



Moore County Schools Business Advisory Council Meeting

Place: North Moore High School (Media Center)

Date/Time: March 12, 2020 / 12:00 noon - 1:00 pm

Facilitators: Mr. Chris Miller and Mrs. 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.

Agenda Item:	Person Reporting:	Time:	Action Taken:
Welcome	Mr. Chris Miller BAC Chairman	12:00-12:05	Mr. Miller welcomed all and thanked everyone for attending. A special thanks to Ms. Purvis for hosting the meeting as well as to Mr. Smith and Ms. Hussey and their students for preparing the appetizers and lunch.
Opening Remarks	Dr. Bob Grimesey MCS Superintendent	12:05 - 12:10	Dr. Metcalf welcomed the group on behalf of Dr. Grimesey, as he was unable to attend. He spoke to the overwhelming opportunities available for our students, but this message doesn't get out enough. He appreciates the council members help in getting this message out and the time and effort each member has spent participating on the council.
Lunch	ALL	12:10-12:20	
5th Grade Pilot	Mrs. Amanda Dixon MCS Federal Programs & CTE Director	12:20-12:25	Perkins V now includes the 5th grade. Aberdeen Elementary school is developing a Distinguished Alumni Employability Program. Alumni from the area are being contacted to participate in this program in the 2020-21 school year. If anyone in the group knows of alumni in the area, please email their names to Mrs. Dixon.

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Credential Report	Mrs. Tracy McNeill MCS CTE CIMC	12:25-12:30	Mrs. McNeill reported on the status of credentials. Feedback from the first semester is our students have earned 2319 industry credentials. Mrs. McNeill explained the recent CTE Red/Green Performance Indicator chart for the Sandhills Region and the Affinity group which Moore County Schools is among. There are eight performance areas and Moore County is the only county that has green in all areas. We have exceeded all State goals in academic performance, graduation rates, credentialing of students, etc.
MCS Career & College Fair - 2/20/2020 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Input • Feedback 	Mrs. Laura Kinchen MCS CTE Middle School Career Development Coordinator	12:30 - 12:40	Mrs. Kinchen reported on the recent Career and College Fair held at the Fair Barn on February 20, 2020. She has received some good comments as feedback. We had 120 vendors and they were happy with this year's venue. They liked the central location. No feedback was received on the layout and time of the event other than the downtime at the beginning as vendors were looking for a more steady flow. The downtime at the beginning was due to transportation issues. This will be addressed with next year's event and timing of the school's arrivals.
Update: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FunFest-April 17-Sandhills Community College Campus • CTE Signing Day-May 28-9:30 am-MCS Education Center 	Mrs. Laura Kinchen MCS CTE Middle School Career Development Coordinator Mrs. Amanda Dixon MCS Federal Programs & CTE Director	12:40-12:45	<p>Mrs. Kinchen updated the group on FunFest scheduled to be held on April 17, 2020 at Sandhills Community College. This year we have added 13 additional programs in an effort to grow the event, not just focus on engineering and all program areas will be represented. This is the last week for registrations with the deadline being Friday, March 13, 2020. To date, we have 700 participants registered.</p> <p>Mrs. Dixon provided an update on the CTE</p>

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			<p>Signing Day on May 28, 2020. The Chamber is hosting this with Moore County Schools and it will be held at the Education Center beginning at 9:30 am. All students currently working and going directly into their career field after graduation will be recognized. Employer representatives will be in attendance and students will actually sign a letter of intent for employment; similar to what athletes do. Students, families, friends, teachers, etc., are encouraged to attend. Students entering the military will also be recognized. Mrs. Dixon invited all members to attend. Last year's event was successful and received much positive feedback.</p>
BAC Nominations	<p>Mrs. Amanda Dixon MCS Federal Programs & CTE Director</p>	12:45-12:55	<p>Today's meeting is the last one for this school year. Ballots were distributed for council nominations for the 2020-21 school year. There are four positions to be filled; Chair, 2-year term, 3-year term and 4-year term. Voting will be held at the first meeting next school year. Members present were asked to leave their ballots and/or email Mrs. Dixon with names for nomination. Mrs. Dixon thanked Mr. Miller for his leadership. He in turn encouraged the members that this was a fun group and not to be afraid to get involved.</p>
<p>Discussion/Follow-Up Questions (North Moore CTE Lab Tour to follow)</p>	<p>Mr. Chris Miller BAC Chairman</p>	12:55-1:00	<p>Thomas Tire Apprenticeships - Thomas Tire held an open house on March 7 for students and their families. Several of our students have completed an application. The apprenticeship is a four year commitment. Students will get the necessary education, their own tools and be paid.</p> <p>In closing, Mrs. Dixon again thanked</p>

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			<p>everyone for their participation and involvement on the Council.</p> <p>Mr. Cox took members on a tour of the school's CTE labs immediately following the meeting.</p>
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Meeting Attendees
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Michelle Bauer, SCC
Pam Bauer, MCS
Nikki Bradshaw, Town of Robbins,
Southern Charm
Mickey Braun, Thigpen/Jenkins
Fallon Brewington, BGCS
Matthew Cox, NMHS
Robin Covert, Boy Scouts
Danielle D'Angelo, BGCS
Amanda Dixon, MCS
James Dunlap, NC Farm Bureau
Chris Jordan, Boy Scouts
Laura Kinchen, MCS

Melanie Lee, MCS
Markell Lothamp, BGCS
Mike Metcalf, MCS
David McNeill, Duke Energy
Tracy McNeill, MCS
Chris Miller, FirstHealth
John Palazzolo, Towering Pines
Real Estate
Jennifer Patterson, PHS
Jennifer Purvis, NMHS
Karen Raliski, PHS
Brittini Sanborn, UPHS
Cyndi Secura, Moore Pediatric Therapy
Warren Wakefield, Moore County HBA

Approved


Chris Miller, BAC Chairman

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