

# GOALS ACADEMY SCHOOL SITE COUNCIL

## Regular Meeting

Friday, November 2, 2018, 7:45 a.m.

412 W. Carl Karcher Way

Anaheim, CA 92801

### Minutes

- I. Call to Order – 7:48 a.m.
  - A. Introduction and Roll Call  
Parents: Maria Hernandez, Yvette LaValle, Jennifer Magaña Mayra Velazquez, Shalena Harris (Alternate)  
Staff: Marina Cancino-McWilliams, Adam Chiles, Michele Rowell, Debbie Schroeder
  - B. Adoption of Agenda Motion: Chiles/ Second: Rowell/ Vote: 8/8
  - C. Correct/Approve Minutes of 10/12/18 Regular Meeting  
Minutes stood approved, with the exception of an incorrect last name of Mayra Velazquez
- II. Public Speakers on Agenda Items  
The School Site Council of the GOALS Academy wishes to hear input from the community regarding the items on the Regular Meeting Agenda. Speaker Forms are available at the meeting and must be completed and submitted prior to the beginning of the meeting. Each speaker is limited to three minutes to permit multiple speakers the opportunity to address the School Site Council. The total time for each agenda item is 15 minutes. And, individual speakers may not cede their time to another speaker.  
  
None

- III. Updates from Director of GOALS Academy, Debra Schroeder
- A. Parent/Teacher Conferences – Effectiveness of Teacher Outreach for Scheduling  
The parents were asked to share the effectiveness of the scheduling of Parent/Teacher Conferences. Forms of contact included text messages, e-mails, phone calls, note in homework folders, and face-to-face contacts. Parents seemed satisfied with how conferences were scheduled for the first trimester.
- B. Teacher/School Webpages – What Is Needed?  
The primary forms of information on the teacher webpages include events, field trips, reminders, curriculum being taught, and homework assignments. Not all parents are viewing the webpage as the means for obtaining information, and teachers will be encouraged to share the webpage resources during Parent/Teacher Conferences.
- C. Public Information Act  
At the request of the SSC Chairperson, regulations related to the Public Information Act were shared. Areas of interest for the parents included the building's lease and the structure of the Governance Committee.
- IV. Updates from Members
- A. Report of Governance Committee Meeting – Maria Figueroa  
Maria shared what occurred at the Governance Committee on Monday, October 29, 2018. She focused on her request of the Governance Committee to fill the current vacancies with parent representatives.
- V. Action Calendar: None required
- VI. Council Discussion: Parent representatives shared various ideas to support other parents. Ideas included:
- Consistent translation support for Spanish-speaking parents
  - Parent Workshops to familiarize others with U.S. school system, including the pathway to college and financial aid
  - Possibility of offering parent English/literacy classes at GOALS Academy
  - Mobile pantry from 2<sup>nd</sup> Harvest
  - Free Legal Support in Santa Ana
- VII. Future Agenda Plans: Report back on parent ideas
- VIII. Adjournment: 9:50 a.m.

Next Regular Meeting on Friday, December 7, 2018, at 7:45 a.m.