

## African American Parent Advisory Council Meeting Agenda

Thursday January 11th, 2024 6:30pm-7:30pm

### 1. Welcome!

a. Thank you to everyone that was able to join us during our December Holiday Social. We welcomed some new families at the event. The yummy pizza, holiday treats and games were well received by all in attendance. We hope to continue to see more new faces at future meetings/events. As always, communication with members will primarily be by email and Facebook. Our email is <a href="mailto:apac.bhsd38@gmail.com">apac.bhsd38@gmail.com</a>.

#### 2. Black History Month Celebration February 2024

- a. We have reviewed curriculum templates and schedules of planned events for all (3) buildings.
- b. **AAPAC virtual Book Fair** planned with Brown Babies Books to run the first 2 weeks during Black History Month from **February 1st through February 16th**. Brown Babies Books: Representation Matters
- c. Our Virtual Black History Month Bingo will be held on Friday, February 16th from 6p-7p.
- d. We are working on finalizing details for a **Celebration of Hip Hop** talent competition on **Friday, February 23rd**.

#### 3. BHSD38 Administration Items

- a. Review Discipline referral data.
- b. Review PBIS Climate Survey Results
- c. Middle School Principal Advisory Group Discussion update

### 4. Social Media Update

- a. We invite you to join our Facebook group Page (AAPAC Council Members). Based on previous feedback it is now private.
- b. We regularly update the Facebook page with pictures of AAPAC events and information on upcoming community events that members may find helpful.
- c. We invite you to sign up on the GroupMe app to receive important updates through text.

### 5. Community Event Coordinator

a. We have created a document of family friendly events, special exhibits, and educational training for the next 90 days from our local area to share on AAPAC committee information channels that will provide opportunities for members to build community, volunteer and further their knowledge.



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### **6. Board of Education Meetings**

- a. We would like at least 2 participants to volunteer to attend each BOE meeting this year.
- b. Open session begins @ 6:30p on the following remaining dates: 1/16/2024, 2/12/2024, 3/11/2024, 4/8/2024, 5/13/2024, 6/10/2024, 7/8/2024
- c. We have a middle school student scheduled to make a statement to the Board detailing their experience in the district.

#### 7. AAPAC Meetings

- a. We will continue to hold meetings on the 1st Thursday of each month during the school year from 6:30p-7:30p.
- b. Meetings will be hosted in the Middle School Library as well as through zoom. The meeting agenda as well as the zoom link will be emailed district wide on the Monday prior to the meeting. A reminder email will be sent through the AAPAC google account on the day before the meeting to the AAPAC distribution list.
- c. Childcare has been added for those that would find it beneficial in order to attend in person. Please email <a href="mailto:aapac.bhsd38@gmail.com">aapac.bhsd38@gmail.com</a> 2 days in advance of each monthly meeting to ensure we can communicate the need to the school administration.
- d. These are the remaining 2023/2024 meeting dates: 2/1/2024, 3/7/2024, 4/4/2024, 5/2/2024.
- e. We will plan social gatherings to build community in June and July of 2024.

### 8. Open Discussion

a. Any questions, comments, suggestions?



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**ZOOM LINK:** 

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