

Community Advisory Committee

January 20, 2021

4:00pm-5:00pm

Participants: Annamarie Cohen, Director of Special Services; Todd Cutler, superintendent; Megan Steeves, program specialist; Darrell Miller, CAC chairman/parent; Chris Cromwell, special educator; Shari Bera, parent; Alexis Morales, parent; Paul Fisher, Alta Regional; Myriam Reyes Cocoltzi, parent/interpreter; Karina Mariscal, parent; Natalie Collin, school psychologist

Agenda Item	Detail	Minutes
Introductions and Welcome	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quick introductions and check in 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome everyone and new attendee, Karina. :) • Darrell will add Karina and Alexis to the email list.
Update from Darrell Miller (CAC Chairman)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updates/parent input 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome new parents. Darrell will forward information to you via email. • Please share CAC information with other special needs parents to give them a voice and offer support.
Update from LTUSD	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • COVID19 Trending • Vaccine Update • Re-opening discussion • Continued support for special populations • Tech troubleshooting PD for parents • New Physical Therapist (Jason Collin) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LTUSD in partnership with local health partners are working hard to get students back into school. • STHS cannot open until they have been in the red tier for two weeks (since they were not in the hybrid tier prior to the shutdown) • Barton Update: data is stabilizing and we are hopeful to start seeing numbers trend down. Hopefully we will move from the purple tier to the red tier. • Vaccines arrived in our community last week and our workforce has started to get vaccinated. Other community members are also starting to get vaccinated. Unfortunately there are not enough vaccines for second doses, but the county is working on that. Vaccines do not determine whether or not staff are vaccinated. • Optimistic for schools to reopen this year. Resources will be the determining factor. • Tech PD: training to help navigate tech aspects (add a printer, sign ons, accessibility resources) • In-person learning at almost all sites. Programs that are running have been successful. • Regional Center Update: working at the state/county level asking for priority for vaccinations. Details are limited. • Shari had a question in regards to compensatory services lost last year (March-June).

Additional Items/ Next Steps		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● All meeting links, content embedded in Canvas accounts ● Email outside the system (to parents) . Whitelisted is possible ● Observer in Canvas for parents. Unable to print as an observer. ● Invite the Director of IT to hear parent concerns at the next meeting. ● CAC minutes and meeting dates added to the website ● Annamarie and Megan will speak with teachers about lengthening cohort times per day. ● Reminder to reach out to case managers with questions or concerns. ● STACC Committee: group led by STPD to support community members who are homeless or who have mental health issues. ● Myriam will work on a communication with teachers to send to parents prior to CAC meetings.
For the good of the order...		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Let's hope for an in-person CAC celebration in June!
Next Meeting Date		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Parent Training: 02/22/21-02/26/21

Minutes taken by: [Megan Steeves](#)