

School Health Advisory Council (SHAC)
Regular Meeting

Date: 03/1/2022

Time: 11:30am

Place: KISD Education Center Board Room

I. Call To Order

Tricia Atzger-John called to order the regular meeting of the SHAC on March 1, 2022 at 11:30am in the board room of the Keller ISD Education Center.

II. Attendees

Kimberly Boone retrieved the roll call from the designated QR Code used for sign-in. The following members were present:

Tricia Atzger-John – SHAC Advisor and KISD Director of Health Services

Dr. Casey Sanders - Chair

Mark Brems – Co-Chair

Kimberly Boone – Secretary

Sheri Rich – KISD Director of Employee Benefits

Kelly Vandewalker – KISD PE Coordinator

John Birt

Jennifer Price (guest)

Amanda Flachsbart

Dr. Nisha Saran-Carter

Jennifer Fox

Ashlea Stickane

Dr. Tonya Fuqua, DDS

Heather Washington

Shannon Jenkins (guest)

Diane Wormley

Lesley Lambson

Sandy Lodato

Melanie Maine (guest)

III. Introductions

- Introduction of KISD Leadership team and roles
- Introduction of KISD District-level representation
- Determination of quorum to vote on the proposed health curriculum
- Interest in serving on SHAC during the 2022/2023 school year

IV. Approval of Minutes

- Questions regarding the process of and access to updated information from the previous meeting noted and resolved
- A motion to approve the minutes of the previous meeting held on November 16, 2021, was made by Dr. Tonya Fuqua, and seconded by John Birt

V. Discussion

- Health Curriculum for Keller ISD Students
 - o The Board of Trustees approved a resolution to convene the SHAC to make recommendations for the health curriculum including human sexuality instruction at their KISD board meeting on December 13, 2021.
 - o Per SB 9, there was a requirement to host two public viewings of the available curriculum options. Viewings were advertised in the weekly KISD community newsletter as well as on social media.
 - o January 19, 2022 – First public viewing of curriculum was held in the KISD Boardroom from 4:00pm – 6:00pm. Vendors and staff that were present:
 - Quavers Ed (Health/PE for grades K-5)
 - Good Heart Wilcox (Grades 6-12)
 - Big Decisions (Human Sexuality Health TEKS)
 - Carrie Simmons (Staff – PE Coordinator)
 - Bart Helsey (Staff – Assistant Director of Athletics)
 - Shannon Jenkins (Staff – Coordinator of Elementary Counseling)
 - o February 7, 2022 – Second public viewing of curriculum was held in the KISD Boardroom from 4:00pm – 7:00pm. Vendors and staff that were present:
 - Quavers Ed (Health/PE for grades K-5)
 - Good Heart Wilcox (Grades 6-12)
 - Big Decisions (Human Sexuality Health TEKS)
 - Alliance for Children (K-5 Counseling)
 - The Women’s Center (K-5 Counseling)
 - Carrie Simmons (Staff – PE Coordinator)
 - Kelly Vandewalker (Staff – PE Coordinator)

- Shannon Jenkins (Staff – Coordinator of Elementary Counseling)
 - Candace Harriman, RN (Staff – District Lead Nurse)
 - Tricia Atzger-John (Staff – Director of Health Services)
- o Brief Outline of Health curriculum presented by Kelly Vandewalker and Shannon Jenkins
 - Health is currently considered an elective and is not required for graduation
 - The proposed curriculum is based on TEKS (Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills)
 - Quavers Ed develops their own programs and teachers can choose from all kinds of materials. Parents have access to materials as well
 - Good Heart Wilcox is a textbook for teachers to use along with online support and is up to date with currently reliable information.
 - Big Decisions regards social and emotional learning. It provides a common ground and space for students to feel comfortable asking questions and having educated discussions about real world problems including sexual education
 - Each unit is an average of about 10 days
 - Alliance for Children and The Women’s Center both provide support for the curriculum and are currently being used. The vendors are onsite at campuses to deliver age-appropriate instruction with KISD staff present to identify any students that may be affected by a lesson. Alliance for Children has adjusted their curriculum to meet the requirements of SB9 by including human trafficking and child abuse topics
- Vote on Recommended Health Curriculum
 - o Only district appointed SHAC members are eligible to vote
 - o 19 total members present and 13 are not district employees identifying that there is a quorum of at least 51% to proceed with the vote on the curriculum
 - o Concerns about having enough information and feedback from the public to vote on any recommendations for the next board of trustees meeting at this time due to low attendance at both public viewings
 - o Motion for recommendations of health curriculum tabled with 6 votes in favor, 8 votes against, and 5 abstentions
 - o Special meeting will need to be held before the end of March to get a SHAC voted recommendation to the board of trustees before their next meeting. Date and time will be determined and all SHAC members will be notified

- 2022/2023 SHAC Membership Recruitment
 - The new membership will be aligned with the school year
 - Will continue using a link through the district newsletter for interested parties and then vet all potential members through their school principals for recommendation for membership
 - Membership selections will be representative of every campus and or grade level where possible
 - Registration cut-off will be March 25, 2022
 - Board approvals may be received by May or June and members will be contacted

- District Wellness Update
 - Campus nurses continuously still working with students that had difficulty with vision, hearing, and spinal screenings
 - Sherri Rich – KISD Director of Employee Benefits
 - Casey Kids Fun Run still scheduled for March 26, 2022
 - All proceeds from the fun run go back to Keller ISD
 - Possibility of a SHAC table at the event to help get the word out about the committee
 - In need of a dentist for oral hygiene and a vision doctor
 - 20 vendors so far have signed up to be a part of the event

- General questions from members

VI. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 12:44pm made by Heather Washington and seconded by Dr. Tonya Fuqua

Next regular meeting is scheduled for April 25, 2022 at 11:30am in the education center board room

Minutes Submitted By: Kimberly Boone

Approved By: SHAC membership meeting on April 25, 2022