Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School

School Advisory Council

SAC/SAF Joint Meeting

Agenda

Date: October 7, 2026

Time: 3:15 PM

Location: Media Center

I. Welcome/Call to Order/ Review of Agenda-

II. Attendance

III. Revision/Approval of September 2026 SAC minutes

A. Meetings dates for 2025-2026 at 3:15 pm in the media

November 4, 2026 (A+ voting)

December 2, 2026 (If needed)

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IV. Principal's Report-

A. SESIR, updates are based on prior SAC meeting

B. Secure the Next Generation Referendum Presentation

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V. Officers' Report

A. School Improvement Plan (SIP): SIP plan Goals

B. School-wide Positive Behavior Plan (SPBP): Monthly updates-

C. SAC School Accountability Funds: $71785 + $35,430 (leftover A+ funds)

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4. Math tutoring for 26-27-**Up to $2500 approved**

D. SAF Report

VI. Special orders/unfinished business from previous meeting

A. New business-

Announcements/Reminder:
Next meeting: November 4, 2026 at 3:15 pm in the media center

VII. Adjournment-

Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School
School Advisory Forum – SAF Agenda
Media Room

October 7, 2026. 3:45 – 4:30PM
Email: NorthAreaChair@gmail.com

Chair- Mario Marcano; Vice Chair – Open Position; Recording Secretary – Open Position.

AGENDA

Call to Order:

Approval Meeting Minutes:

Bylaws:

Old Business

- Projected student population at schools, growth vs reduction?

New Business

- Next Generation Referendum
  - Chief of Staff John J. Sullivan
- Buspatrol Program
  - School Bus Safety Program
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    - School Bus Safety Program
    - 1,100 buses are camera-equipped.
    - $225 Civil Penalty fee for registered vehicle owner.
    - 70/30 split of tickets. Looking at high incident areas.
- Next North Area Meeting will October 15th, 2026 @ Monarch HS.

Open Forum

Announcements

- Next Meeting: November 4, 2026, at 3:30pm

Adjourn

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School Advisory Council

Meeting Minutes

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I. Welcome/Call to Order/ Review of Agenda- 3:15 Motion Mayersohn, 2nd Wanamaker, unanimous consent.

II. Attendance - See attached

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IV. Principal's Report- 3:16

A. Spirit Week was a success, photos attached in principal's report; Homecoming was a success as were the week's spirit events
B. 26-27 FAST PM 1 Data reviewed; Proficiency 9th grade 61%, 10th grade 65%, PM 2 sometime in December
C. GPA Calculation changes reviewed, no more "local honors," honors worth .5, AP/AICE/IB/DE worth 1.0, as per Rule 6A-1.09953. This process is so better align with the State's University System of recalculating grades for admissions.
D. Upcoming testing and event calendar reviewed: PSAT was today, ACT on 10/21, AICE retakes ongoing, ESB 11/10, FAST PM 2 and EOC retakes in December, Midterms 12/15-18, Upcoming tryouts and clearance testing for soccer, cheer, basketball, and wrestling. Baseball Coach Fitz is being inducted into the HoF.
E. SESIR, updates are based on prior SAC meeting, no new updates on data
    i. Alcohol = (+1)
    ii. Disruption on Campus – Major = (+0)
    iii. Drug Possession and/or Use = (+7)
    iv. Fighting = (+12)

v. Physical attack = (+2)
vi. Harassment = (+2)
vii. Tobacco Possession = (+36)
viii. Other Major Unclassified = (+2)
ix. Weapons Possession = (+0)
x. Unsubstantiated Bullying = (+4)
xi. Unsubstantiated Harassment = (+2)
xii. Vandalism = (+1)

F. Secure the Next Generation Referendum Presentationn, video played

V. Officers' Report- 3:44

A. School Improvement Plan (SIP): SIP plan Goals- reviewed Van Tassel
i. 61% ---> 62% Geometry proficiency
ii. 62% --> 63% Algebra proficiency
iii. 88% --> 90% Biology proficiency
iv. 90% --> 92% AP pass rate
v. 73% --> 75% AICE pass rate
vi. 68% -->69% US History pass rate in regular courses
vii. Maintain or exceed 99% graduation rate
viii. 80% --> 85% Law studeis proficiency rate
ix. 77% --> 79% SAT/ACT Reading pass rate
x. 80% --> 81% ELA PM 3 pass rate

B. School-wide Positive Behavior Plan (SPBP): Monthly updates- Portalatin reports increase is turned over lost items, "Caught Doing Good" program continues- 3:50

