

Broward County Association of Student Councils

Hollywood Hills High School January 13, 2022 at 01:30 PM

I. Call to Order

- A. In representation of BCASC President Fernanda Andino, D6 President Vicky Franco called the meeting to order at 1:34 p.m.
- II. National Anthem & Pledge of Allegiance
 - A. Hollywood Hills HS JROTC led the Presentation of Colors and Ms. Jariner Rosario sang the National Anthem.

III. Welcome

- A. Ms. Victoria Brundza, Hollywood Hills Student Government President and Ms. Ida Butler, Hollywood Hills Student Government Advisor both welcomed BCASC and said Hollywood Hills is happy to host a general meeting.
- B. Mr. Daniel Most, Hollywood Hills HS Principal, recognized the work of BCASC and student leaders across the county and creating meaningful impact across the district. Mr. Most explained that leadership is a calling, and by being present at BCASC as a leader, students are helping each other be the best versions of themselves they can be across BCPS.

IV. Ice Breaker

A. The BCASC Officers conducted the Get to Know You icebreaker where students got to know each other based on random categories and questions shown in beach balls.

V. Roll Call & Minutes

A. BCASC Secretary Jorge Altuna led roll call and D6 President Vicky Franco entertained a motion to forgo the reading of the minutes from Everglades HS, seconded by Coral Springs HS. The schools in attendance are Atlantic Tech HS, Coral Glades HS, Coral Springs Charter HS, Coral Springs HS, Cypress Bay HS, Everglades HS, Hollywood Hills HS, Millennium Academy 9-12, Miramar HS, Monarch HS, Northeast HS, Pembroke Pines Charter, Pompano Beach HS, Sheridan Tech HS, South Plantation HS, Western HS, Apollo MS, Eagles Nest Carter MS, Gulfstream Academy, and Indian Ridge MS.

VI. BCASC Award Program Workshop

A. The BCASC Officers led a workshop explaining the yearly awards program and how students and their respective councils can apply to obtain a medallion council award. Further information is available on the BCASC Canvas and on the BCASC social media.

VII. Treasurer's Report

A. BCASC Treasurer Joss Collins reported that there is \$12,331.20 in the general BCASC account, \$2,040.00 in the scholarship account. Schools that have already paid as of January 13th, 2022 are Apollo MS, Attucks MS, Coral Springs MS, Forest Glen MS, Gulfstream Academy, Indian Ridge MS, Pembroke Pines Charter MS, Pioneer MS, Ramblewood MS, Atlantic Technical HS, Blanche Ely HS, Boyd Anderson HS, Cooper City HS, Coral Glades HS, Coral Charter Springs HS, Coral Springs HS, Cypress Bay HS, Dillard HS, Hallandale HS, Hollywood Hills HS, Miramar HS, Monarch HS, Northeast HS, Nova HS, Pembroke Pines Charter HS, Plantation HS, Pompano HS, Sheridan Technical HS, South Plantation HS, Stoneman Douglas, JP Taravella HS, West Broward HS, Western HS and Whiddon-Rogers Education Center. The schools that have paid for the BCASC Dodgeball tournament are Attucks MS, Boyd Anderson HS, Coral Springs HS, Forest Glenn HS, Miramar HS, Monarch HS, Northeast HS, Nova HS, JP Taravella HS, Western HS. Finally, the schools that have paid for Wacky Olympics are Boyd Anderson HS, Coral Springs HS, Forest Glenn HS, Miramar HS, Monarch HS, Northeast HS, Nova HS, South Plantation HS, Western HS.

VIII. Officer Reports

A. President's Report





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- 1. In representation of BCASC President Fernanda Andino, D6 President Vicky Franco reported that Ms. Andino has been working on creating a meeting agenda and working on the President's project.
- B. Middle School Vice President's Report
 - 1. BCASC Middle School Vice President Landyn Spellberg reported that the end of the year video is being developed and that the Microsoft Form accepting videos is available. All submissions must be sent by Monday, February 28th, 2022 (tinyurl.com/conventionvideo22). Mr. Spellberg also asked high schools to reach out to middle schools and build relationships with the incoming freshmen and to also increase middle school participation at BCASC.
- C. Parliamentarian's Report
 - 1. BCASC Parliamentarian Damien King reported that he has been working on the icebreakers and has been attentive to see if schools have any missing paddles. Mr. King also developed a paper ballot voting system for the Vice Presidential election and will also create a new paddle for Eagles' Nest MS.
- IX. Student Advisors to the School Board Report
 - A. Student Advisor to the School Board Raymond Adderly reported that the Student Advisor election applications are now open and are due by February 11th, 2022. Mr. Adderly also urged students to understand the importance of seeing something and saying something to ensure the security and well-being of all students at all schools. Additionally, Mr. Adderly reported that a social media focus group in collaboration with the school board will meet and discuss how to post responsibly. Finally, Mr. Adderly explained that "Rally to Tally" is a district sponsored field trip for two high school representatives who are all split into county districts, and for those attending, the last preparation meeting occurred on January 13th, 2022.
 - B. Alternate Student Advisor to the School Board Logan Viera reported that the Broward County School Board voted to favor the use of hand-held metal detecting wands and would like to obtain student feedback and opinions regarding the policy. Mr. Viera also explained that the security guards' selection process will be random.
- X. Student Activities Liaison Report, Xenia Santiago, xenia.santiago@browardschools.com
 - A. Student Activities Liaison Xenia Santiago reported that the outstanding senior awards (ten \$500 scholarships, and one \$1000 scholarship) are available on the BCASC Advisor Canvas and must be submitted by January 26th, 2022. Finally, SFLTC will occur at Nova Southeastern from June 27th to July 1st 2022, and JC applications will be due by June 24th, 2022.
- XI. Unfinished Business
 - A. Student Activities Liaison Xenia Santiago reported that convention registration and all information in regards to the BCASC Convention will be available at:
 - 1. https://browardschools.instructure.com/courses/1174142
- XII. New Business
 - A. Vice President Election
 - 1. Candidate 1 Minute Speeches and Voting
 - a) All Vice Presidential Candidates presented a one minute speech to the BCASC general assembly.
 - 2. Candidates:
 - a) Coral Springs HS Ms. Gabrielle Prager
 - b) Northeast HS Ms. Xitlali Mendez
 - c) Western HS Ms. Isabella Rodriguez
 - 3. Voting





