GOAL High School

School Accountability Committee

Meeting Agenda

February 23, 2021

GOAL SAC Officers for 2020-2021

- Chair – Cameron McLaughlin
- Co-Chair – Wendy Haut
- Secretary – Kari Rydgren

GOAL SAC Members

· **Cameron McLaughlin – Principal – North East Region**

· **Karla Ash – Sr. Director of Accountability**

· Dr. Constance Jones – CEO

· Jill Toussaint-

· John McNerney – Science Teacher - C. Springs

· **Anna Nava – Social Worker Coordinator-Statewide**

· **Alicia Chavez – Intervention Resource Coordinator**

· **Aryn Henneke – Sr. Director of Curriculum and Instruction**

· **Mark Kanagy – CTE TOSA**

· Dave Allen – Procurement Generalist

· Tayler Stuber – Para - Academic Coach – C. Springs

· **Antonia Gardiner – Assistant Principal – North East**

· Aaron Perez – Principal – Denver Region

· **Jacqueline Blueitt – Counselor – C. Springs**

· Kia Counts – Para- Academic coach– Craig

· **Brandon Darrow – ELL coordinator**

· Carolyn Hill – Academic coach - Southern

· Jeffrey Perkins – Teacher – Central

· **Deborah Perry – Admin Assistant – Northern East**

· **Jessica Sanchez – Assistant Principal – Central**

· **Jamie Pollock – Parent**

· Lynn Reed-Rockwood – Para-Academic Coach – Denver ON PTO

· **Josh Irvine – Relationship Generalist -IT**

· **Wendy Haut – Principal – Northwest**

· Alan Van Norman – Parent

· Betty Lenora – Para – Academic Coach – C. Springs

· **Shannon Lovato – Enrollment Specialist**

· **Kari Rydgren – Social Emotional Generalist**

· **Jennifer Bowens – AP – Denver**

· Lance DeHerrera – Prof. Development Specialist

· Shyanne Ackworth - Student

AGENDA

I. **Call to Order**
   a. **Mission -** *developing productive members of society.*

b. **Vision-** *helping all students achieve their full potential in a caring supportive and personalized environment!*

c. **Good Things --**

- **Wendy** Haut– GTV NW student council student body president is also part of the art club; they are working on a project and have extended an invitation statewide for a juried art exhibit! It will be featured on the website and there will be three grand prizes.
- **Shannon Lovato** - Lottery – roughly 440 students will be offered a lottery spot.
- **Lance DeHerrera** – vaccine rollout is going well, and Colorado infection numbers are going down
- **Mark Kanagy-** First two staff to be proctored for MCE exam – an AA!!

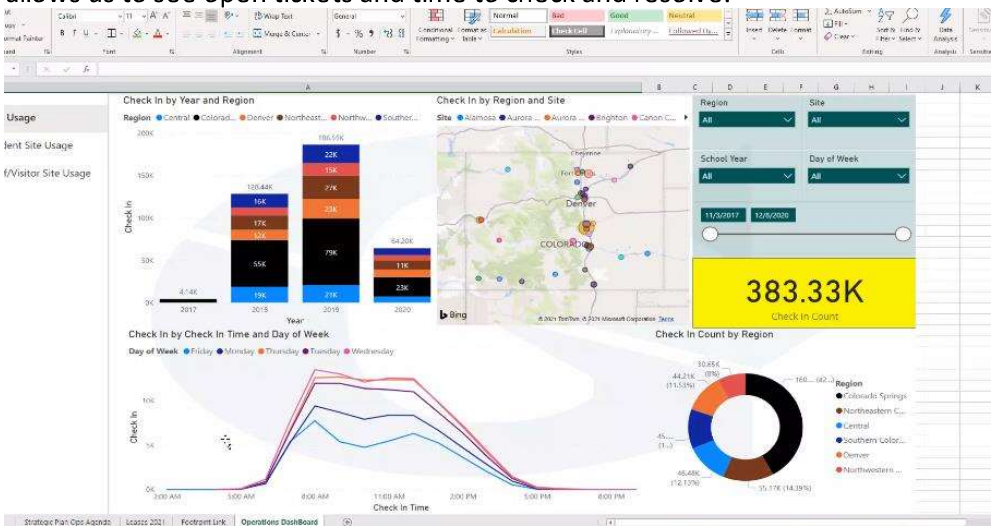
d. Team Agreement - Cameron does a heartfelt reading of the team agreement ☺ <3

Motion to Approve November meeting agenda was approved.

II. Introduction

a. Operations Update – Special Guest – Geri Sandoval

- Excel Sheet -
- **Leases** – 18 leases currently in movement. We need to renew or negotiate. Since we took a 5% decrease in funding, we approached each of our landlords and asked them if they would consider applying a 5% decrease in 1- and 2-year lease renewals. Multiple sites across the state. One tech office vacated
- **Operations/Operations Dashboard -** Operations evaluations are in progress as of February 4th. Usually there is a statewide tour of sites and a 53-question survey to make sure we have operational continuity. Good relationship-building and opportunity to voice needs/concerns/ideas. About 75% complete as of today. There will be a summary report shared with leadership staff. Fire drills, alarms, evac plans, signage, social contracts, flooring, lighting, student food, stock, posters, test call for the voicemail system, countdown boards, ELD signs, cleaning company, HVAC, surface hubs, vehicle reservations. Remote is working out great! Operations Dashboard is in development with Matt and Kyle – weekly meetings to discuss what it looks like. They can query fleet inspections, query past-due check in/out, very helpful for compliance with CDE & D49. It also allows us to see open tickets and time to check and resolve.