C. SAC School Accountability Funds: $71785 + $35,430 (leftover A+ funds); 3:50 $35430- 20,656-3097-2500= $9147available
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D. SAF Report- Mario Marcano, 3:52
i. Bylaws: Motion Mayersohn, 2nd Pacheco, unanimous approve
ii. Meeting Minutes: Motion Mayersohn, 2nd Pacheco, unanimous approve
iii. Old Business
1. Projected student population at schools, growth vs reduction- no updates, we are over projection by roughly 150, but do not expect extra funds.
iv. New Business
1. Next Generation Referendum
- Chief of Staff John J. Sullivan
2. Bus Patrol Program
- School Bus Safety Program
- 100 buses are camera-equipped.
- $225 Civil Penalty fee for registered vehicle owner.

- 70/30 split of tickets. Looking at high incident areas.

v. Next North Area Meeting will October 15th, 2026 @ Monarch HS.
vi. Open Forum:
    1. Food and Nutrition will be discussed at the 10/15 meeting.
vii. Announcements
viii. Next Meeting: November 4, 2026, at 3:30pm

VI. Special orders/unfinished business from previous meeting

A. New business- Question about Reassignment, about 150 new students beyond last year's 150 (roughly 300 total reassignments)

Announcements/Reminder:

Next meeting: November 4, 2026 at 3:15 pm in the media center

VII. Adjournment- Motion Mayersohn, 2nd Tineo, unanimous approval

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School Advisory Council

Meeting Minutes

Date: September 2, 2026
Time: 3:15 PM
Location: Media Center

I. Welcome/Call to Order/ Review of Agenda- Van Tassel; 3:15

II. Attendance

III. Revision/Approval of May 2026 SAC minutes- Mayersohn motion, Wanamaker second, unanimous approval; 3:16

a. Parent slate, August 25, 2026 during Open House: Passed
   i. Nominations from the floor of additional members: - Mayersohn motion, Berger second, unanimous approval; 3:16
b. Teacher slate, August 3, 2026 during Planning: passed
   i. SAC Co-Chairs and secretary elections- completed in May
c. SAC positions for 2026-2027
   a. BTU – Jacob Abraham?
   b. Community/Business- Bob Mayersohn?
   c. ESE-
   d. ESOL- Viktoria Gasparian
   e. Gifted- Claudia Tineo
   f. I_Zone- Mario Marcano
   g. Non- Instructional- Debra Wanamaker
   h. Student- Nandini Nagaraj
   i. SAF chair- Mario Marcano

IV. SAC By-Laws- Amend and approve, only change is to move from co-chair to chair- Mayersohn motion, Beger second, unanimous approval; 3:21

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April 7, 2027 (SPBP vote, create a nominating committee)
May 5, 2027 (Election of new officers and budget overview)

VI. Principal's Report- Kefford presents starting at 3:22

a. SESIR, updates are based on prior SAC meeting, data solely reflects 25-26 school year, forthcoming data pending the State update
   i. Alcohol = (+1)
   ii. Disruption on Campus – Major = (+0)
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   v. Physical attack = (+2)
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   xii. Vandalism = (+1)
b. #1 traditional HS in BCPS (2nd place last year); AP pass rate went from 88% to 90%; 81% AICE pass rate, now in year 3 of the program; enrollment is over the prediction up to 3,056; new AP Natalie Portalatin
   i. Marcano asks about possible additional funding for enrollment over predicted enrollment.
   ii. Marcano asks about how AICE calculates into school grade
c. FAST/ELO score comparisons presented and reviewed, accessible on school website
d. Testing calendar presented and reviewed, accessible on school website
e. Athletics: Reviewed ongoing sports in season; congratulations to Coach Fitz-Gerald and the six consecutive state championship teams being inducted into the Broward Education Foundation Hall of Fame
f. School Grade Breakdown video shown; 3:38
   i. Change in how grades are earned from prior year discussed; earning a school grade of A became more difficult, as ranges are adjusted year over year

VII. Officers' Report

a. School Improvement Plan (SIP): SIP plan is being worked on due September 8th
b. School-wide Positive Behavior Plan (SPBP): Monthly updates- 14 students have been recognized for doing good in August- Portalatin presented, 3:43
c. SAC School Accountability Funds: $71,785 + $35,430 (leftover A+ funds) $35,430- 20,656-3,097-2,500= $9,147available
   1. ELO camp- Requesting up to **$5,000 Approved -$1104 used so far**
   2. Delta Math- Requested a year 3 year contract for **$20,656 Approved- Still waiting on district approval;** Davis offers further explanation, MSD teachers are paying out of pocket to access resources and have the highest learning gains in the county.
   3. BookPal- **$3,097 Approved (waiting for SAC funds to be released)**

