



New River Middle School

School Advisory Council

February 5, 2025

- I. Call to Order
- II. Review of Minutes/Approval
- III. Principal's Report
- IV. School Improvement Plan- Science Plan
- V. School Environmental Safety Incident Reporting (SESIR)
- VI. Accountability Funds Balance
- VII. Title One Update
- VIII. SAF/iZone Update
- IX. Friends of New River
- X. Old Business
- XI. New Business
- XII. Adjourn

Next S.A.C. Meeting: Wednesday, March 5, 2025, at 4:30

Team up for success and bring your "A" game!



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School Advisory Council Meeting

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<https://www.browardschools.com/newriver>.

School Advisory Council (SAC)

General Meeting in the New River Middle School Exploratorium on Wednesday, February 5th, 2025 -4:30 PM

I. Call to Order:

A meeting of the New River Middle School Advisory Council was held in the media center. SAC Chair Ronald Jules called the meeting to order at 4:34PM. 19 members were in attendance. Ms. Coombs recorded minutes for this meeting.

II. Review of Minutes: Mr. Jules reviews last month's meeting minutes with the audience. Mrs. Frazier made a motion to accept the January meeting minutes. Mrs. Romansan seconded the motion.

III. Principal's Report: Mrs. Harris starts by sharing highlights from the BCPS Showcase. Stranahan High School had a showcase here at NRMS to share their new magnet programs available there. Mrs. Harris also shares the Level Up Pep Rally Celebration, which was a huge success to reward the students for leveling up on their FAST PM2. Mrs. Harris then shares that Mrs. Berrios students went to the STEM engineering bridge competition. We also had our Zone Technology Night to align our community events. Mrs. Harris also shared that Ms. Coombs was honored last night at the City of Fort Lauderdale's Commissioners meeting for being teacher of the year. Mrs. Harris closes with our upcoming event, Mission Possible which is on Saturday February 8th 2025 from 12pm to 3pm. She also shares that honor roll will be next week 6th grade 2/11/25, 7th grade 2/12/25, and 8th grade 2/13/25.

IV. School Improvement Plan-Science: Ms. Youngblood shares the upcoming assessment dates in science. She then goes on to share the action plan for science after students take the BSA. She describes that the action plan is broken down by month, sharing that each month will target a different area of need in science. She also shares that importance of family help, and having parents support their child at home, by having them work on their science packets at home. Ms. Youngblood also shares the pull-out tutoring occurring during school hours for more targeted science support.

V. Accountability Funds: Mr. Jules shares that currently, we have \$1,768.45. We allocated those funds for detention and Saturday school expenses.

VI. Title 1 Update I. Title 1 Update: Ms. Coombs shares the next Title I parent training which is on February 13th, 2025, at 7PM and virtual. Ms. Coombs shares the QR code with the audience.

VII.SAF/I -Zone: Mrs. Wong shares details from the last central area meeting on January 16th. One take away was the idea of having a data night; to discuss with parents their students test information. Mrs. Wong also shares the Youth Mental Health mandate, and describes the mandated lessons being provided from the district to the staff to disseminate to students. Mrs. Yoshioka shares a more in-depth insight of the mental health modules and how they are implemented here at New River Middle. She shares that we currently have 33 team members for the Chris Hixon 5K. Mrs. Wong shares that we are pushing to have more team members. Ms. Palamino shares some background on The Chris Hixon run and how important it is.

VIII: Friends of New River: Absent.

IX. New Business: Mr. Jules shares about BCPS Customer Surveys soon to come. He also shared that the media plan and updates would be presented at the next meeting and could be found on the school website. Mrs. Frazier-Wright shares Summer Camp details which starts June 9 to July 21st. Summer camp is from 8:30AM-4:00PM Monday-Friday. She shares that it is free and shares the QR code. She also shares the Camping trip is coming up to the Everglades. She is excited to share pictures of the event at the next meeting.

X. Meeting Adjournment: Mrs. Desinor asks for clarification on the assessment dates for FAST PM3. Frazier-Wright Motioned to Adjourn; Ms. Esser seconded that motion. Meeting adjourned at 5:15 PM.

Next Meeting Date & Time: The next meeting will be held on Wednesday March 5, 2025, at 4:30pm in the Media Center.

Submitted by: Mr. Jules, SAC Chair

Approval Date: _____

☆ SAC Sign in Sheet for New River MS (0881)

Date: <u>2/5/25</u>		Time: <u>4:30pm</u>			
#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
1	Austin, Rita	Teacher	Yes	No	
2	Balicki, Rhonda	ESOL Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
3	Comras, Melissa	ESE Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
4	Coombs, Kimberly	SAC Secretary	Yes	No	
5	Cooper, Kevin	Teacher	Yes	No	
6	Cusmano, Christina	Parent	No	Yes	
7	Deangelis, Laura	Parent	No	Yes	
8	Desinord, Fania	Parent	No <u>YES</u>	Yes	
9	Esser, Karina	Parent	No	Yes	
10	Fahy, Elizabeth	Teacher	Yes	No	
11	Falcher, Jennifer	Parent	No	Yes	
12	Figuerroa-Mateo, Melvin	BTU Steward (or designee)	Yes	No	
13	Frazier-Wright, Kanika	Teacher	Yes	No	
14	Habosha, Janel	Parent	No	Yes	
15	Harris, Lezondra	Principal	Yes	No	
16	Hooke, Lauren	Parent	No	Yes	
17	Humphreys, Barbara	Community / Business Representatives	Yes	No	
18	Inniss, Natasha	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
19	Jules, Ronald	SAC Chair	Yes	No	
20	Lafrance, Karen	Parent	No	Yes	
21	Lopez, Gretel	Parent	No	Yes	
22	Melendez, Tyana	Non-Instructional Support Employees	Yes	No	
23	Mestey-Durrothy, Martita	Parent	No	Yes	
24	Migliori, Jenn	Parent	No	Yes	
25	Ninotti, Elena	Gifted Parent of a student at the school , ESOL Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
26	Palomino, Jessica	Parent	Yes	Yes	
27	Perloff, Denia	Parent	No	Yes	
28	Rano, Carolina	ESE Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
29	Romasan, Oana	Parent	No	Yes	
30	Simmons, Joann	Community / Business Representatives	No	Yes	
31	Weeks, Wendy	Parent	No	Yes	
32	Wong, Carla	SAF Chair (or designee) Parent of a student at the school , I-Zone Representative (must be a parent)	No	Yes	
33	Wright, Gary	Non-Instructional Support Employees	Yes	No	
34	Yoingblood, Kimberly	Teacher	No	No	

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#	Full Name	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Community/Business	Sign Here
1	Brandi Klink		Wyatt		Brandi Klink
2	Jerry Cooper		Austin Cooper		Jerry Cooper
3	Jessica Palomino	Y	Parent		J Palomino
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