- **Fleet -** Weekly vehicle inspections are a focus due to compliance. Reservations are imperative and we need to ensure all staff are scheduling, cancelling, and checking in/out appropriately. We dealt with many dead batteries during inclement weather. We need to ensure we start and use them on a regular basis to ensure they stay in good shape. Exterior washes – need to make sure we have information about car washes to ensure salt gets off of them and how to detail the interior. Soon we will have COVID protocols for student transportation. Thermometers for every fleet vehicle are on the way. There will also be a screening form.
- **Furniture Audit** – Annual furniture audit. Geri and Angelica are working on a system to compare the physical assets onsite with what is in the system. Instructions/kickoff of the furniture is coming soon. Deadline is End of March.
- **Exterior Graduation Venue Search –** we have 3-4 locations where we have deposits. NW, COSP, PUEBLO – Trying to get these deposits rolled over to next year. Staff are trying to identify *exterior* graduation venues across the state.

Karla: leases – did anyone agree to a 5% cut? Bout 90% did agree. They agreed to keeping it flat in the case that they did not agree to cut the cost.

Deb: Batteries – do those freeze in the cars?

b. Strategic Plan Quarterly Review

- Lance DeHerrera -
  - ★ C team worked to establish pillars and value statements
  - ★ Since then, working on goals that support the pillars
  - ★ 2/23/2021 board meeting, Dr. Jones will touch base with our board and arrange a work retreat to get their input on the currently drafted pillars and goals. This will result in a working timeline; then we will establish committees that will research the frameworks, theories, and practices that will inform our growth in each area. *The process is moving along and is responsive to the various unknowns we are experiencing right now in the world.*
  - ★ *Re-accreditation/authorizer renewal/strategic plan/APR* all coming due around the same time. Aligning and coordinating these areas to ensure they support each other and support our next steps.

Cameron: the current strategic plan is scheduled to expire EO-2022.

c. Student voice / Q&A

- Shyanne Ackworth – Downtown Pueblo CO

  1. What's going well for you? *College is doing well! I've had the opportunity to participate. Great environment! Grades and college!*

  2. What should we stop doing? She interviewed employees. Everyone mentioned the difficulty in keeping up with changes. Staff want consistency in schedule, program, formats. What affects our staff affects our kids. Its stressful when kids wait til the last week to do school. There needs to be more accountability/deadlines.

  3. What is a solution to challenges you see here? These really aren't as simple as you think. So much goes into each question. Unmotivated students are an ongoing issue. What can we do to positively impact the

number of unmotivated students? We have meetings to discuss how we can improve motivation. We have things like Student of the Month and PBIS – we need things that are cost efficient, more desirable, and raise the bar.

d. Drop Out Prevention – Sub committee
   - **Kimberly Tappy –** we clarified entrance into senior recovery. Cameo gave a great presentation on this and it was well-received. We challenged the committee members to interview staff; what do students need, and what do we need to do with our students? Our curriculum needs to be life-skills focuses and match the needs of our youth. Student dodge questions regarding why they drop out – they feel guilty or they don't wat to disappoint us. Many have full time jobs, and they find it so difficulty to manage their work and school. Q3 objectives: what are instructional strategies that impact? CTE is a positive challenge, helps them be responsible, helps build interest in their future. CE can be an incentive for youth to pass their classes – how can we help them get something in their hands, like a license/certificate. Overage undercredited students don't want anything "fancy", do the work get to it, get done. They don't want other activities. Next action meetings items: identify or implement one new strategy identified in this meeting.

Wendy: What is the dissemination plan for this knowledge? What practical impact will this work have?

e. Assessment and Up Coming Spring Testing

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a. Break out room: How do we, as educators, answer the question of, "why do I need to take these classes, learn this stuff and graduate when I don't see the value?"

Breakout Room Thoughts:

b. J. Blueitt: Want is YOUR goal? Ask them why they want a diploma. Let's do what we need to do to reach that goal! If you don't take the classes the state requires, you can't get the diploma.
c. J. Bowens: We also talked about explaining the long-term benefits of classes and the diploma they lead to.

III. Approval of Agenda - Any additions?

IV. Approval of Minutes -

a. Review of last meeting
b. Regional student transfers – follow up from last meeting (Jen Bowens)

I. Topical Calendar for the SAC Meetings

a. Meeting III: February 23, 2021 – Quarter 3

i. Operations Update – Special Guest – Geri Sandoval
ii. Strategic Plan Quarterly Review
iii. Student voice / Q&A
iv. Drop Out Prevention – Sub committee
v. Assessment and Up Coming Spring Testing

Housekeeping:

1. Student and Parent Participation
2. If you are unable to be part of the committee – email Cameron that you are resigning and suggest a replacement.

b. Meeting IV: May 25, 2021 - Quarter 4 / End-of-Year

i. Strategic Plan Quarterly Review
ii. Recommendations for 2020-2021
iii. Drop Our Prevention – Sub Committee
iv. Academic Report – Special Guest – Aryn Henneke

XI. Adjournment

a. "Education is what remains after one has forgotten what one has learned in school." - Einstein