

Agenda

Warner Robins High School, School Council

2.23.23

Call to order	Mr. McCook
Inspiration	Mr. McCook
Approval of the Agenda	Mr. McCook
Recognition of visitors	Mr. McCook
Report of the Principal	Mr. McCook
New Business	

- Distance learning/Professional learning days
 - This is an opportunity for staff to do staff development and for students to catch up on work and to complete assignments from teachers in their google classrooms.
 - This has been highly beneficial for staff. Students are to complete assignments on their laptops.
- Teacher Advisement Night information
 - Letters have been mailed home with the designated advisement appointment times. Parents should arrive 5-10 minutes early to ensure there is no back up. It is from Feb 28th-March 2nd from 3:15-8:00pm. Students will be advised about their next courses for the 2023-2024 school year. Make sure students are on track to graduate and are meeting all of their high school requirements.
- Security/Centegix system update
 - Still looking into voice recognition software to place in areas that cameras are not appropriate like the bathrooms. This is on hold from the board. Centegix may have their own software that we can use in conjunction to what we already have. We take security seriously and want to make sure students are safe and feel comfortable in their school. We hope in the future to prevent fights from occurring.
 - We are looking into acquiring vape detectors.
 - Code blues are expedited and going well with the new system.
- Signing day Event
 - Signing day is May 19th. This will be an event that recognizes all students with post-secondary plans. Colleges, universities, and work contracts will be recognized. We want to congratulate and highlight those students at the end of the year before graduation. We are encouraging students in high school to start thinking of their post-secondary plans early on.

- We have a new initiative this year called the 3E's. Enroll, Enlist, Employ. Counselors are meeting with students to discuss the different avenues available to them and plan the steps needed to achieve their goals.
- We also recognize our seniors online on social media with a Senior Spotlight.
- HR report/ job fair.
 - The job fair is this Saturday at Veterans High School.
 - WRHS needs to hire for a few positions: Math, Science, French, ROTC, English, Special Education Science, and History. Please pass this on and send any qualified applicants to the job fair.
 - We have a recruitment fair booklet that will be uploaded to our website with all of our statistics and highlights.
 - Currently we have 80 teachers and 38 are alumni which speaks volumes about our school.

Open for Questions

Question about Dual Enrollment: What is the difference between AP and DE? Which is better?

Dual Enrollment is a flipside of AP classes. Both prepare students for college work. DE is typically off campus and many of our students cannot drive to those classes. We do offer a couple DE classes on campus that are mandatory for most seniors so they do have some exposure to DE classes.

Do you track Centegix analytics?

Yes, we can track on Infinite Campus. We track codes and it is stored in a database. Parents are concerned about fights and we keep analytics on incidences. We are in the process of determining what to do with repeat offenders. The options are to send them to an alternative school. Another issue that needs to be addressed is skipping. Students are staying on campus hanging out in the restrooms or wandering the halls. One strategy we are trying is pairing up administrators with students who are disrupting the school environment. Pairing them up with someone who cares and holds them accountable has positive feedback and data to show it is an effective alternative to constant punishment. This will allow at-risk students to feel seen and heard. Love seems to be the greatest instructional strategy in these cases.

OTHER

For our last meeting, we would like to have council/pat members join us in the building for a tour. We would like to get feedback about building and safety concerns.

Chick Fila Leadership is thinking of putting on a spring carnival. This would be ideal on the same day as the red and white football scrimmage game.

We are now doing positive affirmations on the morning announcements, as well as recognizing/highlighting Black History Month.

Adjournment

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