

Board Highlights

NMCUSD Agenda Online

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DELAC Report:

This group of parent leaders meeting regularly to provide input regarding services for students who are English Learners by providing input into the English Learners Master Plan, individual School Plans, and the Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP). Performance results of CELDT and an overview of the new English Language Proficiency Assessment for CA (ELPAC) was provided, in addition to information regarding Re-classification. The DELAC is working on parent leadership development, conducting their own meetings and workshops for other parents, building relationships, understanding and requesting resources for schools, promoting the Seal of Biliteracy option for high school students. ([Click here for presentation](#))

Attendance Awareness Proclamation Resolution:

Promoting a positive message to help parents, students, teachers and staff realize that daily attendance is key to academic success. Research shows that two to four missed days in the first month of school predicts chronic absenteeism. California has defined chronic absenteeism missing more than 10% of school days (18 per year or 1-2 days per month).

CAASPP 2016-2017 Report on Results:

The California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) is the statewide assessment system that includes: SBAC in ELA/Literacy and Mathematics in grades 3-8, grade 11, the CST in Science grade 5 and 8, the California Modified Assessment (CMA). There is now three years of SBAC data to review by school and grade level to determine programmatic areas of strength and focus. This year, there is an opportunity to view a cohort grade comparison over time. For example, how last year's 6th graders performed compared to the 2016 5th grade results compared to the 2015 4th grade results. It is not an exact student-by-student match but overall should demonstrate students are "improving" as they progress from grade level to grade level. ([Click here for the presentation](#))

Report on the 2010 Certificate of Participation

(COP) Long-term Payment Options: In 2010, the District obtained a "loan" called a Certificate of Participation to complete critical facilities improvements. The interest for this 2010 COP has a federal subsidized interest. At that time, the

Superintendent Reports:

- ❖ United Way highlights NMCUSD partnership @ annual Community Breakfast event; special guest speaker Sarah Turner from Prunedale Elementary
- ❖ College Making It Happen-Grade Level Parent Education Nights at NMCHS Scheduled Sept/Oct.
- ❖ Middle School's Fall Festival by PTG held on Sat. Sept. 30th
- ❖ Homecoming Week at HS with Grand Opening of new Athletic Track and Field.
- ❖ College and Career Day @ HS on Oct. 11th: 9th graders fieldtrips to MPC/Hartnell and CTE program classes to learn about Career Pathways, 10th and 11th graders took PSAT, 12th graders-Senior Seminars (college apps, financial aid), college fair, and guest speakers.
- ❖ NMCUSD host Community Event-Oct. 22nd
Parent/Community Workshops: [click here](#)
- ❖ NMCUSD participates in CA Great Shakeout Event-10/19 at 10:19 AM
- ❖ Professional Development Day on Friday, Oct. 13: [Click here for details of workshops offered.](#)
- ❖ New Teachers Support Workshops: [Click here for more information.](#)
- ❖ Student Engagement/Arts Integration workshop series are scheduled throughout the school year.

District has to provide a plan for re-payment of the loan with assumptions regarding revenue. Several of the assumptions were realized but two assumptions did not materialize. One was a higher interest rate earnings and the second one, which is significant, was receipt of developer fees from the Armstrong Ranch development, which did not happen due to the recession. Therefore, the District must create an alternative repayment plan to address annual payments beginning in July 2021. ([Click here for presentation](#))

School Resource Officer Program: A Partnership with the Monterey County Sheriff's Office for 2017-2018: The School Resource Officer Program allows a full-time Monterey County Sheriff Deputy to serve the NMCUSD schools and students as a School Resource Officer. The SRO will assist the NMCUSD schools in promoting and maintaining safe schools, improving school climate by developing healthy relationships, effective communications and supporting educational opportunities for all students.

The Memorandum of Understanding agreement for this partnership was modeled from the National School Resource Officer program standards and is inclusive of research-based best practices that ensure a seamless and appropriate partnership between the school, law enforcement and other agencies that can provide resources and assistance to students and their families. Deputy Humberto Coronado and Assistant Principal, Renee Rice attended a 40-hour training sponsored by the National School Resource Officer Association in June and they are working to implement best practice strategies this school year. Deputy Coronado has a district email humberto_coronado@nmcusd.org and phone extension (831) 633-3343 ext. 3236.

The SRO will:

- Be visible within the NMCUSD school community. Attend and participate in school functions.
- Build working relationships with school staff as well as with students and parents.
- Establish and maintain a close partnership with school administrators in order to provide for a safe school environment.
- Assist school officials with their efforts to enforce Board of Education policies and procedures.
- Provide law enforcement services to the NMCUSD schools, school grounds and areas adjacent to the schools.
- Be present and assist school administrators in emergency crisis response planning and provide related training for school personnel.
- Work with administrators, counselors and other support staff to assist students and to provide services to students involved in situations where referrals to other service agencies are necessary. Assist in conflict resolution efforts.

([Click here for presentation](#))

Presentations and Bulletin Board Displays

- ❖ **Pre-School and After School Education and Safety Programs Presentation:**
Pre-school serves 3-4 year olds and exposes students to numbers, letters, and shapes; focuses on socializing and strengthening social and emotional development, teaching students to compromise, be respectful, and problem-solve. Likewise, students who participate in afterschool programs have more developed social skills show more confidence as a result of caring relationships they develop with staff and other students. Key focus of the afterschool programs is to develop a connection with our local community and providing extended enrichment opportunities.
([Click here for presentation](#))

- ❖ **Highlights of the Grand Openings of the New Athletic Track and Field Projects:**
On Friday, October 6th the NMCHS hosted their first home game on the new athletic track and field. It truly was a "Homecoming" event as over 2,500 people attended, many of whom were alumni who graduated and/or worked for the high school as former teachers and/or athletic coaches. Community members, parents, students and staff shared there was a real sense of "community" and how impressed they were with our Marching Band's performance, how our football teams performed beautifully, and that their was real "Condor Pride." The next home game is Friday, November 3rd. The Monterey County Office of Education's MCAET program will be filming and streaming live the game on the following: TV coverage-over air Comcast 26 for the game-kick off is at 7:30 PM. Also available Livestream.com (link via MCAET.org)

- ❖ **Presentation of Measure 'H' Citizen's Bond Oversight Committee Annual Report for 2017:** Proposition 39 requires the sponsoring school district of an approved measure to establish a Citizen's "Bond" Oversight Committee (BOC) to review expenditures, annually report and inform the public regarding the expenditures of the general obligation bond. The BOC must provide an annual report confirming that bond funds were expended in accordance with Prop 39 requirements. The NMCUSD Measure H Bond Oversight Committee annual report for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2017 was presented and received.
([Click here for BOC Annual Report 2017](#))

- ❖ **College and Career Readiness Presentation:**
Our LCAP goal #2 focuses on College/Career Readiness and the State has recently released the College/Career Readiness State Indicator which measures student readiness levels as prepared, approaching prepared, and not prepares using multiple measures to include SBAC scores in 11th grade, AP Exams, PSAT/SAT, A-G completion, CTE pathway completion.