

K-12 Parent Regional Meeting - September 12, 2006 Laguna Creek High School

Campus & Community Safety

- Security measures seem too harsh and institutional.
- Spend more effort in training students on expected behaviors.
- Appreciate system of calling parents when students are out.
- Staff too limited for current escort process; secondary schools need more parent organizations like PTO.
- Current procedures focused on dealing with worst behaviors rather than reinforcing positive.
- Where are secondary schools in limiting enrollment to capacity numbers.
- Forms parent groups representative of all groups to establish codes, rules of conduct.
- Competent mediation/managements program at every level that is inclusive of all students with responses to bullying.
- What level of supervision is there in non-classroom environments?
- Facilitate interaction between elementary - secondary for conflict management/student teams.
- Are campus procedures for visitors consistent on all campuses to protect from intruders?
- Systems for teachers connecting personally with their students.
- What plans are there to make all campuses closed, fenced, protected entry - exit?
- Secondary schools are too big.
- Provide adequate security for evening events, minimum days, rallies, etc.
- How do we acclimate students bussed into our communities to our culture and expectations?
- Set clear expectations to direct students where they should go after school.
- What are the rules regarding out of area, out of district students attending EGUSD schools?
- Set up processes/procedures for addressing issues while they are still small.
- Enforce, encourage being on time to school at all levels.
- Security measures are not consistent from elementary to secondary.
- Elementary supervision needs to be funded at a level that provides more staff.
- What can parents/community do when they see truant students? Especially groups.
- Hold to and enforce zero tolerance or important issues.
- Transition - elem to middle school (before and after school) Yard duty? Parking lot, bike safety
- Transition - elem to middle school district support needed with district boundary changes - standardized option, point person to help with district transfers (support systematic)
- Parent Involvement - after school/parent funded; music/arts?/ more options needed
- Late start is a big problem for many working parents
- After/before school program - extended day needed
- For the security and safety teachers need to monitor yard, bathroom, and street
- Harriet Eddy - share with parents what is going on, not just the roses; meeting to let parents know what admin is concerned about and working on
- Managing LCHS student car/traffic flow - exit of parking lot
- Have site safety committee meetings
- Honest communication of facts
- Open campus at Ehrhardt - worried about open gates (lock please); concern about high school students on campus
- At Donner - person needs to be out front longer than 5 to 10 minutes; more parents/adults out after school; on campus 1 within eyesight of fence
- District/school should not become dependent on parents
- Theft: (primarily at MS and HS) - stealing of personal property, need program to report thefts; we need to go beyond this, locker breakins; what is the parent part here? Can it be addressed with a newsletter?
- Theft: 6th grade belongings - teachers need to follow-up
- Theft: What is the school and parents responsibility
- More parent involvement - focus on action, need to be involved with children; parents want to work with the schools - educate our children/not raise my child

- Drug dogs - when? Where? How often? Should be random
- Handbook: rules not enforced; revise or re-visit rules; see consequences
- District should make information available to feeder schools
- Working with local papers/translate data/view image
- Concerns - Closed campus - (elem & mid school also) Fence by Oct 15 (Lat other mid/elem)
- After school - having to leave at 3:00 (carpool issues)
- Crossing the street / supervision - staggering school close at 3:00
- Shift of campus culture - respect of students, student discussion groups (Spirit Council going)
- Concern of drugs/weapons (in and out of class) (move from control to less control)
- HE - kids in street - Bruceville (parent awareness/safety)
- Video monitor?
- After School activities - enforce rules/respect - How do we involve parents here? Watch rewards - student athletes
- Concern - offload schools