4. Math tutoring for 26-27-**Up to $2,500 approved**

VIII. Special orders/unfinished business from previous meeting

a. New business- 3:49

i. Question regarding reduction in ESE staff and paraprofessionals

Announcements/Reminder:

Next meeting: October 7, 2026 at 3:15 pm in the media center

IX. Adjournment- Wanamaker motion, Beger second, unanimous approval; 3:55

Marjory Stoneman Douglas High School
School Advisory Forum – SAF Agenda
Media Room

September 2, 2026. 3:45 – 4:30PM
Email: MMarcano@structural.net

Chair- Mario Marcano; Vice Chair – Open Position; Recording Secretary – Open Position.

Meeting Minutes

Call to Order: at 3:55 PM
Approval of May Meeting Minutes – May Minutes approved.

North Area Meeting update:

- The meeting was on 08.27.2026 – SAF Training.
  Spoke about the general SAF training and the a more detailed training will be provided by DAC later.

Back to school Experience:

Classrooms overcrowded related to having more kids enrolled than in last year's projects.

Old Business

- Projected student population at schools, growth vs reduction? – No additional conversation about this.

New Business

- North Area looking for interesting topics for their meetings.
- Next North Area Meeting will Sept. 17th, 2026 @ Monarch HS.

Open Forum

- **Free and Reduced Lunch** – Is there a way that everyone can get lunch even if they don't have money on their account? Conversation what brought up that the café may get reimbursed for food not served.
- **School Autonomy in Selecting Educational Programs (e.g., Delta Math)** Determine the level of autonomy schools have to choose instructional programs and understand why Delta Math has not been placed on the School Board agenda for consideration.
- **Potential Budget Cuts – Impact on ESE Support** with the School Board actively seeking cost-saving measures, the school's primary concern is the possibility of reduced ESE support and the resulting impact on student services.

Announcements

- Next Meeting: October 7, 2026

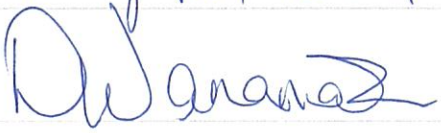
Adjourn – Meeting closed at 4:17PM

☆ SAC Sign in Sheet for Stoneman Douglas, M. HS (3011)

Date: 10/7/2026 Time: 3:15

#	SAC Member Full Name	Position	SBBC Employee	Parent of Student	Sign Here
1	Abraham, Jacob	SAC Secretary , BTU Steward (or designee)	Yes	No	
2	Bachen, Coral	Teacher	Yes	No	
3	Berger, Rita	Parent	No	Yes	
4	Borisoff, Melanie	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
5	Edgar, Laurie	Teacher	Yes	No	
6	Gasparyan, Victoria	ESOL Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
7	Goldberg, Michael	Community / Business Representatives	No	Yes	
8	Gura, Michelle	Parent	No	Yes	
9	Harrington, Lindsey	Parent	No	Yes	
10	James, Chandra	Non-Instructional Support Employees	Yes	No	
11	Johnson, Kimberly	Teacher	Yes	No	
12	Kefford, Michelle	Principal	Yes	No	

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13	Marcano, Mario	I-Zone Representative (must be a parent) , SAF Chair (or designee) Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
14	Mayersohn, Robert	Community / Business Representatives	No	Yes	
15	Nagaran, Nadini	Students (required for HS & Centers)	No	No	
16	Pacheco, Jessika	Parent	No	Yes	
17	Pappas, Brooke	ESE Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
18	Raska, Emily	Teacher	Yes	No	
19	Rhule-rheaume, Sherelean	Parent	No	Yes	
20	Rubenstein, Lauren	Teacher	Yes	No	
21	Tineo, Claudia	Gifted Parent of a student at the school	No	Yes	
22	Valera, Yosleny	Teacher	Yes	No	
23	Van Tassel, Holly	SAC Chair , BTU Steward (or designee)	Yes	No	
24	Wanamaker, Debra	Non-Instructional Support Employees	Yes	No	

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1	Sheroleen Rhule-Rheaume		✓		
2	B.B Mayers HN			✓	
3	Jacob Abraham	✓			
4	Holly Van Tassel	✓			Holly Van Tassel
5	MARIO MORENO		✓		
6	Wanamaker, Debra	✓			
7	Melanie Borisoff		✓		
8	Jessika Pacheco	✓	✓		
9	M Cura		✓		
10	Claudia Rico		✓		
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