



New River Middle School
3100 Riverland Road
Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33312
SAC / SAF meeting held in the Media Center 4:30pm

SAF Meeting Agenda – November 6, 2024

1. Introduction
2. CAA meeting update
3. Old Business/New Business
4. Parent Questions

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At the October 16th CAA meeting principals in the Central Area gave updates for their zones. Fundraising updates, magnet open houses, Club updates like 5000 Role models, Debate club and sports.

Megan Turetsky from Legislative affairs spoke of the proposed amendment on our Broward County ballot regarding office of Inspector General having the authority to investigate matters related to the SBBC operations.

If voters approve the amendment the office of Inspector General will establish a dedicated department to oversee SBBC.

Stakeholders expressed concern regarding the cost of this. This amendment did pass in yesterday's poll.

Dr. Toomer explained that our calendar will remain the same as long as we do not have any additional storm days. If this occurs then we have to make up that time. Specific days are accounted for if needed.

FOCUS Update: Face to face training format was requested at previous meetings and this is in the works. Some feedback included a train the trainer model so that parents can train other parents at the local level. Trainings in multiple languages was also requested.

Superintendent Review Committee reviewed the following books:

Ellen Outside the Lines by: AJ Sass This book will remain at the middle school level.

Empire of Storms (Book 5 of Throne of Glass) by Sarah Maas This book will remain at the HS level. Note that these books are not part of the curriculum but are available in the media center.

The North Area made a motion and the Central Area consensus was to support this: We move the SBBC to include a provision in all 504 plans for students with Type 1 diabetes, allowing the use of cell phones for direct communication between parents and students. This is essential for timely management of blood sugar levels. The life-threatening nature of type 1 diabetes and the current challenges in the school nursing coverage and diabetes management knowledge this motion is necessary to ensure the safety and well-being of students with this condition.

NRMS SAF Meeting Sign-In Sheet		11/6/2024
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