



Education Advisory Board – Meeting 10

Date/Time: Monday, October 10, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.

Location/Address: Sunrise Civic Center – Art Gallery (10610 West Oakland Park Blvd., Sunrise, FL 33351)

Board Secretary: Juliana Castro, Administrative Officer II (transcription)

Board Liaison: Sady Diaz, Public Engagement Manager

Summary Minutes

Call Meeting to Order/Pledge of Allegiance

- The meeting was called to order by Natalia A. (EAB Vice Chair) and the Pledge of Allegiance was observed.

Introductions/Roll Call

- **Present:** Erncy Dumornay (EAB Chair), Natalia Allen (EAB Vice Chair), Carolyn Hudson, Dr. Carolyn Stewart, Gessika Moss, Stacy Sherman, Kevin Sawyer, Dr. Dana Rolle, Aldett Francis + Lindsay Oosterhoff.
Absent/Excused: Dr. Anelle Moss + Ingrid Morgan **Board Liaison:** Sady Diaz; **Board Secretary:** Juliana Castro

Approval of EAB Summary Minutes

- Stacy S. made a motion to approve M8 meeting minutes from Tuesday, August 2, 2022 (with 1 correction). Dr. Stewart second the motion. There was no opposition from the EAB.
- Aldett F. made a motion to approve M9 meeting minutes from September 12, 2022. Dr. Stewart second the motion. There was no opposition from the EAB.

Open Discussion: Updates/Announcements Regarding Schools

- **Stacy S.:** Bair Middle - (a) Oct. 6 Mentoring Tomorrow's Leaders (MTL). (b) Oct. 17 The school will host a Hispanic Heritage Program. (c) Oct. 19 The school will hold a National Honor Society induction ceremony. (d) Oct 31 there will be a parent and teacher association dance. (e) Students received the iPad from the Verizon Innovative Learning Grant.
- **Dr. Rolle:** Sandpiper Elementary - (a) The school will have a competition and give out prizes to student. School is requesting donations for the prizes. As soon she receives the donations list, she will share it with the board. (b) Oct. 24 - 28 will be Red Ribbon week. Dr. Rolle will be volunteering at the event.
- **Carolyn H.:** Banyan Elementary - (a) Had Fire Prevention Week and Sunrise Fire Fighters came to the school. (b) Art studio bus will stop by for three days. Students will create an art project. (c) Light Up Literacy - school will have a reading competition and students will be asked question. School is asking for books donations. Sady will donate 25-30 children's books from her family's library. (d) Break the Bread - Biggest event is Nov 17 for Thanksgiving. They would like the Mayor to attend. Carolyn H. would like to know if she can go around the City's restaurants and ask caters company to donate food for the event. Sady D. stated that is considered fundraising/in-kind donations. Sady D. will check and further advise the EAB. (e) Banyan Elementary has a debate team.
- **Aldett F.:** Village Elementary - (a) Oct. 18 Literacy Night (b) Oct 21 - 27 will be Red Ribbon week. (c) Hand on Broward renovated there play rooms. (d) Students finished their assessment exams.

- **Dr. Carolyn S.:** Discovery Elementary - (a) The students began their assessment testing. (b) Red Ribbon Week will take place on Oct 26. (c) Multi-Cultural Literacy Family Night will take place on Oct 31. Students are encouraged to dress as their favorite story book character.
- **Natalia A.:** Horizon Elementary - (a) The school is 2 points away from becoming an A school. (b) The school continues to experience staff shortages. (c) Career Day is scheduled on Nov. 17 is Career Day and they are looking for guest speakers. (d) The school is renovating their Media Center and is seeking a mural artist. (e) They are currently looking to expand their debate program. Erin Ryans from Broward County Schools. Mr. Ryans: 754.321.1844 office – erin.ryan@browardschools.com .
- **Gessika M.:** Sawgrass Elementary - (a) School participated in the debate of the week of Oct. 3 and Dr. Moss volunteered as a judge. The debate was held at Taravella School. Broward County has the biggest debate program in the Country. (b) The school will begin field trips again. (c) Started a new program for ESC children. Many district employees are coming to the school to learn about the program.

Old Business:

(a) Incubate Debate: Natalia A. emailed the program information and flyer was distributed at the meeting. Incubate Debate hosts no-cost debate tournament/workshops/camps. Next tournament will be held on Nov. 5 in Deerfield Beach.

(b) Events - Fall Harvest Festival 10/15/22 - Will be held on Saturday, October 15 and is a family friendly event.

(c) Trick or Trot 10/22/22 - The event is a 5K run and proceeds benefit the Paralyzed Veterans of America Florida Chapter. Gessika M. is going to participate with her family this year.

New Business: (a) Sunrise Leadership Academy

- **Read for the Record:** Will take place on Oct. 27, 2022.
- **Sunrise Leadership Academy:** Sady D. is currently contacting schools. Application deadline is Nov. 18, 2022 and maybe extended to obtain more. Plantation High did not participate last year and is encouraged they will participate in 2023. The program will have 5 sessions from February - April 2023, with May graduation.
- **Financial Literacy Curriculum:** Erncy D. will host a financial literacy session for SLA.
- **Flamingle (Career Speeding Dating):** Lindsay O. said she will confirm if her sister (Graphic Designer) can participate. Sady D. asked the EAB if they know anyone with an interesting field to please send her an email.
- **Arts Aspire:** Is a teen volunteer opportunity
- **Future meetings:** (a) November Speaker - Kathy Osborne, Social Worker (City of Sunrise) will discuss the various social services the City offers. (b) The Girl Scout in the area are donating 100 cranberry sauces and Sady would like to know if the EAB can match the number with the Girl Scouts. (c)December Speaker - Sean London, Youth Athletics Supervisor (Leisure Services) will discuss Youth Sports, coaching opportunities, and fee waivers.
- **Cambridge Program:** (a) Natalia A. asked board members if any school are interested in expanding to the Cambridge program, to please talk to the school liaisons. In order to implement the Cambridge program, there needs to be an identified Cambridge feeder school in place. (b) Piper High School has an active

Cambridge program. (c) Discovery Elementary School was one of the first schools to implement the Cambridge program. (d) Natalia A. would like to invite a speaker to discuss the Cambridge program and invite other Sunrise schools who are not part of the program.

- **Upcoming Meetings:** The EAB discussed about rescheduling January's first meeting since it falls around the New Year holiday. Sady D. will check when the room availability
- **Board Application:** (a) Sady D. reminded everyone to submit their board application on time. Sady D. encouraged the EAB if they have any questions to contact the City Clerk's office.

Meeting Adjourned

- Stacy S. made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Dr. Stewart seconded the motion. There was no opposition from the EAB.