

SHAC Meeting – May 12, 2014

Attendance: Jimmie Mae Baxter, Nicole Bingham, Kathy Stultz, Ashley Stoudt, Shonda Winston, Esmerelda Hernandez, Donna Chavez, Nina Carabajal, Mia Chavez, Meagan Sifuentes, Aspen Winston, Haylee Chavez, Kristi Powers, Luci Harmon, Carlos Briseno, Patsy Amine, Michelle McCaughn, Veronica Perez

The meeting was called to order at 2:07 by Mrs. Miles. Kathy Stultz read the minutes from the previous meeting. Kristi Powers made a motion to approve the minutes and Jimmie Mae Baxter seconded it.

Mrs. Harmon gave a report on the Student Health Fair. It will be August 7.

Mrs. Bingham gave the cafeteria report. NC will not be having a summer feeding program this year. We have a waiver from the state. A la carte items are running low – we will not be ordering new items. All students will be eating in the cafeteria next year. This will be new. Mrs. Perez had a question about switching milk and milk rotation. Out of date milk is a concern for the whole committee. Mrs. Harmon is going to call Oak Farms by tomorrow and see what can be done about this.

Shonda Winston then voiced her concern about improving food quality. She stated that her kids are hungry when they go home. Mrs. Chavez asked why our food looks the way it does. She brought pictures of trays from other schools. She stated that it looked better than our schools. Mrs. Chavez asked questions about our tax dollars funding the program. Mrs. Chavez would like to see us explore other menu options and recipes – maybe use different spices.

We are going to form a subcommittee to explore this option further. The committee will be: Mrs. Harmon, Mrs. Hernandez, Mrs. Amine, Mrs. Powers, Mrs. Chavez, Mrs. Bingham, Mrs. Winston, and students Haylee Chavez, Aspen Winston, Mia Chavez, and Meagan Sifuentes. This committee will meet in two weeks. Mrs. Powers will contact them all. Parents also expressed concern about whether or not all cafeteria workers were wearing hair nets at the appropriate times.

In new business, Mr. Carlos Briseno presented information about SCAN. He is a licensed chemical dependency counselor. He works with children ages 10-17. He will do a drug assessment. The goal of his program is prevent drug use.

In other business, Mrs. Harmon reported that we are finished with the Fitness Gram and that Field Day is Thursday.

Mrs. Powers made the motion to adjourn the meeting and Mrs. Baxter seconded.