

Elizabethtown High School SBDM Minutes

November 16, 2023

4:30 PM

EHS Mission Statement

“Through a culture of excellence, Elizabethtown High School provides the knowledge and resources for ALL students to achieve their highest level and become productive citizens in a global society.”

EHS Vision Statement:

“Making a difference: Every Day, Every Student.”

I. Opening Business:

- A. The SBDM meeting was called to order by Chairman Ben Monnett at 4:30 In attendance: Sizemore, Bratcher, Breunig, Lively, Seybert-Smith, Monnett and Rebecca Evans (SBDM secretary), Silva, and Hayes. Guest Attendee Tyler Cantrell, EHS Band Director.
- B. The November Agenda motion for approval was made by Sizemore, seconded by Bratcher and unanimously approved by all.
- C. November SBDM Minutes motion for approval was made by Bratcher, seconded by Sizemore and unanimously approved by all

II. Celebrations & Recognitions

- A. Celebrations: EHS Test scores from the 22/23 school year have been made public and EHS showed significant improvement and is a Green School. 99 of our students took the PSAT and 33 qualified for National Merit Eligibility. 18 of them were in the top 10%.

III. Public Comment - No public attendance

IV. Monthly Agenda Items

- A. Band Fees Review
 1. The EHS Winterguard will be participating in the WG1, the highest level of competition. Competitors from all over the world will be in Dayton Ohio. Mr. Cantrell proposed raising the Winterguard Fee from \$250 to \$400. With the level of competition rising so does the expense for the designer, uniforms, travel etc. Mr. Cantrell shared that he does not see this increase being a hindrance to any of the Winterguard families. Motion to approve the increase to \$400 was made by Jason Hayed, seconded by Al Silva, and unanimously approved by all in attendance.
- B. Discipline Data Overview:
 1. Tardies are still the #1 reason for referrals at this time. There is a trending split between minority and non minority.
 2. Minimal Fights for this period.
 3. Skipping, Tardy, and Walking out of class among the top offenses.
- C. EHS Accountability Updates
 1. Teachers will meet with all students during advisory 11/27 - 11/15 to go over test scores and accountability.

- D. ROTC -
 - 1. Discussions are still in process for the ROTC program. Once board agrees to move forward additional plans will go into motion.
- E. CSIP - Will be working on Needs assessment this month.

V. Budget Review Motion to approve the budget was made by Bratcher, seconded by Smith and unanimously approved by all in attendance.

- A. Activity Budget - Motion to accept made by Bratcher seconded by Lively, and unanimously approved by all in attendance
- B. Section 6 - Motion to accept made by Bratcher, seconded by Lively, and unanimously approved by all in attendance.

VI. SBDM Policy Review

- A. Policy Review
 - 1. - Assignment of instructional and non instructional staff time - Council will review and at December meeting will go over and suggest any changes
 - 2. Student Assignment - council will review and at December meeting will go over and suggest changes.
 - 3. School Schedule - council will review and at December meeting will go over and suggest changes. Trimesters were brought up by the council with some concerns. Decision on the 2024/25 schedules will be made in February. Will discuss with teachers to find out their top three priorities, what they want and the options for scheduling.

VII. New/Proposed Items for November

- A. Policy Review
 - 1. School Space
 - 2. Extracurricular Programs
 - 3. Program Evaluation
- B. Panther College Overviews and Updates - Butler will attend
- C. Comprehensive School Improvement Plan (Due. January 1)

VIII Adjournment: The SBDM meeting will be on Thursday December 14 at 4:30. Motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Bratcher, seconded by Silva and unanimously approved by all at 5:45.