



Ch'ooshgai Community School
Board of Education, Inc.

Committee–2024-25

Parent Connections Committee

Date: 07/29/2024	Time: 9:45am – 11:45am	Location: CCS GYM
Group: Parent Connection Committee Meeting #1		

Team Goal(s) / Focus for the meeting: What can we do to bring in more parents
Data Used: Parent Involvement Survey SY 22-23 PAC Attendance Break down SY 21-24. Touched base on the Mckinney Vento Grant (Iina hozho).

Staff in Attendance		
Geremiah C. Begay (chair)	Marlene Becenti	
Gwendolene Begay (co-secretary)		
John Stewart		
Brianna Bitsie		

Meeting Notes		
Topic	Discussion Points	Decisions Made
PAC Participation Break Down SY 21- 24	<p>Provided a break down in PAC Meeting Participation. How many of each person was there such as...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Parents - Staff - In-person - Virtual <p>How many times a meeting was canceled and why the meeting was canceled. Other factors that play into low attendance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Basket-ball season - Weather - Day-light saving time - Graduation - Other sporting events - Parents not wanting to come <p>Take a look into what has worked in the past that help contribute to high parent participation and overall high attendance.</p>	<p>Created a presentation on PAC participation since it was given to me the CCS Student- Parent Liaison back in 2021 to now the present 2024.</p> <p>Presentation consisted on parent participation, student participation, staff participation and Parent Connection Committee participation.</p> <p>A total of 6 meetings were canceled and one meeting was actually rescheduled to take place the following week. Each meeting was canceled due to quorum. However, the May 2024 PAC meeting was canceled due to pro planning by the guest presenter and graduation schedule for surrounding schools.</p> <p>Dates of canceled meetings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 09/20/21 rescheduled due to no parent quorum. - 11/15/21 meeting canceled due to no quorum from parents. - 3/27/23 meeting canceled due to parent quorum.

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 01/31/24 meeting canceled due to parent quorum - 02/26/24 meeting canceled due to parent quorum. - 05/23/24 meeting canceled due to graduation scheduled from surrounding schools and guest presenter pulling out at the last minute. <p>Increased attendance from both parent staff occurred when more than one member put work into planning and marketing for each PAC Meeting. The more individual members from the Parent Connection Committee helped the better it helped in all areas of marketing. By making everyone in the PCC accountable and assigning them a month they will host and plan for the PAC Meetings helped.</p> <p>Marketing consisted of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Flyers - Social media - Black board messaging - Radio announcements - Markey announcements - Classdojo updates
How can we help improved student attendance?	<p>All Parent Connection Committee staff needs to access to NASIS. They must first complete the DOI training to be granted access.</p> <p>Staff that already have access</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Marlene Becenti - John Stewart - Brianna Bitsie - Geremiah Begay <p>Staff that don't have access</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Laurinda Dehiya - Evelene Billie - Gwendolene Begay 	<p>With the completion of the DOI training PCC member would be able access and help make phone calls to parents when needed.</p> <p>Any contact with parent that may result in a home visit the PCC member can tag along in the pending home visit.</p> <p>Update: 08/13/24</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Due to policy updates confidentiality, student/ parent rights and PII. Only staff that work directly with children (students)
August PAC Meeting	<p>First PAC Meeting of the year will be taking place on August 27, 2024 at 6pm.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Presentation will be by Mr. John Stewart <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 123 Magic: Behavior Modification Plan <p>Get the message to parents that they are more than welcome to take over the Parent Advisory Committee. Parent Leadership Positions are open to all.</p>	<p>Flyer is done and was ready for parent distribution on 09/01/24 – 09/02/2024 during student and parent orientation.</p> <p>All PAC meetings for the year are on the school calendar for the year.</p>
Mckinney Vento (iina hozho)	<p>Informed the committee that the school was awarded SY 24-25.</p>	<p>After speaking with Mr. Chiapetti, Mckinney Vento is still in the process of reviewing our application and several amendments have been made. The</p>

		school has yet to receive the funds for this school year.
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