

**PAC minutes****Casa Blanca (Vista Norte)****Date: November 21, 2024****Time: 5:00pm-7:00pm****Location: 7680 Casa Blanca St Riverside, CA 92504****Meeting Link:** <https://meet.google.com/fcm-ouro-die>

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Meeting Start Time: 5:16 p.m.**Welcome & Introduction:**

Brittney Calderon thanked everyone who showed up to the quarterly PAC meeting, announcing that there is food for everyone to enjoy. Jesse Taylor also thanked everyone for showing up.

The first thing we have to do is approve the September 5, 2024 meeting minutes. 1st approval is Brittney Calderon, 2nd motion of approval is Monica Gutierrez.

The ELD Leads introduced themselves. Brittney Calderon gave her contact information and her responsibilities, and Monica Gutierrez also explained her role and gave her contact information. ELL Paraprofessional Avigail Sotelo explained who she is, what her role is, her work hours, and contact information.

Purpose of PAC:

Brittney Calderon gave "What is PAC?" and Raquel Goyenaga gave the Spanish translation:

1. Purpose: The Parent Advisory Committee (PAC) is a school-level committee composed of parents, staff, and community members who help advise the school.

School Counselor Updates:

Ms. Vasquez introduced herself first and thanked the Parents for coming. She began with field trip updates:

- RCC Campus Tour October 24, 2024: 11 students attended.
- Medieval Times November 7, 2024: 22 students attended (7 students from Casa, 30 AVI students).
- FAFSA - Open NOW.
- EMT Pathway = Scheduled for March 2025.
- College & Career Fair - April 30, 2025 (San Bernardino).

General Updates:

- Turkey Giveaway with CBHNS: This Saturday, November 23, 2024, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- A free Turkey information pamphlet is also shared with parents.
- Season of Giving offered by CBHNS, November 29, 2024, registration is open.
- Counselors on Call for the week of Holiday Break, November 25 - November 29.
- EMT program is being offered here at CASA, and it is a 16-week program.

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They will learn everything that is needed to be able to be certified as an EMT.

Also shared info about Care Solace, which is a service that provides students, staff, and their families with mental health care.

English Learner Reclassification:

Monica Gutierrez: “Reclassification is the process when a student is moved to the status of Fluent English Proficient.” For summative, they need a level 4 overall, Reading 209+ Lexile score 850 for NWEA, 5 classes of English with a C or better. Overall Level 4 on the ELPAC.

Congratulations to the students who reclassified:

- Domingo Domingo Segundo

This year more resources will be provided for Level 3 students: There will be 2 days focused on preparing for the exam, reviewing possible questions, and test materials (Tuesday and Wednesday).

SIGI classes are being provided on teaching students to develop their English speaking skills on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 10 a.m.

Testing:

Monica Gutierrez & Brittney Calderon explained the difference between all tests.

- NWEA: Measures the academic progress of English and Math.
- Initial ELPAC: will only be taken once and is used to identify students as English Learner or Fluent English.
- Summative ELPAC: annual assessment to measure an English learner’s progress towards English language proficiency (ELP).

[Ms. Calderon asked if anyone had taken the Summative ELPAC and STUDENT Josue Bautista raised his hand and said “Yup, it was a long test.”]

- CAASPP.

Colin Opseth gave a brief introduction and again thanked everyone for coming.

- 1st Report Card: Found on the school website in Spanish and English on the Accountability Tab. Every year the data about how many students are attending needs to be updated to the state, and we are pleased to inform that our school shows improvement compared to others. 29% are English Learners. Also saw an increase in those who participate in CTE.
- Title 1 Evaluation: 869 took the NWEA, and that test is what we use for tutoring and intervention. About 25% showed that their academic understanding grew. 600% in credit completion. Federal funded program that helps Title schools. We use the funding to help students with tutoring and interventions.

Family Engagement Liaison:

Raquel explained who she was and her role as a Family Engagement Liaison. She explained she is the go-to person to contact with anything to do with family issues. She shared her QR code where her phone number and email are available.

Community Liaison:

Gerardo Pulido shared his role in the community and also shared free resources:

- Music Class on Monday at 6 p.m. for ages 8-16.
- Stepping into God's Grace - Counseling class (Anger management, Marriage, etc.) every Friday.
- Young Lives of Riverside - Child resources for new parents, 1st and 3rd Tuesday at 10 a.m. for those 20 and under.
- Food Drive: 100 bags of food starting at 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.
- Emergency food Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday.
- Dec 15th Toy Drive: Registration day will be November 29th, ALL FREE (Made it clear that the registration form should be filled out completely).
- Turkey Giveaway November 23, 2024: 100 turkeys will be given from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. (Or until supplies last).

Added by staff member:

- Soup Kitchen, 3rd Friday of the month, starts at 5:30 p.m.
- There are hot meals from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. every day.
- CALFRESH application assistance is also offered in the community center.

Brittney Calderon:

Asked for parent suggestions or if they have any questions or comments.

- None.

“Thank you all for coming” - Brittney Calderon

Meeting adjourned: 6:28 p.m.

Feedback from stakeholders:

Parents:

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Staff:

Staff member Gerardo and 2 community members added:

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Students:

Student Josue Bautista commented on his experience with the Summative ELPAC.

Meeting Attendance:

Our meeting was attended by 18 people, including students, staff, and parents.