Moore County Schools
Business Advisory Council Meeting

Place: North Moore High School (Media Center)
Date/Time: October 10, 2018 (12:00-1:30)
Facilitator: Amanda Dixon

**MCS CTE Mission:** The mission of Career and Technical Education is to provide offerings that meet student needs, interests, abilities, aspirations and respond to actual or anticipated 21st Century opportunities for employment, advanced education and practical life application. CTE promotes best practices that enhance teacher effectiveness to improve student life-long achievement and encourage responsible 21st Century Global Career Choices.

**MCS Mission:** Moore County Schools creates a supportive, engaging, and safe learning environment that builds knowledge, skills, and abilities needed for future success.

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<td>Lunch &amp; Networking</td>
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<td>Welcome/Introductions</td>
<td>Dr. Bob Grimesey</td>
<td>12:10-12:20</td>
<td>Amanda welcomed group and thanked them for coming. Amanda thanked Richard Smith and his students for preparing lunch and Matthew Cox and Mrs. Purvis for getting everything set up to host today’s meeting. Dr. Grimesey welcomed all and thanked them for coming. Dr. Grimesey asked that each attendee introduce themselves. Dr. Grimesey was very encouraged by the turnout here today from the community. Dr. Grimesey reviewed the purpose for this council and his expectations. MCS is preparing students, K-12, for the workplace. We are creating meaningful opportunities for teachers and students;</td>
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teaching the whole student. We have programs that challenge students at all levels and integrate across subject areas. There is a emphasis for K-8 students on Technology which has resulted in an explosive interest in robotics, robotic competitions; getting students excited about math and science through robotics.

Dr. Grimesey reported MCS has an outstanding relationship with Sandhills Community College and glad to have representation from Randolph Community College.

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Amanda advised the group that Moore County Schools has used feedback and information from last year's meetings to expand on our programs for this year and how we can grow our programs for our students. All middle school students have access to virtual job shadowing. We are working with students on how to prepare for interviews; speakers being brought into the middle and high schools to talk with our students.

We have partnered with Mr. Maness at the Moore County Regional Airport for an unmanned aircraft, First in Flight Drone program. Staff was trained over the summer and we have a program this year at Pinecrest and Union Pines High Schools. At the completion of this program students will have their 107,
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Unmanned pilot license and working with DPI to get course numbers. MCS has a 3 year plan to grow this program.

Two new programs this year at NMHS are carpentry and drafting. This was a result of feedback and input from last year.

Need to work on work based learning and need the council's help and input with this goal. If any company unable to come to the schools, virtual meetings are a viable option.

Need to be able to provide internships for our students in an effort to grow our programs. These internships can be for a week, summer, paid or unpaid. This is a way for our students to get a feel for what is done and or needed in an actual work environment.

FunFest and IDEA Challenge have been combined for one event this year on April 26, 2019 at Sandhills Community College. Several different challenges will take place that mirror our pathways, middle and high school. Need help to mentor student(s); let students interview and/present their idea, judge as well as volunteer the day of the event.

Request council provide items for discussion, what they would like to see, at the next meeting which
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<th>Amanda Dixon</th>
<th>1:10-1:15</th>
<th>There are two open positions on the Council for Business and Industry owners. The term is one year. Nominations will be sent by separate email next week and all members may vote electronically. Please send Amanda any names for nominations.</th>
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<td>Business Advisory Council By-Laws and BAC vacancies (nominations needed)</td>
<td>Amanda Dixon/Matt Cox</td>
<td>1:15-1:30</td>
<td>Mr. Spitler with SCC advised this was Sandhills 27th year for FunFest.</td>
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<td>Mr. Infante, with Cascades, reported that they were developing a 4 year internship program, beginning with high school juniors about the manufacturing industry. Technology plays an important role in the manufacturing industry with tech positions being of high value and in high demand. The apprenticeship will show the need for skilled labor and remove the stigma of manufacturing and that it's not just working an “assembly line.”</td>
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<td>Wrap-Up/Closing Remarks/Thoughts of the group- Tour of CTE Classrooms &amp; Labs</td>
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<td>Amanda would like to see some type of apprenticeship for teachers enabling them to better prepare their students.</td>
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Ms. Parsons with the Moore Chamber of Commerce has had conversations with and/or heard from students about various areas of interest and would like to partner students with small businesses, pharmaceutical field as well as the banking industry. She sees the Chamber’s role as facilitating these partnerships.

Mr. Lambert with the Town Robbins shared that they had a student from NMHS as an intern last year and have another NMHS student this year. The Town of Robbins has a lot of work-based learning opportunities.

Mr. Johnson with Randolph Community College talked about a summer camp they conducted with teachers last year and hope to conduct another this summer. Dr. Grimesey asked if Moore County teachers could take part. Mr. Johnson will advise when plans finalized for next summer.

Amanda asked that the council provide items for discussion, what they would like to hear about, at the next meeting which is scheduled for December 6, 2018 at Union Pines High School.

Due to the weather, Matthew Cox unable to take group on a tractor tour of the campus. The group toured inside CTE classrooms and labs.
Dates to Remember:
Business Advisory Council
   December 6th (Union Pines High School at noon)
   February 28th (Pinecrest High School at noon)
MCS Career Fair (Pinecrest High School on February 7th)
SCC & MCS CTE Fun Fest and Idea Challenge (SCC Little Hall on April 26th)

Thank you to Mr. Smith and the North Moore High School CTE Foods Class for lunch today!

Discussion Items for December 6, 2018
Office 365

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1. IDEA Challenge & Fun Fest – April 26, 2019

   **Sponsors**
   David Lambert

   **Volunteers Day of the Event**
   David Lambert
   Linda Parsons (?)
   Tom Zaleski

   **Mentor**
   David Lambert
   Linda Parsons

   **Judges**
   David Lambert
   Linda Parsons
   Chris Miller
   Neil Wolfe

2. Internships/Apprenticeships
   - Town of Robbins – David Lambert
   - Cascades Tissue – Mario Infante
   - Moore County – HBA
   - Chamber of Commerce

3. Work Based learning Opportunities
   (i.e., Job Shadowing, Speakers, Demos, Virtual chats)
   - Town of Robbins – David Lambert
   - First Bank
   - Moore County Airport
   - Moore County – HBA
   - Chamber of Commerce
   - Fidelity Bank
   - Firefighter Tour of Sandhills – Public Safety Training Center
   - Duke Energy speaker – David McNeill
   - Eng. Tech at SCC
   - Cascades – Mario Infante
   - NCGS (ask Ed)

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