



Moore County Schools

Business Advisory Council Meeting

Place: Sandhills Community College, Van Duesen Hall, 3395 Airport Rd, Pinehurst, NC, 28374

Date/Time: February 15, 2024 (Noon)

Facilitators: Mrs. Linda Parsons, Business Advisory Chairman and Lisa Scott, CTE Director

MCS CTE Mission: The mission of Career and Technical Education is to provide offerings that meet student needs, interests, abilities, aspirations and respond to actual or anticipated 21st Century opportunities for employment, advanced education and practical life application. CTE promotes best practices that enhance teacher effectiveness to improve student life-long achievement and encourage responsible 21st Century Global Career Choices

MCS Mission: Moore County Schools creates a supportive, engaging, and safe learning environment that builds knowledge, skills, and abilities needed for future success.

Agenda Item:	Person Reporting:	Time:	Action Taken:
Welcome	Dr. Mike Metcalf MCS Deputy Superintendent	12:00-12:05	Dr. Metcalf welcomed the group and thanked them for their time and support in the partnership with Career and Technical Education(CTE).
Opening Remarks	Mrs. Linda Parsons BAC Chairperson	12:05-12:10	Mrs. Parsons thanked everyone for their attendance at today's meeting. She reminded everyone about the importance of the work and collaboration with the school district and businesses.
MCS CTE Update	Mrs. Sherrie Ivey MCS Curriculum and Instruction Management Coordinator for CTE	12:10-12:20	Dr. Scott shared the 2022-2023 CTE Data and Infographic that is a resource for business partners. Mrs. Ivey shared about the 2022-2023 Credentials earned and the continued work in preparing students for workforce readiness. Mrs. Hinsley provided information about work-based learning and how businesses could get involved with the school district.

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Industry Highlight	Mrs. Carie O'Quinn First Health Ms. Nicole Peterson Pinehurst Resort	12:20-12:40	Mrs. O'Quinn of the First Health Foundation provided an update to the group on the work that First Health has done in partnership with the schools. First Health provided a social for MCS CTE Teachers in August, the provided a tour to the MCS CTE staff of the First Health behind the scenes, and they have provided guest speakers and student field trips to First Health to encourage students to consider options in Moore County. Ms. Peterson of Pinehurst Resort shared the opportunities that the Resort and MCS CTE have accomplished this year. Pinehurst Resort has provided guest speakers, hosted groups of students from Marketing and Culinary classes, and continues to find ways to engage with students.
Discussion Next Steps	Mrs. Linda Parsons BAC Chairperson	12:40 - 12:50	Mrs. Parsons encouraged the representatives to find ways to work or support the MCS CTE department. Attendees were able to share their information for areas that they might be able to provide support such as; guest speakers, internships, mock interviews, resume building, and job shadowing. If interested, please reach out to Jess Hinsley at jhinsley@ncmcs.org
Closing Remarks	Dr. Lisa Scott	12:55-1:00	Dr. Scott thanked everyone for

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CTE Director	their participation and continued support of MCS CTE.
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MCS CTE Infographic

Attendees: Carie O'Quinn (First Health), Nicole Peterson (Pinehurst Resort), Shannon Davis (MCS School Board), Matt Chriscoe (Pinehurst Resort), Robert Levy (MCS School Board), Madison Grandolfo (First Health), Neil Wolfe (Fidelity Bank), Regina Smalls (NC Works), Matt Bernosky (Pinehurst Medical), Lori Degre (SCC), Linda Parsons (MC Chamber), Andrea Burton (Moore County Schools), Mike Metcalf (Moore County Schools), Travis Greene (Legacy Home Construction), Berni Szczepanski (First Health), Stuart Fields (Bankers Insurance), Kevin Drum (NC Restaurant and Lodging Assoc.), Jennifer Patterson (Pinecrest High School), Sherrie Ivey (MCS CTE), Jess Hinsley (MCS CTE), Lisa Scott (MCS CTE)

Thank You BAC for continuing to help us grow tomorrow's leaders.... Save the Dates

BAC Meetings: May 2nd, 2024 at MCS Educational Center at 12:00

CTE Career Fair: February 22nd at The Fair Barn in Pinehurst (contact Jess Hiinsley for sign up

information - ihinslev@ncmcs.org)

CTE Signing Days: May 7th, Union Pines High, May 14th, North Moore High, May 16th, Pinecrest at

9:00 am

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