



The purpose of the SAC is to inform, encourage, and provide opportunities for parents and community members to be involved in the planning and evaluation of the school's instructional program and quality improvement processes.

Renaissance Secondary School
School Accountability Committee (SAC)

Agenda /Minutes

February 13, 2025 @ 5:30pm

Attendance	SAC Members: Eric Crewes, Shannon Herzog, Amy Stuart, Kristen Gerstner, Scott Mengel, Ryan Lazarony Others in Attendance:
Opening Reading	Shannon Herzog Poem: "Thirteen" by Ruby Jing Perkins
Open Forum	None.
Approval of Meeting Minutes	<u>SAC Minutes November 2024</u> Kristen moved to approve. Scott seconded. All in favor.
District Accountability Committee (DAC)	Eric Crewes Doc: <u>https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Yt1Y1yjo48kukxJsM-SpsnK1ZgXAsxv0F79OuR-Z8lY/edit?tab=t.0</u> Budget Growth and decline Charters make up some of the decline. Deportation policy. Budget priority questionnaire due March 23rd.
Parent Crew Foundation	Kristen Gerstner - PCF planning fundraiser auction/gala - new venue at Villa Parker Trying to increase attendance for this year - newsletter, etc. Meeting regularly to discuss procurement and planning.

	PCF Rep will come in to talk about teacher time, etc. next week and the following. April 12th - tickets on sale now. Raising funds for the hydroponic gardens in the school. The goal is \$30,000. https://events.handbid.com/lp/renaissance-crew-rendezvous-2025/tickets Goodies in the lounge today!
Staff Update	Shannon Herzog Raptor Roar Spirit Week Empty bowls fundraiser is Feb. 21st. Collaborations with the elementary school. Scholastic Art & Writing Awards Architect presentation Expedition night Volleyball New EL curriculum Portfolio presentation EL professional development
School Leader Report	Dr. Amy Stuart Student Celebrations & Scholarships Accolades: CO parents family favorites, Turkey Trot, Apple Awards Nominations Blankets of Hope 'Snowball' Fight: Students attach a note to a flannel blanket for someone experiencing homelessness. First Friday drumming. CHSAA wants to up the school spirit. Snow-ventures Xblock. Tellie therapy dog visit. Blush and Blum Bash: Casino night Athletics: Cheer, Boys and Girls Basketball, Climbing Caving trips FAFSA grant to take students to visit colleges; Western and CSU. Staffing and Expansion Updates: Assistant principal role Engagement for expansion possibilities: DCSD process -deadline April 1st, architect -master plan, talk with everyone for an overall scope ie. phases, possibilities for land

Budget Priorities	Discussion of budget priorities Staffing: Salaries Professional Development & EL Education Partnership Arts & PE Technology Transportation & Fieldwork Adventure Education UIP: 2-year cycle, Continuous work on PWR
Calendar – Next meeting date & reading	Two SAC positions opening up - parent crew rep, plus one at-large parent rep. In April we will solicit nominations for the at-large parent rep. Next Meeting: April 17th Thursday 5:30pm Reading: Scott Mengel
Adjournment	Ryan moves to adjourn. Eric seconded.

During open forum, each attendee may share for up to three minutes thoughts and ideas that relate to SAC. Topics brought to SAC may be put on a future agenda for discussion. Speakers must observe rules of decorum and not engage in other disruptive behavior. If a speaker is in the middle of a sentence when time is called, he/she may finish their thought before sitting down. The time guidelines ensure that others will have an opportunity to speak. Speakers may not allot their time to others. SAC open forum is designed for parents or community members to bring items to the SAC and is not a question/answer session. Questions about the school's program or non-SAC related comments or questions should be sent directly to school staff: info@rensec.org.