Pioneer Valley High School – School Site Council Meeting October 25, 2021, 6-7pm, Large Conference Room

Laura Baines	Х	Jay Edwards	Х	Kelly Davis
Greg Baldwin	Х	Shanda Herrera	Х	Jazmine Villanueva
Arsenia Carandang	Х	Robin Ilac	Х	Henry Valdez
Yolanda Carbajal	Х	Araceli Mandujano	X	Kendall Courtright

Meeting was called to order at 6:08pm by S. Herrera.

1) Introductions

2) Review of Minutes: Approved via email

3) Old Business: None

4) New Business

9th grade data comparison

Math- 9th grade student performance for 2020-2021 showed 38% were placed in Algebra I. For 2021-2022: 49% of freshmen went into Algebra 1. A common concern is students had online learning only for the past 20 months. This year, we are seeing gaps in learning and will be hiring additional instructional aides to assist.

English-80% of our 9th grade students are placed in English 1. Some students need English support which provides students with a reading program that is standards based. Other portions of class the students are supporting their English I class and includes vocabulary. ELD curriculum is Reading Plus. California is having obstacles with staffing of schools. S. Herrera confirmed it is taking longer to hire staff. Finger printing is also taking longer than usual.

COVID data-A copy of district dashboard was provided and is available on the district website. The dashboard breaks down the positive cases by week. Sterilizing machines use a a special light to clean classrooms. A lot of covid testing is happening at PV; yet not very many positive cases, which is good.

Technology Applications

These were submitted by 5 staff members: N. Eckardt, S. Harwin, A. MacCuish, C. Silva, and J. Zambrano. All were read applications with a partner and shared with the SSC group. All projects were innovative, creative, and we have the budget to support all requested with a ceiling of \$3,500 per grant. KD motioned, 2nd by JV. All in favor, motion passed.

5) Reports

Student Report:

The SHARe Club had a Domestic Violence Awareness Rally. Games were played and information was provided. Domestic Violence Solutions staff were present to talk to students and answer questions. There was also an ASB Breast Cancer Awareness Rally and there was a Pink-Out for the St. Joe's football game. Many students supported the pink cause, and a DJ played music at the game. There was a pink balloon arch, party streamers, high spirit and great behavior.

ELAC Report:

Group will be learning about cafeteria offerings and nutritional guidelines for food served at PVHS.

School Report:

Discipline among 9th and 10th graders continues to be addressed with reminders about maturity and behavior expectations. It seems to have been a difficult transition without school for 18 months. Campus cleanliness with over 3,200 students is impressive and fall sports are coming to an end with Winter sports beginning.

Boosters Report

SOS car raffle in process and a high participation in snack bar and assistance in athletics by Boosters

- 6) Items for next meeting
 - Safety report: Dan Mather in attendance
- 7) Public comments
- 8) Adjourn Motion / JV, 2nd / KC, all in favor to adjourn the meeting at 6:45pm

Draft 11/9/2021 am Approval: Motion/AC; 2nd/RI; AM, SH, JE, KD, JV, KC, GB, HV