

# Diego valley East - El Cajon

## Parent Advisory Council Meeting Agenda, Apr 24, 2024 6:00 pm

### 1. Welcome

Mrs. Laney welcomed all parents and students to the meeting and went over our agenda.

### 2. Important School Updates/Announcements

#### a. Testing

- i. CAASPP State Testing
  1. We are currently at 100%.
- ii. ELPAC Testing
  1. Over 95% of eligible students have been tested.
- iii. NWEA Testing
  1. The testing window opened last Monday (24/22), and students will be scheduled to take the test.

#### b. Dallas Trip

- i. Mr. Weaver, Mrs. Stromecki, and a group of 15+ students went to Dallas, TX to observe the Solar Eclipse.

#### c. Student's Field Trips

- i. 2024 College Trip
  1. Our San Diego Counselors and students were able to tour 5 California Universities/Colleges.
- ii. SDSU Field Trip
  1. Today our Counselor and 10 students went on a field trip to tour San Diego State University.

#### d. Classes and Programs

- i. Art Class
  1. Ms. Mariam is offering Art- SGI (Small Group Instruction)
- ii. CNA Program
  1. Certified Nursing Assistant Program is offered to our students who are interested in a healthcare career.
  2. We have partnered with Calrada Carrer Institute.
  3. Students can earn the CA State CNA Certification.
  4. "Now Enrolling", students interested in the program can enroll now, we will start on May 10th and the program will conclude on June 15.
- iii. Dual Enrollment
  1. We have a partnership with West Hills College - Lemoore, eligible students can earn college credits while they're in High School.

2. To be eligible they need to have a GPA of 2.0+, complete 4+ credits every LP, have a good attendance rate, and have to be enrolled in a Learn4Life School for 2+ consecutive years.
  3. Available courses for summer 2024 are Career Exploration, Chil Development, Spanish 1 and 2, among many more.
- iv. SLAM
1. SLAM is an English class that focuses on contemporary literature, students enrolled in the class complete 10 English credits while they explore and create poetry of their own.
- e. School Counselor
- i. Counseling Program
    1. Our counselor helps our students with:
      - a. Academic plans
      - b. College and Career Plans
      - c. Social Emotional Needs
  - ii. Counselors Updates
    1. The FAFSA/CADAA 24-25 window has been extended to May 2nd.
    2. Graduation is on Monday, May 6th at 5:00 pm at the Kroc Theater.
    3. Grad Nite is May 10th at Disneyland.
      - a. The deadline to sign up is 4/26
      - b. 8:00 am - 3:00 am -following day-.
    4. Summer graduation is 15 weeks away.
      - a. The credit deadline is August 2nd.
- f. TREC
- i. Stands for “Trauma Resilient Educational Communities”.
  - ii. DVE is now an accredited TREC School, staff is certified as TREC Professionals.

### **3. Re-enrollments and Master Agreements**

- a. Our school does not automatically enroll students in the following school year, therefor students must have the:
  - i. New Master Agreement
  - ii. Returning Registration for the 24/25 school year.
- b. The process is as follows:
  - i. 1st- Students sign their new Master Agreement
    1. MAs for minor students required a parent's signature.
    2. Must be signed by July 3rd.
  - ii. 2nd- Once the new school year begins (July 3, 2024) parents and students will receive an email with a link to complete the Online Registration.

### **4. Summer Break**

- a. Our Summer break starts on June 10th and ends on June 28th.
- b. Students are expected to complete schoolwork during the break.

### **5. SLAM Performances**

- a. Mr. Nieto explained to parents and students what the SLAM class is, how it works, and why is beneficial for students that need to complete English credits.

- b. 4 students who recently completed their SLAM Class read their poems to the audience.

**6. Awards**

- a. Students received the “Teachers Awards”.

**8. Closing**

**Parent Advisory Council Next Meeting Agenda August  
28th, 2024 at 6:00 pm**