

School Advisory Council (SAC) Meeting

Minutes

School:	Sarasota Military Academy
Date of Meeting:	Oct.21,2010
Participants:	Mr. Dan Kennedy
Minutes:	<p>Attendance: Dan Kennedy, Terry Lipman, Jim Young, Vera McClaugherty, Denise Spetsios, Michael Spetsios, Rebecca Paquette, Joshua Payne, Alex Payne, Lynda Fischer, Louis Fischer, Kevin Houghtaling, Ross Moore, Gale Downs, Pamela Clark, Angie Wiggin, Mike Elfers, Kris Howard, Keith Daly. Kris Howard, Ken Cowles.</p> <p>Meeting was called to order by Terry Lipman 7:37 a.m. The September minutes were accepted with first motion by Lynda Fischer and seconded by Ross Moore.</p> <p>Headmasters Report: The school year is under way. The first quarter of school will end October 25th and there is a professional day on Friday October 29th. Our financial Report is in fine shape. The Tuesday morning tours are going strong and we anticipate to be filled up for next year very soon. The FCAT retakes was October 19th all went very well. We are not mailing report card out on November 3 during 4th period. The Veterans Day parade is on November 11. It is a regular school day. Our students will attend their first period and then form up about 8:45a.m. We will have a guest speaker for some words of wisdom for the students and about 9:15a.m. at that point we march down to Osprey. The parade begins at 10:00 a.m. We take up all of Main Street when the marching occurs. At the end id five points and the walkers will go to the right and the trucks go to the right. The ceremony at five points this year is about Bertha Palmer gave an American Flag to Sarasota to fly at the five points this is a dedication ceremony and to honor our Veterans. Students that participated in the parade will return to SMA about 11:15 a.m. A wonderful lunch is available from the PTCC and Josh Payne is arranging to have activities. There will be presentations from the drill team, band and other groups.</p> <p>New Business: The SMA SAC (school advisory council) community involvement for the 2010-2011 school year is "Wreaths Across America .org" The sponsored</p>

wreaths are placed on the grave markers at the Sarasota National Cemetery on December 11, 2010 The SMA SAC/PTCC available parents and students will be attending this event. The event honors the veterans and fallen service men and women from the Sarasota area. This meets the 5 STAR requirements for the SIP. Our goal is to have each grave with a wreath placed on it that day. 3000 graves are accounted for at the cemetery. We have sold 260 at this time. Many business and donors have been contacted with pledges to come in,

The freshman camp in is October 22 till the 23. It is held here on campus. JROTC Raiders camp out is November 18th

Old Business: The eagle preview will remind parents about Veterans' Day festivities and the Wreaths Across America project. There is a flyer on the SMS web site advertising the project also. The Annual College night at the Roberts Arena is Tues. October 26, 2010 from 6-8 p.m.

A motion for adjournment was made by Josh Payne and seconded by Michael Spetsios at 8:32 a.m.

Next meeting will be November 17, 2010 in room 22 about 7:30 a.m.

Recording Secretary Gale Downs

Secretary:

Minutes submitted by Gale Downs

Date, Time and Location of Next Meeting:	January 19,2011

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