



New River Middle School  
School Advisory Council  
April 2, 2026

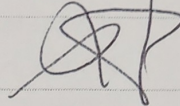
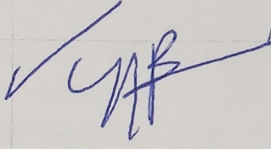
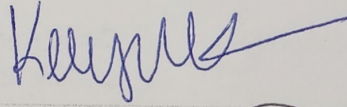
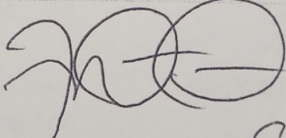
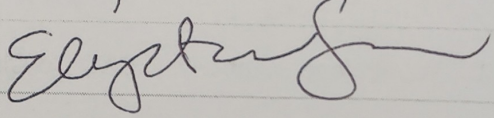
- I. Call to Order
- II. Review of Minutes/Approval
- III. Principal's Report
  - a. SIP Monitoring and Feedback
  - b. Old Business
- IV. Accountability Funds Balance: \$0.
- V. School Environmental Safety Incident Reporting (SESIR)
- VI. Title One Update
- VII. SAF/iZone Update
- VIII. Friends of New River
- IX. New Business
- X. Adjourn


Next S.A.C. Meeting: Thursday May 7, 2026, at 4:30

Bring your "A" game—We are one bite away from an "A"!

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

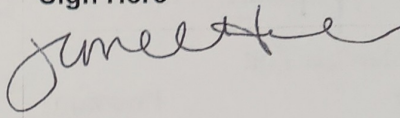
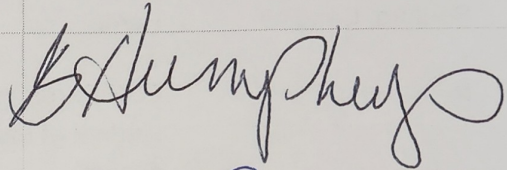
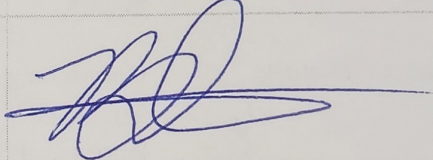
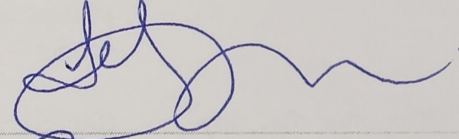

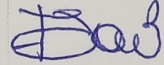
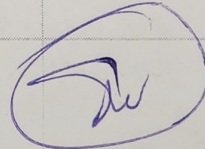

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#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
1	Austin, Rita	Teacher	Yes	No	
2	Benjamin, Kellange	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
3	Bodford, Candice	Parent	No	Yes	
4	Buck, Natalie	ESE Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
5	Codner, Michelle	Community / Business Representatives	No	No	Michelle Codner
6	Comras, Melissa	ESE Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
7	Coombs, Kimberly	SAC Secretary	Yes	No	
8	Cooper, Kevin	Teacher	Yes	No	
9	Dean, Kelly	ESOL Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
10	Desinord, Fania	ESOL Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
11	Fahy, Elizabeth	Teacher	Yes	No	
12	Frazier-Wright, Kanika	Teacher	Yes	No	

Turn over 

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13	Habosha, Janel	SAF Chair (or designee) Parent of a student at the school , I-Zone Representative (must be a parent)	Yes	Yes	
14	Harris, Lezondra	Principal	Yes	No	
15	Humphreys, Barbara	Community / Business Representatives	No	No	
16	Inniss, Natasha	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
17	Jules, Ronald	SAC Co-Chair	Yes	No	
18	Melendez, Tyana	Non-Instructional Support Employees	Yes	No	
19	Ninotti, Elena	Parent	No	Yes	
20	Teetsel, Dawn	Parent	No	Yes	
21	Weeks, Wendy	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
22	Wood, Samiyeh	BTU Steward (or designee)	Yes	No	
23	Youngblood, Kimberly	SAC Co-Chair	Yes	No	

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1	Brian Bender ✓		No	Union Steward	B Bender
2	Brandi Klink		—		Brandi Klink
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# New River Middle School

## School Advisory Council Meeting

3100 Riverland Road, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33312

754-323-3600

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

### School Advisory Council (SAC)

General Meeting in the New River Middle School Exploratorium on Thursday, April 2, 2026 - 4:30 PM

#### I. Call to Order:

A meeting of the New River Middle School Advisory Council was held in the media center. SAC Co-Chair Kimberly Youngblood called the meeting to order at 4:30PM. Quorum was met for our meeting with 14 members present.

**II. Review of Minutes:** Mr. Jules reviews last month's general meeting minutes with the audience. Mrs. Habosha made a motion to accept the March's meeting minutes. Ms. Desinord seconded the motion.

**III. Principal's Report:** Mrs. Harris shared several school updates and celebrations:

- Boys Flag Football team were division champions.
- School-wide attendance improved from first to second quarter.
- Implementation of cafeteria drills and lockdown procedures; blackout window coverings installed in classrooms for safety compliance.
- Students participated in a field trip to Sutton Farm, providing hands-on learning experiences.
- Annual Waterway Cleanup (Trash Bash) was successful; two students earned scholarships:
  - Phillip (Art category – 1st place, \$250 scholarship)
  - Juliana (Short story category)
- Congratulations to Ms. Coombs and Ms. Youngblood for acceptance into Broward County's LEAD Program.
- Recognition of paraprofessionals for their continued support of students.
- Saturday Camp launched with approximately 95 students in attendance; participation expected to increase.

**IV. School Environmental Safety and Incident Report:** As of April 2<sup>nd</sup>, there are 54 incidents reported.

**V. Accountability Funds:** Beginning balance: \$5,827.81

- Allocations:
  - \$1,360 for Saturday Camp
  - \$452 for conference expenses
  - \$4,015.81 for ID supplies (lanyards, badges, holders, and cards)
- Remaining balance: \$0

**VI. Title 1 Update:** No Title I update was provided.

**VII.SAF/I -Zone:** Ms. Habosha shared updates from the last district meeting, including: Superintendent's report on school safety and student services and Mental health services presentation by the district

**VIII. Friends of New River:** Mrs. Humphreys Junior Achievement field trip scheduled for April 21–23, Plans to increase availability of required field trip shirts prior to the trip. Teacher Appreciation Week planned for May 11 with daily activities.

**IX. New Business:**

- Upcoming athletic events:
  - Multiple flag football games scheduled for the following week (home and away)
  - Track meet scheduled at Dillard High School
- Saturday Camp upcoming dates: April 11, 18, 25, and May 2 (9:00 AM–12:00 PM)
- State Testing Schedule:
  - May 4–8: ELA and Math (6th & 7th grade)
  - May 13: Civics & 8th Grade Science
  - May 15: Additional Science testing
  - May 18–20: EOCs (Biology, Algebra, Geometry)
- Customer service surveys distributed; deadline May 15

**X. Meeting Adjournment:** Mrs. Fraizer-Wright motions to adjourn, Ms. Dean seconds that motion. Meeting adjourned at ???PM.

**Next Meeting Date & Time:** Next meeting is May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026.  
Submitted by: Mr. Jules and Ms. Youngblood, Co- SAC Chairs

Approval Date: \_\_\_\_\_