## Sonora ISD Student Health Advisory Council

Regular Meeting November 15, 2023 Minutes

## In Attendance:

Jill Hazelton
April Ramirez
Brandee Peaslee
Pennie Litterell
Christina Ramirez
Ryan Hazelton
Emily Oliver
Lindsey Geske
Chelsea Blackbird
Kelly Owen
Katherine Crain

## Minutes:

- 1. Meeting was recorded and will be posted on the website.
- 2. Reviewed HB 3908 and the requirement for SHAC "to recommend to the local board of trustees the appropriate grade levels and curriculum for the instruction in the dangers of opioids, including addiction to and abuse of synthetic opioids such as fentanyl"
  - A. "Each school district shall annually provide not fewer than 10 hours of research-based instruction related to fentanyl prevention and drug poisoning awareness to students in grades 6 through 12" (Sec. 38.040)
    - HOPE curriculum reviewed and discussed with all members voting it to be a good option for Sonora ISD
    - TASB recommendations will not be out until the end of November Members agreed we will see what that curriculum looks like and then decide which will be best to recommend
    - Discussed possible use of the HOPE curriculum for grades KG-5<sup>th</sup> or the possibility of bringing back DARE program

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- A. Blood Drive was discussed and information given that 61 pints of blood was collected that day which will save 183 lives
  - Question came up about how the blood is actually taken and if blood is returned to the donor during the donation and Nurse Pennie will be clarifying this information from Vitalant
  - There will be another blood drive in the Spring
- B. SKILLS students will be putting together stockings for Veterans for Community Service
- C. "Turkey Trot" will be 11-16-23 and Elementary PTO donates pies and turkeys for the boy and girl that place first
- D. Veterans Day Assembly was a HUGE success and was followed by a Color Run sponsored by Student Council and they had a lot of fun
- E. Student Council and NHS participated with Lions Club in cleaning up Sonora
- F. Heart Challenge will start January 17<sup>th</sup> with a color run at the end of the challenge
- G. Next meeting To Be Determined by what we see on the option for curriculum from TASB
- H. Adjournment