MINUTES

I. Housekeeping Rules and Successful Management of an Effective Meeting
Elizabeth Mora welcomed everyone starting the meeting at 5:37 p.m. Leslie presented a video on housekeeping rules and participating in a meeting.

II. Welcome and Member Presentations:
Elizabeth once more welcomed parents and staff.

III. Agenda Review:
Elizabeth went over the agenda and asked for a motion. Sabas Santiago made the first motion to accept the agenda, seconded by Monica Figueroa. Majority passed motion.

IV. Reading and Approval of Minutes:
Elizabeth asked parents to approve the minutes of Oct 21th. Monica Figueroa made a motion to approve the minutes, seconded by Esbeidy Pina. Majority passed motion.

V. Information on District PAC Meetings:
Elizabeth gave the floor to Gabriela and Carmen. Leslie presented a video on how to enter a Break Room.

Winters PAC 12/1/21 - Elizabeth Mora President welcomed everyone. There was no Regional or State report since meetings are scheduled during this week. There was a CAMP presentation and requirements to enroll in program, and parents commented there should be someone at the high school to help students who plan to attend college. Parents suggested a workshop for high school students to prepare for college applications, FAFSA, EOP, and CAMP. Many parents expressed their frustration with the process. There was another presentation on HEP and its benefits for students finishing credits. Dates of the next meetings for ELAC and PAC will be in February 2022.

Dixon PAC 11/30/21 - Meeting began at 6:00 pm. Teacher Luquin gave a presentation on the ESSA Title 1, Part C regulations, how funding is used, and its importance. Gabriela gave a presentation on parent/teacher conferences, preparation, questions for parents to prepare. Parents can also request meetings when needed and establishing good communication with teachers. Gabi reminded parents conferences are to form a team to support students. Ms. Luquin said the last day to fill out the salary applications is Dec 10th and is important because we could lose funding. She talked about recruitment for AVID (preparing students for college). She also shared the presentation given at the Board Meeting on plan to have a bilingual program at Gretchen Higgins school. Instruction would be 90% Spanish and 10% English. This would be for 6 years, if approved; it may have to be by lottery since there are 83 families interested.

Woodland PAC 11/4/21 - VP Maria Lara welcomed parents and started the meeting at 6:22 pm. Gabriela spoke on the ILP process. Gabi shared what the ILP is and done during a parent
conference, its academic, health and emotional needs. She informed parent of the new regulations for RPAC meetings, and recruitment. There was also an election for a new president, since the last person nominated was not eligible. Lourdes shared there is a toy registration on Oct 6th in Woodland at 9:00 a.m.

_Galt PAC 11/9/21 - First PAC meeting in Galt. There were nominations and elections for the new committee. Claudia Aguiar is the secretary, and Alicia Hernandez is Alternate. President and Vice-president nominations will take place at the next meeting. Parents did the Needs Assessment survey. Dannel gave the ELPAC and CASSSP report. Gabi introduced Corina Anaya, the new coordinator. Monica Garcia asked parents of children 3 or 4 years old, if they are interested in classes to contact her._

_River Delta PAC 11/17/21 - There were elections for the new committee, Laura Meza-President, Norma Medina-Vice-President, Maria Pineda-Alternate, and Esmeralda Sanchez-Secretary. The Needs Assessment Survey was done. River Delta has a large need for counselors and the district is doing everything possible to contract new counselors to help with the excess of students. Parents were informed of the food banks and no information was required. Ms. Chelo informed the parents of the Cosecha Sana program that offers families help if they have COVID. The number is 916-720-8434. On Dec 17th there will be a vaccination clinic for flu and COVID in Walnut Grove and Isleton will be giving out coats to students._

_Napa PAC – 11/15/21 – Teacher Martha Calderon gave a presentation on Study Skills and Strategies for Homework. Liliana Calderon gave a presentation on Communication between Parents and Children. Arizbeth Corro, district representative, gave a presentation on New Report Card, Access to STAR, ELA and Mathematics results. Lastly, we had announcements made by staff._

_Santa Rosa PAC – 11/18/21 – Victoria Garcia reported there was a presentation on the Results of the summer programs by Julian Ocegueda. Julian also informed the group regarding the changes, there would possibly be a new person who will be in charge of the tutoring and meetings for the Migrant Program. The Needs Assessment Survey was done. There were elections for the new committee officers, Victoria Garcia-President, Adriana Vazquez-Vice-President, Karen Atrisco-Secretary and Gracia Heredia-Alternate. Carmen revised the District ByLaws and went over Robert’s Rules and the Green/Brown Act._

