

SHAC MEETING MINUTES 2/18/09

The meeting of February 18, 2009 at the PISD Administration Boardroom was called to order by Larry Williams at 12:10pm.

Members present: Larry Williams, Diane Koop, Lisa Harper, Vanessa Kunefke, Vicki Adams, Kay Lawson, Joe Adams, Herbert Ressler, Selina Garcia, Peggy Scantlen, Cara Herlin, Rita Cepak, Carolyn Kubecka, and Gary Figirova

The meeting began with an update on the Biggest Loser Contest currently underway at PISD for staff members. There are 19 participants in this semester's contest. The contest will end in March and a portion of the funds raised will be awarded to the top 3 winners and the rest will go towards scholarships to PISD students interested in pursuing a career in the medical/health fields. The Fall contest results were reviewed.

The Trull Foundation generously awarded PISD \$2500 towards scheduling Dr. Cupp, a motivational speaker to come visit our PISD students in the 2009-2010 school year. There was discussion on how to raise more funds to cover the extra cost of Dr. Cupp.

Other items of interest addressed during the meeting were:

- Contacting local resources (at no cost to the district) to speak to PISD students regarding self mutilation, alcohol binging, drugs, teen pregnancy, abstinence, sex education on STD's;
- Lisa Harper requested permission to teach 4th grade girls about menstruation and was instructed to come up with a curriculum to be approved by the SHAC at the next meeting;
- Fitness gram testing is currently being wrapped up on each campus to submit information to the state and send letters home to parents regarding their child's results;
- Jump Rope for Heart will take place in late April on Eastside and Central campuses to raise money for the American Heart Association.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:45pm and will meet again before the end of the school year.