



# Sunset Lakes SAF Meeting Agenda

September 25, 2019

Immediately after the SAC Meeting

Johanna Moas (SAF Chair) – Katherine Alvarez (SAF Secretary)

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of the Agenda & Last Meeting's Minutes
- III. Review and Approval of SAF BY Laws for the 2019-2020 School Year
- IV. Informative Announcements
  - A. **South Area Advisory Council (hereafter SAAC) news** / updates. This month's SAAC held it's meeting on Wednesday, September 18, 2019.
    - 1) Office of Service Quality Dr. Alexis
      - a) Save the date – **ED Talk** November 2, 2019 at Fort Lauderdale High School, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm
      - b) 2020 **Caliber Awards** – January 6, 2020 at the Greater Fort Lauderdale Broward Center 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm
      - c) ENDS – **Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems**
        - (1) Urging parents and schools to educate the students to “Be Aware of the health risks and do not engage.”
        - (2) School websites will have links to help educate the community about ENDS. [www.browardschools.com/page/48072](http://www.browardschools.com/page/48072) and [www.browardschools.com/page/47128](http://www.browardschools.com/page/47128) .
        - (3) Vaping (THC oil) is a crime, students will be arrested, charged and serve jail time if found with Vaping Pens, E cigarettes, etc... (handout available)
      - d) **Threats** – all threat against the school, child, trach or administrator are taken seriously. Nothing is considered a joke by the District, law enforcement or judges.
      - e) School Advisory Council (**SAC**) **Chair training** will be in November 2019.
    - 2) Office of governmental Affairs – Coordinator Mr. Angel Gomez
      - a) **Money received this year** for FTE is similar to what the District has received in the past.
      - b) **The District received 35 million dollars for Safety** & Security and so far it has cost the District 175 million.
      - c) Schools will have an SRO and or a Guardian. BCPS and the school board are committed to have **1 Safety Officer per 1,000 students**. The School Board is helping to provide funds to offset some of the costs. Not all cities are contributing to the Safety Officers.
      - d) BCPS has voted unanimously to **not arm teachers** and administrators.
      - e) Mr. Katz is working with and **negotiating with cities regarding the funding of SRO Officers**.
    - 3) School Calendar choices
      - a) There are four **proposed Calendar Options** (copies available)
      - b) Link to vote for the calendar for 2020-2021 school year.  
<https://surveyhero.com/c/588f5c55> (this was previously emailed to parents).



4) DAC updates

- a) **Dual enrollment** – DAC has made a motion to have caps on dual enrollment changed because it is limiting to Middle and High School students.
- b) **Website Recommendations** – pilot websites are Oakridge Elementary, Apollo Elementary and Cooper City high School.
- c) ID Badges - DAC is working to have a uniform policy schoolwide for the type of replacement ID badges given to students. Each student can receive up to 4 had plastic ID badges without a charge. The initial badge at the beginning of the school year and 3 replacement badges. Some schools are giving the students a temporary paper badge which does not solve the problem.
- d) Make- Up Work Policy - changes to Policy 6001. Absences can be sent to the school via email. All school websites should have this in the Contact portion of their website at the top right hand corner of the homepage. You will receive a receipt that you sent the absence notification.
- e) o Skipping school or class does not apply to having extended time to make up the work.

5) SAAC BREAKFAST FOR MONTHLY MEETINGS:

MacArthur High School hosts all of the meetings and has generously paid for the breakfasts every month. This year they would like the I Zones to help with the cost. They are willing to do the shopping and be reimbursed.

B. **SMART Update**

- a) Visit the website for updates <https://www.browardschools.com/smartfutures>
- b) Sunset Lakes Elementary upcoming roof and HVAC work this school year.

C. New Business – Q&A

D. Adjournment

**Reminders:**

1. *Friday, September 27<sup>th</sup> is picture day.*
2. *Everglades Innovation Zone will be having a parent meeting on Wednesday, October 2nd at Glades Middle School at 10:00 a.m.*
3. *The PTSA Direct Donation Drive will run until October 11th. .*
4. *South Area Advisory Council Website <http://southareaadvisory1.ch2v.com/>*