

DELAC
March 10, 2017
MINUTES

President: Maria Elvira Aguilar

Vice President: Patricia Vazquez (absent)

Secretary: Norma Leal (absent)

Attendees: Aguilar Maria Elvira, Alvarez Juana, Alvarez Maria, Andrade Guadalupe, Anguiano Elizabeth, Araez Diana, Arcos Lourdes, Arreola Rosa, Avalos Alma, Avelar Rosenda, Avila David, Bell Elisa, Benitez Dina, Ferrer Christy Delia, Flores Irma, Galicia Marcela, Garcia Adriana, Garcia Carmen, Goldsmith Rosei, Gomez Elizabeth, Gomez Victoria, Gordian Virginia, Guerrero Maria, Huerta Adriana, Lopez Liliana, Maciel Aurora, Magana Graciela, Makimoto Garci, Martinez Blanca, Medina Maria G., Melendrez Maria, Mendoza Georgina, Montoya Natalie, Ocampo Marcela, Pedraza Arcelia, Perez Jael, Perez Juana, Perez Maria, Posthuma Sonia, Ramirez Maria Guadalupe, Ramirez Sonia, Reyes Elisa, Reyes Guillermina, Reyes Rosario, Rivera Diana, Robles Cynthia, Rodriguez Anabel, Rodriguez Luz, Rosas Rosalba, Sanchez Bernardina, Santibanez Yaquelin, Schiffmann Danelia, Segura Jetze, Soler Rocio, Solis Jessica, Urroz Jessica, Varona Rafaela, Vazquez Beatriz, Vega Rosy, Villa Delfina, Zuniga Erika.

Special Guests: Dr. Gunn Marie Hansen (Deputy Superintendent Educational Services), Sandra Schaffer (Accountability & Special Programs), Trace Weatherford (Chairman of Reading Promise), Will Hare (Co Chairman R.P.), Adrian Ober (School Liaison R.P.), Elizabeth Rodenbucher, (COSA, Counselor for Special Assignment)

Facilitators: Dr. Lucia Perales (TOSA, Student and Family Engagement Specialist) and Maria Elvira Aguilar.

Minute taker: Martha Rivas.

- I. *Call to Order:* Maria Elvira Aguilar called the meeting at 9:07 AM.
- II. *Welcome:* Elvira Aguilar welcomed attendees, and gave a special thanks to the Community Aides, congratulating Rosie Goldsmith for being acknowledged as Employee of the Year 2016.
- III. *Approval of minutes:* Elvira Aguilar, asked to review 2017 January's minutes, which were approved without changes. The first approval motion was made by Elizabeth Gomez, and the second by Elizabeth Anguiano.
- IV. *Reading Promise / Orange Elks:* **Trace Weatherford, Will Hare** and **Adrian Ober** informed DELAC that, in 2015, the Orange Elks Lodge received funds from Elks National Lodge to implement a reading and literacy program that targets young readers from K-4th grades, presenting reading in a fun and educational way. This includes a reading Festival every semester with free books, face painters, characters, services dogs, stage performers, and sponsored by Chapman University arts and crafts. They invited the community to the Reading Festival that takes place on April 30, 2017 at the Orange Public Library from 1 to 5 pm.
- V. *The Purpose Route Activity:* Elvira Aguilar explained the importance of having a short and long term goal in life and guided attendees to do an interactive activity.
- VI. *Language Census Data / OUSD EL Master Plan.* Lucia Perales, on behalf of Amber Tatch, explained the OUSD Language Census Report Draft. She clarified the term Initially Fluent English Proficient (IFEP). This describes those students that speak another language at home according to the OUSD Home Language Survey, who take the initial assessment and their results reflect English Proficiency. Therefore, they are considered fluent on this initial assessment. The IFEP students are not considered English Learners. Document is available at www.orangeusd.com (DELAC).
- VII. *LCAP Input:* **Sandy Schaffer** explained that this year's responses to the new digital LCAP Survey were 10,698 (3000 more than last year), including the different perspectives of parents, staff and students 6th grade and above. The current analysis of data shows the top five areas of interest for parents are academic help, expanding course options, parent information and education, extracurricular options and increase of bilingual staff at the school sites. For students, the needs were extracurricular options, better lunches, more technology, school wide activities and extending course options. She asked for specifics and more detailed feedback on the five areas requested by parents. These suggestions will improve the design and planning of future parent workshops. She explained that LCAP is a 3 year plan and updated every year.

VIII. *California School Dashboard.* **Sandy Schaffer** presented key information on the California School Dashboard, the new tool designed by the State of California to report multiple measures of students, schools and District performance. The website addresses 10 priority areas, state indicators for priorities 4-8, local indicators for priorities 1-3, 9, 10. The performance will be described by colored pies (blue, green, yellow, orange and red) from the highest to lowest performance. Status and Change levels are acknowledged. She invited attendees to explore the reports at the website: <http://caschooldashboard.org>.

IX. *Public comments:* **Lucia Perales** explained the District is working on the development of the OUSD EL Master Plan, to provide a guide to parents that will help them to navigate and understand the different programs offered to EL students, based on the topics of interest inputted by the Communities Aides and parents. She reminded the group the interesting topics included on the OUSD Parent and Family Engagement Sessions. She asked the attendees to write their suggestions on the input form, such as parent-student tutoring, discipline and tutoring during lunch time twice per week for struggling students, technology programs, or piano music programs. **Beth Rodenbucher** made an invitation to attend the OUSD Parent and Family Engagement Session 5 "College and Career Readiness" on April, 13th. **Sandy Schaffer** explained that combo classes exist because of the number of students needed per class. **Dr. Hansen** reminded the attendees about the Santiago Science Night Fair at Santiago Canyon College, including an Art Exhibition from 5th and 6th Grades, and Music from Yorba Middle School and El Modena.

X. *Adjournment:* Sandy Schaffer thanked everyone for their attendance, and Maria Elvira Aguilar asked for a motion to close the meeting. Erika Zuniga gave the first motion and Rosario Reyes the second. The meeting finished at 10:53 AM.