



New River Middle School  
School Advisory Council  
October 1, 2026

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

Next S.A.C. Meeting: Thursday, November 5, 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)

Date: 10/1/26Time: 4:36 PM

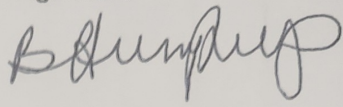
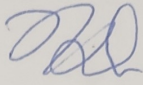
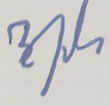
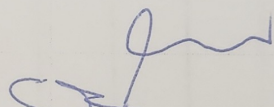
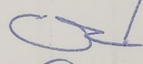
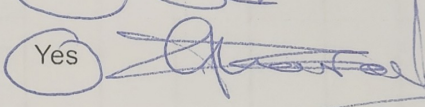
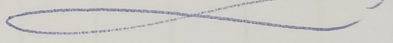
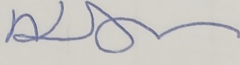
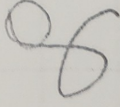
| #  | SAC Member Full Name | Position                                                                                             | SBBC Employee | Parent of Student | Sign Here |
|----|----------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|-------------------|-----------|
| 1  | Lobos, Juan          | ESE Parent of a student at the school                                                                | No            | Yes               |           |
| 2  | Austin, Rita         | Teacher                                                                                              | Yes           | No                |           |
| 3  | BonamiJ, Guilene     | Parent                                                                                               | No            | Yes               |           |
| 4  | Buck, Natalie        | Parent                                                                                               | No            | Yes               |           |
| 5  | Builes, Janette      | Parent                                                                                               | No            | Yes               |           |
| 6  | Coombs, Kimberly     | SAC Secretary                                                                                        | Yes           | No                |           |
| 7  | Desinord, Fania      | Parent                                                                                               | No            | Yes               |           |
| 8  | Fahy, Elizabeth      | Teacher                                                                                              | Yes           | No                |           |
| 9  | Figueroa, Melvin     | Community / Business Representatives                                                                 | No            | No                |           |
| 10 | Francesco, Tiffany   | Parent                                                                                               | No            | Yes               |           |
| 11 | Gomez, Fernando      | ESE Parent of a student at the school                                                                | No            | Yes               |           |
| 12 | Hamacher, Jeanne     | I-Zone Representative (must be a parent) , SAF Chair (or designee) Parent of a student at the school | No            | Yes               |           |
| 13 | Harris, Lezondra     | Principal                                                                                            | Yes           | No                |           |

*[Handwritten signatures and initials in blue ink, including "JB", "Jade", "D", "W", and "any"]*

*[Handwritten signature in blue ink: "Jame Harris"]*

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| 14 | Humphreys, Barbara   | Community / Business Representatives     | No                                   | No                                   |    |
| 15 | Inniss, Natasha      | Gifted Parent of a student at the school | No                                   | Yes                                  |     |
| 16 | Jules, Ronald        | SAC Co-Chair                             | Yes                                  | No                                   |    |
| 17 | Melendez, Tyana      | Non-Instructional Support Employees      | Yes                                  | No                                   |                                                                                       |
| 18 | Pepito, Laila        | Teacher                                  | Yes                                  | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes |     |
| 19 | Romeo, Cecilia       | Parent                                   | No                                   | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes |     |
| 20 | Saidji, Chourouk     | Parent                                   | No                                   | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes |    |
| 21 | Sedik, Ruth          | ESOL Parent of a student at the school   | No                                   | Yes                                  |   |
| 22 | Slater, Mary         | Teacher                                  | Yes                                  | No                                   |                                                                                       |
| 23 | Smith, Rebecca       | BTU Steward (or designee)                | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No                                   |                                                                                       |
| 24 | Sweeney, Kristen     | Community / Business Representatives     | Yes                                  | No                                   |   |
| 25 | Tirado, Glenda       | Teacher                                  | Yes                                  | No                                   |                                                                                       |
| 26 | Wood, Samiyeh        | Teacher                                  | Yes                                  | No                                   |                                                                                       |
| 27 | Youngblood, Kimberly | SAC Co-Chair                             | Yes                                  | No                                   |  |
| 28 | Zamora, Evelyn       | Parent                                   | No                                   | Yes                                  |                                                                                       |



# New River Middle School

## School Advisory Council Meeting

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### School Advisory Council (SAC)

General Meeting in the New River Middle School Exploratorium on Thursday, October 1, 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 Chair Mr. Jules called the meeting to order at **4:36PM**.

**II. Review of Last Meeting's Minutes:** Mr. Jules reviews last year's general meeting minutes with the audience. Mr. Cooper makes a motion to approve September's Minutes, Mr. Brown seconds the motion.

**III. Principal's Report:** Mrs. Harris shares that New River Middle has earned the rating of a Silver PBIS Model School. This is a testament to our schoolwide expectations and systems in place. She thanks Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Fraizer-Wright. Last week, we celebrated Donuts for Dads Day, our annual event spearheaded by Mr. Jules and his club 5000 Role Models. The annual Beach cleanup was a beautiful day, with many staff members and students, and their families in attendance, organized by Mrs. Fahy.

**IV. Middle School Grades:** Mandated video of Overview of key school grade components, FAST and 26-27 grading scale.

**V. School Environmental Safety Incident Report:** 13 incidents reported to date.

**VI. Accountability funds:** nothing to submit as of yet.

**VII. Title I:** Ms. Youngblood shares our school's current SIP plan and Title I Addendum is on the school website. Ms. Youngblood opens the floor for feedback on the current SIP plan. No feedback was provided. Ms. Youngblood will ask for feedback monthly on SIP. Ms. Youngblood also shares that this weekend Title I is having a STEM fest at Broward College.

**VIII.SAF/iZone:** Ms. Hamacher shares the family resource guide. She also shares that if we need a community representative, they have people to serve that role. Their budget will be impacted if amendment 3 is passed.

**IX. Friends of New River:** Shark of the month is coming on October 14<sup>th</sup>; the Dominos fundraiser is starting. They are providing T-shirts for Eco Sharks club. The next event is Thanksgiving pies, with a date TBD.

**X. New Business:** Tuesday 10/6 is the next soccer game. Band and Dance Fall Concert is 10/22/26 at 6pm. Serves as a fund raiser for our band. Honor Roll Ceremony Dates: 6<sup>th</sup> grade 10/27, 7<sup>th</sup> grade 10/28,

8<sup>th</sup> grade 10/29, 5:30PM. Sea Stars After Care is a free after school program, and they still hae spots remaining for students to join them.

**XI. Meeting Adjournment:** Mrs. Fraizer-Wright motions to adjourn, Mr. Cooper seconds that motion. Meeting adjourned at 5:12PM.

**Next Meeting Date & Time:** Next meeting is **Thursday November 5<sup>th</sup>, 2026.**

Submitted by: Mr. Jules, SAC Chair

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