



San Diego Unified School District
Office of Accountability
Monitoring and Accountability Reporting Department



31 DAC representatives out of 152 Title 1 schools were present.

District Advisory Council for Compensatory Education Programs
 Harold J. Ballard Parent Center
 2375 Congress Street
 San Diego, CA 92110

DRAFT General Meeting Minutes

September 22, 2010, 6:03-8:30 p.m.

Item	Description/Actions	Meeting Summary
1. Welcome:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Informational: Elneda Shannon, Manager, Harold J. Ballard Parent Center 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shannon announced the center was awarded a \$50,000 grant from Target to fund additional Project Ujima classes. Shannon provided several handouts of workshops and classes offered to parents. Resources can be brought to the school site such as parenting and computer lab classes. Transportation is provided for "select" schools. Shannon encourages everyone to visit the Harold J. Ballard Parent Center web site at http://www.sandi.net/2045101110104248150/site/default.asp. Elneda Shannon can be reached via email at eshannon@sandi.net or call (619) 293-4431.
2. Call to Order: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Approval of Minutes 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Action Item: David Page, DAC Chairperson 	Meeting called to order by Page at 6:31 p.m. Quorum. Minutes from June 16, 2010, were reviewed. Motion to approve the minutes as presented made by Kearny DMD. Seconded by Morse. None opposed. Motion passed.
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Page provided a handout on behalf of the San Diego Unified Council PTA who is providing a training series on Saturday, October 9, 2010, to parents in all schools who are participating or plan to participate in their school's School Site Council. The topic of the seminar will be the Laws of the Federal, State and local Government. Child care will be provided for children 3 years and up, no diapers at \$5 per child. R.S.V.P., at 619-297-7821 or sducpta@yahoo.com. Copies of the materials are available on the PTA website in English and Spanish at www.sdcouncilpta.org.
3. Chairperson's Report: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> State and Local BOE Meeting <i>BOE = Board of Education</i> <i>RTTT = Race To The Top</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Informational: David Page, DAC Chairperson 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Page spoke on the purpose and scope of the Race To The Top fund. The competitive grant program is voluntary and is designed to encourage and reward states and districts that are creating the conditions for education innovation and reform with a specific focus in four core areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Adopting internationally benchmarked standards and assessments that prepare students for success in college and the workplace; Recruiting, developing, retaining, and rewarding effective teachers and principals; Building data systems that measure student success and inform teachers and principals how they can improve their practices; Turning around the lowest-performing schools. For additional information on the Race To The Top fund, go to the California Department of Education website at http://www.cde.ca.gov/index.asp.

<p><i>API = Academic Performance Index</i></p> <p>➤ Family Area Network Board Report <i>Family Area Network = FAN</i></p> <p>➤ District Title I Parent Involvement Policy <i>TI PIP = Title I Parent Involvement Policy</i> <i>Handout = SSC/DAC 2010-11 Timeline</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Informational: David Page, DAC Chairperson • Informational: David Page, DAC Chairperson 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Page provided a handout and spoke on the mission of a grassroots campaign called Parent Revolution. Parent Revolution helped pass a historic new law called the Parent Trigger through the California State Legislature. Parent Trigger empowers parents at any failing school in California that has been in Program Improvement for 3+ years and has an API score of fewer than 800 and with a signed petition of 51% of parents is eligible for transformation under the new law. Go to the Parent Revolution website at www.parentrevolution.org or contact David Page, DAC Chair via email at somepages@gmail.com or call (858)-232-6246 for additional information. • Proposition J: Emergency Temporary Parcel Tax Measure- Page encourages the body to visit the San Diego County Taxpayers Association at http://www.sdcta.org/Search/Search_results.asp and the district’s home page at http://www.sandi.net/sandi/site/default.asp for more information. • No Report. • Page explained under the Federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) legislation, SDUSD must have a Title I Parent Improvement Policy that is developed in collaboration with parents of Title I students and reviewed every year. The policy establishes the LEA’s expectation for parent involvement and describes how the district will implement. Page stated the DAC general body voted to approve the revised, district TI PIP on February 17, 2010. On July 27, 2010 the Board of Education approved the TI PIP.
<p>4. Executive Board Report</p> <p>➤ Executive Board Retreat</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Informational: David Page, DAC Chairperson 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Page shared the topics addressed over the summer by the executive board. Attendance at the general meeting is still an area of great concern. The executive body will take a more proactive role to contact the Title I school site where a representative has been identified but is not attending. Page stated the executive board is reviewing the role of the two Vice Chair positions in order to better serve the general body. Page will provide the general body a summary of the topics discussed by the executive board at a future DAC general meeting.
<p>5. District Reports/Training/Collaboration</p> <p>➤ Introductions <i>Office of Accountability</i> <i>MAR = Monitoring and Accountability Reporting (formerly Program Monitoring department)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Informational: Ron Rode, Executive Director, Office of Accountability 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ron Rode announced himself as the new executive director of the Office of Accountability. Rode explained the role of the new Office of Accountability and shared how support to the school sites and to the DAC will continue to be provided. Rode introduced the MAR staff. The Program Monitoring department has changed department names to the Monitoring and Accountability Reporting department (MAR). Vikki Henton can be reached via email at vhenton@sandi.net or (619) 725-7093. Rode stated the Office of Accountability will work closely with the Deputy Superintendent of Academics, Dr. Nellie Meyer and the new area superintendents on programs supporting students throughout the district but also students receiving services through categorical funds. Rode stated the newly appointed Superintendent of Schools; Mr. William Kowba is commitment to an open dialogue with the DAC Chair and the DAC general body. Rode took questions from the audience.

