaping issue, more staff education regarding the issue, stricter consequences
- **Motioned** made by M. Maheu with second by J. Earnest to punish vaping no matter what is vaped with a continuum of consequences, and to communicate this to parents. All in attendance in favor of motion, none opposed.
- Roundtable:
  - J. Sabins
    - Ethnic Studies – Mandatory for full year course for freshman starting next year, with passing grade of C or better (looking to change this to D or better)
      - Working on what class it will replace – possibly English 1,2, looking to find a way not impact advance/AP classes
    - What about Transfer students – Possibly Edgenuity or College classes
  - C. Hight
    - Late start may lead to increase in transfer to charter school
    - Kids going back to home school because of transportation issues
    - Suggestion of promoting our school through advertising, Instagram, update our info sheet
    - TOMM on 3/21 – spread the word, taking donations
  - J. Sabeh
    - EL reclassification issues

Next SGT Meeting – Tuesday, February 11, 2020 in the Media Center at 2:30 pm (Joint meeting with SSC)