

AGENDA

K.O. Knudson Academy of Creative Arts and Technology
School Organizational Team Meeting
K.O. Knudson Middle School – Library Annex
Thursday, April 4, 2019
4:00pm

School Organizational Team Members:

Shea Dokken
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Amanda Hicks
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Susan Sancrant
Lyn Thomas
Elizabeth Adkins, Student
Lezlie Koepp, Principal

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It is asked that speakers be respectful to each other, Team members, the principal and school district staff. Speakers that are disruptive will be asked to leave the meeting.



Welcome

Celebrations

- Our Junior Varsity Quiz team had a great showing at the CCSD Jr Varsity Quiz tournament!
- Our theatre department did it again with an amazing performance of *Mary Poppins!*
- Choir had a wonderful Pre-Festival Concert.
- The Advanced Women and Chamber Choirs both earned Superiors at the CCSD Choral Festival!
- The Band Department also earned a Superior at the CCSD Band Festival!
- Our Girls' Basketball team made the Division II Play-Offs!
- The K.O. Staff retained their champion status in our Annual Staff vs Student Basketball game!
- Our Thespians had a fantastic performance at Regionals! Congratulations to the following students for earning an *Excellent* rating: Geena Ravelo Cepero, Taviana Fitzgerald, Sofia Shortsleeve, Yahaira Garcia, Michelle Freeland, Maddox Martinez, and Tarrance Bynum. The following students earned a *Superior* rating and qualified for International Conference in Nebraska: Keri Stayman, Kelis Blanco, Micaela Randle, Natasha Ybarra, Candise Wang, Chloe Quevedo, Ethan Koepp, Jamie Stayman, Madison Talania, Sydney Stuart, Elizabeth Adkins, Ashley Sternberg, and Xiaoyou Wang. Additionally, our K.O. Thespian Troupe 88532 was awarded Gold Honor Troupe Status!! We are the only middle school in Nevada to earn this distinction!
- The TV Production Department took a trip California Great Adventure for an Animation Workshop this weekend!
- Student Council conducted a successful Food Drive.
- Our Librarian, Ms. Lowry, hosted a great Nevada Reading Week and Book Fair!
- Mr. Bertolani, Mr. Gaskill, Ms. Owens, Ms. Rampton, and Ms. Symes were selected as finalists for the *Heart of Education* awards!
- The math department organized another ALEKS celebration!
- Ms. Terry won \$250 for classroom supplies!
- Mr. Gaskill won a \$500 grant for a 7th Grade Science soap making project.
- We hosted another FACES Family Engagement Night: *Most Wanted: Trending Apps Used by Teens for Cyberbullying*
- We had an incredibly successful Magnet Student Induction Night! Our future Cougars are so excited to join our K.O. family!
- Orchestra earned a Superior at CCSD Orchestra Festival!
- Our Folklorico Department hosted their annual Folklorico Palooza.
- The Science Department took students on a field trip to Eldorado Canyon.
- Chamber Choir sang as the featured Choir at Carnegie Hall!!
- The Theatre Department took a field trip to see Del Sol Academy's Newsies.

Approval of Minutes

New Items

- 1. Update on 2019 2020 Staffing
- 2. *Reading Plus* presentation

General Discussion

- 1. Stop the Bleed Training
- 2. Fund Our Schools Now Rally
- 3. Items for future agenda

Information

- 1. Next Meeting: 5/2/19
- 2. Calendar of Upcoming Events

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. 4/5	March Student of the Month during both lunches
. 4/5	CCSD Mariachi Festival
. 4/6	Art trip to Disneyland
. 4/6	NMEA All-State Concert
. 4/9	Volleyball at Lied MS
	Soccer at Harney MS
. 4/10 – 4/12	MSA Conference Magnet School of Distinction Award Ceremony
. 4/10	4 th Quarter Progress Report Grading Window opens
4/10	PTA Meeting
4/11	Volleyball at Fertitta MS
. 4/11	Soccer at Knudson MS
•	CCSD Dance Festival
n. 4/11	Tech Theatre Relay
. 4/12	3 rd Quarter Report Card Distribution
. 4/15 – 4/19	SPRING BREAK!
. 4/20	K.O. Art Reception @ Winchester Cultural Center
. 4/23 – 4/26	Science CRT testing
. 4/23	Stop the Bleed Training
. 4/23	Volleyball at Knudson MS
4/24	FACES Family Engagement Night: Preparing for High School
. 4/24	Administrative Assistants' Day
. 4/24	Books and Bites Club during lunch
v. 4/25	Take your Child to Work Day
. 4/25	4 th Quarter Progress Report Distribution
. 4/25	Volleyball at Mack MS
	Fund Our Schools Now Rally
a. 4/29 – 5/3	Math SBAC testing
b. 4/29	Dance Spring Concert
c. 4/30	Spring Film Festival
d. 5/1	CCSD Jazz Festival
	Folklorico Spring Concert
f. 5/2	PAC Meeting
g. 5/2	SIT Meeting
h. 5/2	SOT Meeting
. 5/2	Mariachi Spring Concert
. 5/3	April Student of the Month during both lunches
	8 th Grade Semi-Formal
. 5/6 – 5/10	Teacher Appreciation Week
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