



New River Middle School

School Advisory Council

March 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
 - a. Eco Sharks Presentation
 - b. Customer Survey
- XII. Adjourn

Next S.A.C. Meeting: Wednesday, April 3, 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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School Advisory Council (SAC)

General Meeting in the New River Middle School Exploratorium on Wednesday, March 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 **4:31PM**. 16 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-Wright made a motion to accept the February meeting minutes. Mrs. Wong seconded the motion.

III. Principal's Report: Mrs. Harris presents the highlights of the last month. The first highlight was our third annual Mission Possible public event. We had over 400 families in attendance on February 8th. Second is the camping trip spearheaded by Mrs. Frazier-Wright. The third highlight is our school winning the Chris Hixon 5K for having the biggest team, winning a \$1,000 for our school athletic department. Mrs. Harris also shares about the Peace Pole Ceremony for the Day of Love and Service (February 14th 2025). Mrs. Harris also shares that we had our first semester honor roll last month as well. NRMS also participated in the Waterway Clean Up last week and won scholarships towards their college tuition. Mrs. Berrios has been awarded a second grant for our Ecosharks club, who will be at Water Matters Day from 1-3PM this weekend, March 8th. "Just Do It" awards program, recognized one of our students who was awarded by the district.

IV. Accountability Funds: Mrs. Harris asks for an additional \$1,200 from accountability funds for an additional Saturday School Funding, and the remaining funds can be used for ID supplies (lanyards etc). Ms. Palamino makes a motion to move the \$1,200 for accountability for Saturday Camp. Motion was seconded by Mrs. Esser. Mr. Jules roll calls vote for the motion to be passed. Motion was approved. That will leave 568.54 in the accountability funds. Mrs. Frazier makes a motion to use the remaining funds towards school ID supplies. Mrs. Habosha seconds the motion. Mr. Jules does roll calls vote for the motion to be passed. Motion was approved.

V. School Environmental Safety Reporting: Mr. Jules shares there were not changes to the report.

V. Title 1 Update: Ms. Coombs presents the current school year's SIP plan with Title I Addendum, School Parent Compact, PFEP, and Review of PFEP to the audience and invites parents to give input on the upcoming school year's documents. She opens the floor for feedback at the next meeting. She also reminds the audience that the Parent and Family Engagement Survey is still on our school website and she will share the results with the audience at the next SAC Meeting.

VI. SAF/I -Zone: Mrs. Wong shares about what was shared at the central region area meeting. BCPS websites are undergoing a facelift, so all school websites are going to be uniformed. There is an April Workshop to update the Student Code of Conduct, to shorten it to 48 pages from over 100 pages. Adjustments being made include social media and internet usage, cell phone policy, and discipline matrix for fighting. Mrs. Wong also shares the importance of showing up to the board meetings and joining committees, so your voice is heard. School Choice acceptance letters are coming out next week for 8th graders.

VII: Friends of New River: Mrs. Humphreys wants to share what they have done for NRMS: Shark of the Month, ICU Store, Shark Store. Without these people running these things, we wouldn't have these events. Also, Friends of New River will also be purchasing the shirts for the Eco Sharks Club.

VIII. New Business: Customer Service: Parent Survey windows is now open. Mr. Jules shares that the window closes May 2nd. Mrs. Frazier-Wright shares Summer Camp has a slight revision, in hopes of making changes to the dates and times. Mrs. Frazier-Wright also shares highlights of the camping trip. Student representatives share their experience on the camping trip.

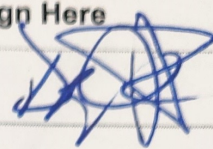
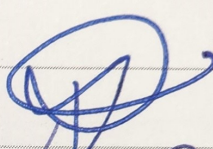
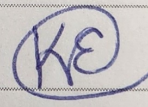
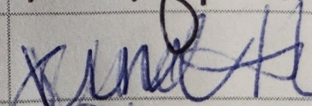
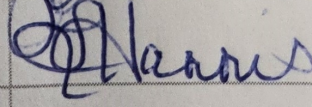
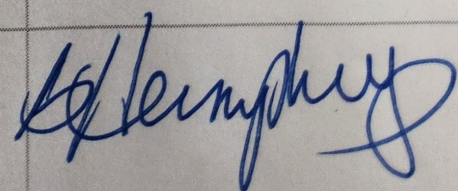
IX. Meeting Adjournment: Frazier-Wright Motioned to Adjourn; Dr. Austin seconded that motion. Meeting adjourned at 5:27 PM.

Next Meeting Date & Time: The next meeting will be held on Wednesday April 2, 2025, at 4:30pm in the Media Center.

Submitted by: Mr. Jules, SAC Chair

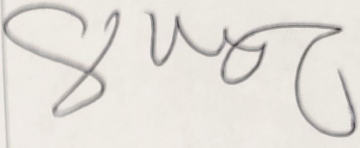
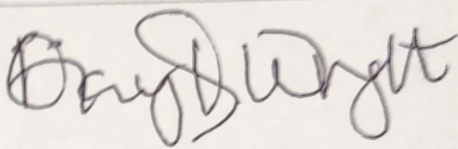
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☆ SAC Sign in Sheet for New River MS (0881)

Date: <u>3/5/25</u>		Time: <u>4:30pm</u>			
#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
1	Austin, Rita <u>YM</u>	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	
	Coombs, Kimberly <u>YM</u>	SAC Secretary	Yes	No	
	Cooper, Kevin	Teacher	Yes	No	<u>K. Cooper</u>
	Cusmano, Christina	Parent	No	Yes	
	Deangelis, Laura	Parent	No	Yes	
	Desinord, Fania	Parent	No	Yes	
	Esser, Karina <u>YM</u>	Parent	No	Yes	
	Fahy, Elizabeth	Teacher	Yes	No	
	Falcher, Jennifer	Parent	No	Yes	
	Figueroa-Mateo, Melvin	BTU Steward (or designee)	Yes	No	
	Frazier-Wright, Kanika <u>YM</u>	Teacher	Yes	No	<u>K. Frazier-Wright</u>
	Habosha, Janel <u>YM</u>	Parent	No	Yes	
	Harris, Lezondra <u>YM</u>	Principal	Yes	No	
	Hooke, Lauren	Parent	No	Yes	
	Humphreys, Barbara <u>YM</u>	Community / Business Representatives	Yes	No	

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18	Inniss, Natasha <u>yy</u>	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
19	Jules, Ronald <u>yy</u>	SAC Chair	Yes	No	<u>3ph</u>
20	Lafrance, Karen	Parent	No	Yes	<u>Ko Lafrance</u>
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 <u>yy</u>	Gifted Parent of a student at the school, ESOL Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	<u>den</u>
	Palomino, Jessica <u>yy</u>	Parent	Yes	Yes	<u>J Palomino</u>
	Perloff, Denia	Parent	No	Yes	
	Rano, Carolina	ESE Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
	Romasan, Oana <u>yy</u>	Parent	No	<u>Yes</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
	Simmons, Joann	Community / Business Representatives	No	Yes	
	Weeks, Wendy	Parent	No	Yes	

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32	Wong, Carla 44	SAF Chair (or designee) Parent of a student at the school, I-Zone Representative (must be a parent)	No	<u>Yes</u>	
33	Wright, Gary 44	Non-Instructional Support Employees	<u>Yes</u>	No	
34	Youngblood, Kimberly	Teacher	No	No	

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Jessica Palomino

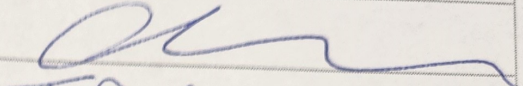
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