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a) BCASC Parliamentarian Damien King conducted a paper ballot vote where schools submitted their votes.

XIII. BCASC Committee Reports

- A. Broward Student Leaders Day
 - 1. Chair: Northeast HS
 - 2. Contact: Sarah Schonis | sarahschonis@gmail.com
 - 3. Date & Time: Tuesday, March 1, 2022 | 8am to 2pm
 - 4. Location: NSU
 - 5. Staff Application Deadline: Friday, January 21, 2022, https://tinyurl.com/BSLD-Staff
 - 6. Staff Meeting Dates: Tuesday, February 1, 2022, and Tuesday, February 22, 2022
 - 7. Event Registration Deadline: Tuesday, February 1, 2022
- B. Wacky Olympics
 - 1. Chair: Coral Springs HS
 - 2. Contact: Abby Frank & Michael McFarlin
 - 3. Contact: abbyfranklax5@gmail.com & michaelamcfarlinjr@gmail.com
 - 4. Date & Time: January 22, 2022 | 9am to 3 pm
 - 5. Location: Coral Springs High School
 - 6. Registration Deadline: Friday, January 7, 2022
 - 7. Registration & Advisor Form
 - 8. Student Form
- C. Dodgeball Tournament
 - 1. Chair: Monarch HS
 - 2. Contact: Grace Prokop | gprokop.monarchsga@gmail.com
 - 3. Date & Time: Saturday, February 19, 2021 | 9am to 3pm
 - 4. Location: Monarch High School
 - 5. Registration Deadline: Friday, February 11, 2021
 - 6. Registration & Advisor Form https://tinyurl.com/BCASC-Dodgeball-AdvisorForm
 - 7. Student Form https://tinyurl.com/BCASC-Dodgeball-ParentForm
- D. Harvest Drive / Food Drive
 - 1. Chair: Miramar High School
 - 2. Contact: Damien King | Damienking 606@yahoo.com
- E. Environmental Project
 - 1. Chair: Western High School
 - 2. Contact: Kate Charlotin | katecharlotin@gmail.com
- F. Mental Health Project
 - 1. Chair: Pompano Beach HS
 - 2. Contact: Yolisabel Perez | yoli.perez.1234@gmail.com
- G. Superintendent's Student Advisory Committee -
 - 1. Chair: Raymond Adderly
 - 2. Contact: student.advisor@browardschools.com
- H. President's Project
 - 1. Chair: Pompano Beach HS
 - 2. Contact: Fernanda Andino | fernanda andiino@gmail.com
 - 3. Co-Chair: Gabi Prager | gabi.alysa@gmail.com
- XIV. FASC Florida Association of Student Councils | fasa.net
 - A. FASC District 6
 - 1. Saturday, February 12, 2022, @ 9am @ Coral Springs High School





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- 2. Saturday, April 2, 2022, @ 9am @ Newly Elected D6 President School
- B. 2022 State Convention | March 25-27 | Palmetto Ridge HS, Naples
 - 1. Registration due: on-time = January 29, 2022; late = February 7, 2022
- XV. SASC Southern Association of Student Councils | sascschools.weebly.com
 - A. 2022 Convention Wild About Leadership | Stoneman Douglas HS | Parkland
- XVI. Announce Election Results
 - A. BCASC Vice President Swearing-In
 - 1. After Western HS received the least votes, a tiebreaker was held between Northeast HS and Coral Springs HS. On a vote of 9-8, Northeast High School candidate Xitlali Mendez won the majority of votes and was sworn in as BCASC Vice President. Ms. Mendez will carry out her term for the remainder of the 2021-2022 school year along with the other BCASC Officers.
- XVII. At my school we...
 - A. Councils reported on the progress of ongoing projects that they may have.
- XVIII. Roll Call
 - A. BCASC Secretary Jorge Altuna led the roll call. The schools in attendance are Atlantic Tech HS, Coral Glades HS, Coral Springs Charter HS, Coral Springs HS, Cypress Bay HS, Everglades HS, Hollywood Hills HS, Millennium Academy 9-12, Miramar HS, Monarch HS, Northeast HS, Pembroke Pines Charter, Pompano Beach HS, Sheridan Tech HS, South Plantation HS, Western HS, Apollo MS, Eagles Nest Carter MS, Gulfstream Academy, and Indian Ridge MS.
 - XIX. Announcements:
 - A. The BCASC Scholarship is available on Canvas. March 30th
 - B. Complete the SGA Officer information survey below.
 - C. The next BCASC meeting is on February 10, 2022, hosted by Boyd Anderson High School at 8:30 a.m.
 - XX. Adjournment
 - A. In representation of BCASC President Fernanda Andino, D6 President Vicky Franco adjourned the meeting at 2:51 p.m.

