



PLACENTIA-YORBA LINDA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENT'S TEACHER ADVISORY COUNCIL

Thursday, April 28, 2022, 3:30 p.m.
PYLUSD Board Room

TAC Meeting Minutes

WELCOME

Dr. Linda Adamson, Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services

Dr. Adamson opened the meeting with discussion around finishing the year strong. The group discussed different leadership traits that would help them to finish the year with resilience.

SUPERINTENDENT'S UPDATES AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Presented by Dr. Linda Adamson, Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services

There has been a postcard campaign created to help build enrollment in the district. These will go out to all addresses within PYLUSD, and the surrounding districts, who do not have any students currently enrolled in public school.

The Board passed the CRT resolution at the April meeting. The district sent out a communication to all staff to provide more detailed direction and guidance on this topic.

Dr. Elsasser continues his school site visits; he is always impressed by what is seen in the classroom.

HR UPDATE

Rick Lopez, Assistant Superintendent, Human Resources

A tentative agreement was approved at the April 26 board meeting. There are three components of the agreement:

1. Ongoing 3.5 percent increase (May 31 paycheck)
2. Retroactive payment back to July 1
3. One time 1.5% payment

The Orange County Teacher of the Year ceremony was recently held at the Disneyland Hotel where districts celebrated honorees from the previous two years (4 PYLUSD teachers).

There has been a lot of positive feedback from the sites about the extended resident sub. HR is working on a formal way to thank these individuals for their work in this role.

Teacher appreciation week is next week. The district will be doing a social media campaign with an opportunity for community members, as well as colleagues, to recognize a teacher or staff member who has made a difference for them.

DISTRICT EOC (EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER)

Richard McAlindin, Assistant Superintendent, Executive Services

The EOC is a central command center that is currently it is located in the Boardroom. The district would activate the EOC during a district wide emergency (such as the recent Yorba Linda fires). The plan is to relocate the EOC to a portable on the district campus during the summer. There will be another full emergency drill in the fall.

LCAP UPDATE

Dr. Linda Adamson, Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services

The April LCAP presentation to the Board was very successful. The district received valuable feedback from the Board. The next steps are to debrief on the suggestions and incorporate the feasible changes, and then submit the final LCAP for approval to the Board in June.

GRADUATION/PROMOTION SCHEDULE

Gina Aguilar, Director, High School Education

Keith Carmona, Director, Middle School Education

The high school graduation and middle school promotion schedules were shared with the group. They will be returning to a traditional format.

2022 PYLUSD High School Graduation Schedule

School	Day	Date	Time	Venue
Venture Academy	Thursday	June 9, 2022	6:00 pm	PAC
Parkview HS	Monday	June 13, 2022	6:00 pm	PAC
Buena Vista HS	Tuesday	June 14, 2022	6:00 pm	PAC
El Camino HS	Tuesday	June 14, 2022	6:30 pm	Bradford Stadium
El Dorado HS	Wednesday	June 15, 2022	6:00 pm	Bradford Stadium
Yorba Linda HS	Wednesday	June 15, 2022	6:00 pm	Shapell Stadium
Esperanza HS	Thursday	June 16, 2022	6:00 pm	Shapell Stadium
Valencia HS	Thursday	June 16, 2022	6:00 pm	Bradford Stadium

2022 PYLUSD Middle School Promotion Schedule

School	Day	Date	Time	Venue
Buena Vista	Tuesday	June 14, 2022	4:30 pm	PAC
Yorba Linda MS	Thursday	June 16, 2022	8:30 am	Friends Church
Valadez MS	Thursday	June 16, 2022	9:30 am	VMSA
Travis Ranch MS	Thursday	June 16, 2022	9:30 am	Travis Ranch Park
Bernardo Yorba MS	Thursday	June 16, 2022	10:00 am	Bernardo Yorba MS
Kraemer MS	Thursday	June 16, 2022	10:00 am	Bradford Stadium
Tuffree MS	Thursday	June 16, 2022	12:00 pm	Friends Church

2022-2023 BELL SCHEDULES

Gina Aguilar, Director, High School Education

Dr. Liz Leon, Director, Elementary School Education

The new bell schedules, as mandated by SB-328, will be released on Friday, April 29.

Elementary Schools: 7:50am - 2:15pm

Middle Schools: 8:50am - 3:30pm

High Schools: 8:30am - 3:20pm

*Exceptions to these schedules include Buena Vista Virtual Academy, El Camino Real, George Key, Parkview, Travis Ranch and Venture Academy.

CRT INPUT ACTIVITY

Dr. Linda Adamson, Assistant Superintendent, Educational Services

The group broke out into three separate areas to review and discuss Resolution 21-12 in an effort to gather further feedback. Each group answered three questions:

1. What **QUESTIONS** do you still have?
2. What **CONCERNS** do you still have?
3. What **SUGGESTIONS** do you have that will help you in moving forward?

This teacher input from this activity will be used on the FAQ document that Ed Services is creating, and as a means to provide further guidance.

ITEMS FROM THE FLOOR

- *A concern was shared that there are many SDC students who attend childcare that have behavioral issues. While there are many supports for those students throughout the school day, there are no aides in childcare. They are typically placed with 18-20 year old workers who have no formal training or support. Once the student goes to childcare, all of the school day supports are gone.*

The district is always looking for training opportunities and will look into this. (Dr. Linda Adamson)

- *Why is the contract always approved in April and not at the beginning of the year? Can the timing be moved forward?*

Mr. Lopez suggested that teachers share those concerns with APLE. (Rick Lopez)

- *There are pros and cons of moving the school year to start earlier. Can options for future school calendars be shared for feedback?*

It was shared that feedback regarding the school calendar is always included on the annual APLE survey. Teachers are encouraged to provide their honest feedback and suggestions as a means of driving any future changes in this area.

- *Is there any sense of what the enrollment numbers will be for next year?*

Enrollment has declined significantly the past two years in California, and charter school enrollment dropped for the first time in over 3 decades this year. There are a number of factors contributing to the enrollment declines, which have been exacerbated by the pandemic. The District is working with a new demographer that will provide enrollment projections for the coming year. (Dave Giordano)

- *Is technology still on track for the scheduled upgrades in the classroom this summer? Can the summer schedule be shared with the sites?*

The upgrades are on schedule, as long as the vendor delivers everything on time. If teachers need their screens adjusted (up or down), please email Jeremy Powell. The summer schedule will be shared with Principals. Following are the instructions for anyone who needs to re-access the survey.

Teachers may resubmit the form at the following link to change information:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSevNro_d4UcXMmXFh1cioYpZ8Kp4buUimDDU_4tXsl_v8KUXA/viewform

Only the latest submission for each teacher and room extension will be used. Teachers who still have the email they received after submitting the form can use the link in the email to edit their original. The email can be found by searching your email for:

forms-receipts-noreply@google.com

If you deleted it, you can search your deleted email by clicking on the Trash folder and then search for the email above. (Jeremy Powell)

- *Will there be any training available for the new technology going into the classrooms?*

The tech reps at each site will be trained. (Jeremy Powell)

- *Will teachers have the opportunity to give input on the new Superintendent search?*

This has typically been the process in the past. A special board meeting is scheduled on April 29th for the Board members to decide on next steps in the process. More information will be forthcoming. (Dr. Linda Adamson)

Adjournment – 4:59pm

Next Meeting:

Fall 2022