<p>5. District Reports/Training/Collaboration - continued</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ 2010-11 Con App, Part I Con App = <i>Consolidated Application</i> ➤ California STAR Testing <i>STAR = Standardize Testing and Reporting</i> ➤ SSC/ILT/SPSA Schedule and Summary 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Presenter Correction:</i> Ron Rode, Executive Director, Office of Accountability Informational: Debbie Foster, Director, Budget Operations • Informational: Ron Rode, Executive Director, Office of Accountability • Informational: Vikki Henton, Program Manager, Monitoring and Accountability Reporting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Due to a competing meeting in the district, Ron Rode presented on behalf of Debbie Foster who was unavailable. Rode gave a presentation and provided site specific pages of the Con App, Part I 2010-11 to the general body as part of the district’s consultation process with the DAC. Rode explained the requirements of the district and the process for DAC and DELAC consultation prior to submission to the BOE. Rode guided the general body through specific pages of interest. Rode took questions from the audience. The Con App will be submitted to the BOE without signature from the DAC Chairperson, David Page. Page has concern over the actual date consultation with the DAC and DELAC occurred noted on the Consolidated Application, Part I signature page, page 1. Page states the DAC is not to advise and make comments at the board meeting. The DAC signature certifies that the DAC has been given the opportunity to advise on the pages of the Consolidated Application • Ron Rode provided handouts and gave a presentation on the California STAR testing. Rode guided the general body through several charts of data. Additional information is provided at the California Department of Education web site at http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/tg/sr/. Contact Ron Rode via email at rrode@sandi.net or call the Office of Accountability at (619) 725-7166 if you have questions. • Henton provided a summary of the recent circulars posted by the Monitoring and Accountability Reporting department to the district’s web site at http://www.sandi.net/218220820134059770/blank/browse.asp?a=383&bmdrn=2000&bcob=0&c=68779. Henton reported the SPSA trainings will begin on September 28, 2010. To register go to : Monitoring and Accountability Reporting new department phone number is (619) 725-5609 or go to the departments website at http://www.sandi.net/20451095142025457/site/default.asp for information on the trainings offered this year.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ i21 Interactive Classroom 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Informational: Barbara Allen, Director Educational Technology; Darryl LaGace, Chief Information and Technology Officer, Information and Technology Support Services. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • LaGace provided handouts and presented a power point on the integrated 21st Century (i21) Interactive Classroom. The vision is to optimize teaching and learning through the interconnected use of mobile computing, audio, visual and formative assessment technologies across the curriculum. Funding was made possible with Proposition S. LaGace provided an outline of the districts five year plan. LaGace invites everyone to visit the i21 Classroom website at http://www.sandi.net/204510102155137800/site/default.asp or contact Darryl LaGace via email at dlagace@sandi.net.