

CITY OF SANTA ROSA HIGH (ELEMENTARY) SCHOOL DISTRICTS

The Public Meeting of the **ArtQuest Ad Hoc Committee** was moved to the District Board Room, and was called to order on March 1, 2007, in the Santa Rosa City Schools Board Room Room, 211 Ridgway Avenue, Santa Rosa, California, by Director Pugh at 3:40 P.M.

PUBLIC MEETING
March 1, 2007
3:40 P.M.

In attendance:

Board Members: Directors Pugh and Director Leddy. Director Jeye was absent.

Staff Members:

Dr. Sharon Liddell, Jan Sofie, Brad Coscarelli, Nancy Miller, Elizabeth Evans, Tanya Braunstein, Betha MacClain, Annie Samuels, Jim Helmer, and Tony Negri.

Welcome and introductions by Director Pugh.

**WELCOME AND
INTRODUCTIONS**

There were no announcements.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

There were no public comments.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

TOPICS

Committee members discussed the ArtQuest program changes and recommendations for 2007-2008:

**REVIEW OF PROPOSED
CHANGES FOR ARTQUEST
PROGRAM**

1. Personnel
 - full-time program administrator
 - full-time administrative (clerical assistant)
 - counselor(s) specializing in ArtQuest program
 - ArtQuest Dance/Physical Education instructor
 - technical support
2. Courses
 - continuation of 1 section Artist's Exchange
 - additional section of ArtQuest Photography
 - two sections of ArtQuest Physical Education
 - new section of ArtQuest Technical Theater (Stagecraft)
 - add 2 or 3 sections AQ Earth and Physical Science
 - add 2 or 3 sections AQ Biology
 - maintain 3 sections of AQ World History
 - maintain 10 sections for AQ English
3. Facilities
 - ArtQuest office
 - video production classroom
 - technical theater (Stagecraft) classroom
4. Equipment
5. Program Support
 - marketing/advertising
 - release day funding

Nancy Miller handed out several maps depicting possible changes in facilities.

Director Pugh made the following recommendations to the committee in preparing the report to the Board:

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- The report needs to have an attachment with the changes and needs.
- It needs to be noted on the report that the committee requested a list of objections in writing from the Santa Rosa High School counselors regarding having a specialized counselor and it was not received.
- Clarify the two sections of Physical Education.
- Present recommendations for year 1, year 2, and year 3, and be specific.
- Eliminate from the report the things that are already in the program.
- Include sample of student schedule reflecting what they will be doing.
- Include projections for the future.
- List funding sources for the changes and do budget for over a period of time.
- Include number of students in the program, demographic of students, students coming from outside the district, the size of the program, and how much the program can grow.

This report will be presented to the Board on March 28, 2007, and make the item time sensitive to be presented by 7:00 P.M.

The program course selection is a site-based decision, and the ArtQuest committee can bring courses to the Board as an information item in August.

There were no other items for discussion.

OTHER

Director Pugh adjourned the Board ArtQuest Ad Hoc Committee meeting at 5:08 P.M.

ADJOURNMENT

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