

**Student Academics/AYP:**

We have had an awesome start to the school year. Scheduling went very smoothly. We worked diligently to get all students in the appropriately leveled classes in mathematics with 25 students in the 2-class fundamentals and 12 taking Pre-Calculus. In English, we have 35 students in AP Literature and Composition and 45 in Honors classes. Approximately 25 students are taking either concurrent enrollment or on-line classes.

ACT Information: PAPA once again outscored the State average on the ACT Composite. Our Composite was 21. The State's was 19.8. Student scores are assessed to see if they are ready for college. As the breakdown below shows, PAPA students outscored the State in all areas except Math.

SUBJECT	ENGLISH	ALGEBRA	SOCIAL SCIENCES	BIOLOGY
COLLEGE READINESS SCORE	18	22	21 (Reading Score)	24
SCORE STATE/PAPA	19/21.6	19.5/19	20.2/22.5	20/20.4

**Student Enrollment Summary Comparison:**

Grade Level	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOTAL
# Enrolled 9/2010	56	56	58	50	41	33	43	337
Boys/Girls 9/2010	14/42	20/36	19/39	26/24	13/28	11/22	8/35	111/226
# Enrolled 9/2011	60	61	60	50	42	42	32	347
Boys/Girls 9/2011	19/41	19/42	21/39	19/31	19/23	13/29	11/21	121/226

We have increased by 10 students over last year's count. The number of male students is also up by 10.

**Facility:**

- There is finally progress being made on the 2 portables that will be moved onto the campus. The plans are in the permit process. The interiors are being prepped.

**Staff:**

- Professional Development Plan meetings have been held with the teachers. Several will be working on the Professional Development Dossiers to move from Level I to Level II. Eight teachers will submit this year. Six will start preparing. We also have one teacher that will submit a dossier to move from Level II to III.

- We had a resignation from Mr. McKeever. He gave 30-days notice. We are advertising for a part-time social studies teacher.

**Parents:**

- The Gifted Advisory Council held their first meeting on September 15, 2011. 10 parents, 4 students, and 7 staff members were in attendance. Activity and student supports suggestions were discussed. See attached Minutes.
- The PTSO Spaghetti Dinner will be held at Capos on Wednesday of this week at 6:30p.m. There will be one seating only, and plenty of seats are available. Tickets are \$15.
- Open House is planned for Monday, September 26<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-7:00p.m. See attached schedule.

**Student:**

- Elections were held for Student Council Offices. Congratulations to the following students:

**High School Officers:**

President - Nate Torrez

Vice President - Luna Natoli

Treasurer - Maricella Pajan

Secretary - Raeven Ortiz

**Representatives:**

Armani Leon

Christi Lucero

Michael Ireland

Raeven Ortiz

Jasmyn Marquez

Austin Torrez

Saunder Johnson

Antonio Granillo

**Middle School:**

President - Megan McCorquodale

Vice President – Malachi Pena

Treasurer – Shelby Bloom

Secretary – Halla Hughes

- Effort is already being made to alleviate the high number of absences/tardies for several students. Parent meetings are being held, and the state guidelines for reporting truancy are being followed closely.
- PAPA is requesting a waiver from the NMPED for a new student from out of state who has not taken New Mexico History.

**Performing Arts:**

**PRINCIPAL'S REPORT  
PAPA GOVERNING COUNCIL MEETING  
September 19, 2011**

- The film and contemporary dance classes will be performing/filming at the Maize Maze at Rio Grande Farms. The Ensemble class has been working on making a concept come to fruition from beginning to end. This collaboration activity has included story boards and the sharing of ideas. It's been very interesting to see dance and film try to communicate their ideas and perspectives.
- A group of Arts students went to speak at a Rail Runner event.
- Students will be performing at the PTSO Spaghetti Dinner.

Many fantastic plans are being made for the school year!

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