_Ukiah PAC – 11/17/21 - Sabas Santiago reported on the Ukiah meeting. There was a presentation on Mental Health. Viviana Casillas from Centro Medico de St. Joseph, explained the effects of stress on the body and gave suggestions on having more minutes of relaxation in times of stress. Alma Ingram, ME staff, gave a presentation on Identification and Recruitment. She explained how and who qualifies for the Migrant Program._

_Windsor PAC – 10/25/21 – Elizabeth Cabrera reported that Allison Griggs spoke regarding goals and objectives for migrant students for the school year 21-22. She also gave a report on the state exams ELPAC, CAASPP. Erica Perez, CAMP, did a presentation on the CAMP Program and the_
services offered. Juliana Corr, counselor, spoke on the Individualized Learning Plan (ILP), they will be calling all families assigned in the Migrant Program to ask for information on each student. Carmen gave information on the latest Regulations of the RPAC.

Fort Bragg PAC – 11/09/21 – Maria Cazares reported Genevieve Benegas, therapist for Health Habits from the Mendocino Clinic, gave a presentation on the Signs of Anxiety, Depression and their causes. Tina Krenov spoke on the Individualized Learning Plan (ILP). She also gave out information on the Focus Areas on the State Service Delivery Plan (SSDP). Carmen gave a presentation on the new regulations for the RPACs effective April 2022. She reminded everyone to follow on REMIND for notifications.

VI. Public Comments (only topics from agenda):
There were no comments.

VII. Old Business:
There was no old business.

VIII. New Business: SPAC Report
Elizabeth gave the SPAC Report. Superintendent Tony Thurmond wants to have a campaign for books to give to students starting with 3rd grade to understand their culture. Parents who want to participate can send an email to statewideliteracycampaign@cde.ca.gov. There will be no Speech and Debate this year, only at the Regional and district levels. The Parent Conference will be held virtually this year. Hopefully next year, we will continue with in person Conference. The Binational Program will take place in 2022. Parents asked for the Bilingual teachers from their regions in Mexico to learn culture traditions. Mathematics teaches our children math is not hard and can be used in everything from cooking to games to classwork.

Laura gave a presentation on Adolescence. The 3 tiers, Early (11-13 years old), Medium (14-18 years old) and Late (19-21 year old). Must learn the emotional experiences our children go through, communication between parents and children, and teaching our children to have compassion and auto-compassion. There are various types of conversations Affective, Effective and Superficial.
Parents asked for the link to view the video. https://youtu.be/qYx2-8MjitHk
Fanny Olarte asked regarding Speech and Debate. Does the program teacher the children how to do this? Can she sign her child up? Sarah Yerman explained there is a class to help the students understand how this is done. ME is presently in the process of hiring the teachers to begin the classes.
Yesenia Cabrera asked regarding the Bilingual teachers. Sarah Yerman explained we will not be having the Bilingual teachers back this year because of COVID. Hopefully they will be returning next year.

Elizabeth welcomed the ADs. Julian introduced a presentation by Sarah Williams on the new regulations. Part A funding is for school districts with a large number of low-income students. Part C funding is specifically for migrant students. Migrant students qualify for both programs.

X. New Business: Communication between Parents and Children
Gabriela gave a very beautiful informative presentation on the communication between parents and children. Gabriela also stated there are How To books to help parents. Many of the parents asked for a copy of the books. Gabriela stated she would be adding the links to some of the book titles on the chat.

XI. New Business: New Regulations for RPAC

Elizabeth went over the new regulations for RPAC, there will be 15 parents on the board from different school districts. It will be comprised of parents from the 15 largest districts. Parents will nominate 5 of the 15 parents to be on the Round Table. The RPAC will have up to 3 community members. The large districts will be Napa, Ukiah, Santa Rosa, Galt, Williams, Winters, Woodland, Dixon, Windsor, Kelseyville, Yuba City, River Delta, and Esparto. Nomination will be in February. In March, nominated will be reviewed to be sure they qualify. Elections will be in April. Gabriela stated there would be more workshops to learn more on the RPACs.

XII. Announcements

Elizabeth asked if there were any announcements to be made. There were none.

XIII. Adjournment

Elizabeth asked for a motion to adjourn the meeting. Monica Figueroa made the first motion to adjourn, seconded by Adriana Zuniga. Majority passed motion. Meeting adjourned at 7:05 p.m.