



# Meeting Minutes

*Date | time* 12/12/2023 | 7:30 am *Location* AHS Conference Room

## SGC Members Present:

Mike Scheifflee, Principal | Camie Christensen, Elected Parent (Chair) | Michelle Hinton, Elected Parent (Vice Chair) | Sharolyn Ketchup, Appointed Staff | Brandi Taylor, Appointed Staff | Whitney Jankovic, Elected Staff | Ian Brandau, Elected Staff | Paresh Naik, Appointed Community Member | Rini Bokil, Student | Mala Niverthi, Student

## SGC Members Absent:

Kimberly Wolf, Elected Parent (Parliamentarian)  
Sean Woods, Appointed Community Member

## Guests in attendance:

Leila Alvarez—AHS Student Council  
Sarah Weitz—AHS Student Council  
Nichole Murray – Anti-Defamation League

## Call to Order (Christensen)

### Action Item: Approve Agenda (Christensen)

Motion: Jankovic, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Hinton, All in favor

### Action Item: Approve December 2023 Minutes (Christensen)

Motion: Taylor, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Ketchup, All in favor

### Information Item: Public Comment (Brandau)

- No comments

### Information Item: No Place for Hate Presentation (Murray)

- [No Place For Hate](#) is a fully grant-funded school climate improvement framework for PK-12 schools to build welcoming and safe communities. No Place for Hate is a student-led initiative that promotes kindness, allyship, and bullying prevention, and the program activities are customizable to fit the school's needs.
- No Place for Hate Annual Summit is January 19, 2024, from 9 am-3 pm at the Loudermilk Conference Center in Atlanta with all South Up to 10 students may go for free. Breakfast and lunch are included. It is possible to send students to the summit before signing up for the program.
- Discussed if the program would meet AHS needs and if we have the resources to start another initiative. This is a framework that we would need to fully implement ourselves. Plan to send some students to the Summit before deciding to join the program.

#### Information Item: Superintendent Council Report (Naik)

- Balanced scorecard
- Why do teachers stay and why do teachers leave?
  - Stay: students & feel invested in school
  - Leave: student behavior has gotten worse
- Level Up Fulton: three-tiered by choice certification program for teachers and staff members. Way to make sure every employee has the same concept of how we operate as a school district so every school operates with consistency. Learning through modules. Feedback was not great.

#### Information Item: Principal update (Scheifflee)

- Projected enrollment: 2,067. Slightly lower than expected. Would have one less teacher, but are currently operating with one less teacher this year.
- CCRPI survey
  - We met the district requirement for parents but will continue to push through this 12/15.
  - Slightly under the required 75% completion for staff. Will continue to push.
  - Students will do it on 1/9/2024 during the first day of Anchor Time to catch juniors and seniors prior to getting their off-campus sticker. The requirement is 75% for each class.
- Pulse check for staff (keep it, change it, leave it) from 12/13-12/15.
- One additional balance night will be considered for the end of Ramadan in April. Next year, we'd like to have one per month instead of two per semester.
- The Cultural Cares Committee started building a calendar of the diverse cultural holidays/events that staff and students will have input on.
- Student Council is planning a semi-formal Sadie Hawkins dance on January 27, 2024
- Will have 1.5 math vacancies for Spring 2024. We believe we have found replacements for both.
- Our new Raider Mascot is up and running! Thanks to teacher Ian Brandau for leading.
- Teacher Elizabeth Margeson is the new AHS Communications Director. Working on streamlining the communication process.

#### Discussion Item: Charter Funds Expenditures

- Elections & budget coming up soon!
- Charter dollar ideas:
  - Staff to work after school for safety purposes
  - Guest speaker to educate staff on cultural awareness & training staff on how to manage conversations (professional development)
  - Attendance handwriting passes is an outdated process. Consider purchasing an electronic system.
  - Hire the "Spirit Guy" (Brandon Keiser) who works with high schools and colleges to promote school spirit.
  - Semi-truck for band equipment. Currently unloading multiple trucks.
  - Off-campus banquets for programs are expensive.
  - Water bottle filler in band room and fine arts building.

#### Action Item: Meeting adjournment

Motion: Ketchup, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Taylor, All in favor