

BRONTE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Vision: The vision of the Bronte ISD School Health Advisory Council is for all children to develop skills and knowledge to help them lead a healthy, productive life.

Mission: The mission of the Bronte ISD School Health Advisory Council is to provide help and support to students so that they can make safe and healthy decisions for a lifetime.

SHAC Meeting Minutes BHS Library

September 10, 2025 3:45 pm

MembersMorgan RunyanJanet WommackJessica RiddlePresentGinger RobbinsHannah SullivanElvira Griffin

MembersMegan WebbJosh EubanksDeAnn Lee

Absent Luke Robbins

Agenda

The meeting was called to order at 3:50

Ginger Robbins gave an update about food services.

- I. Nutrition: Food Services
 - A. Staffing update: Danielle Parker left and DeAnn Lee has taken over as cafeteria manager. Also, Pam Bradshaw was hired in August. There are 3 cafeteria workers.
 - B. Breakfast Program Overview: Everyone eats for free and is encouraged to take their breakfast. There are new breakfast items which include the breakfast pizza and the uncrustable which has peanut butter and raspberry jelly.
 - C. Lunch: Currently, everyone eats for free, but this has caused the District to lose money. It was asked by a committee member if a Grab and Go Lunch option for secondary students would increase the number of students eating from the cafeteria.

II. Counseling

- A. Mrs. Robbins told the group that Daisy Sanchez retired, and BISD has a new counselor Jessica Riddle
- B. Jessica Riddle spoke about some of the current programs being offered
 - 1. Food 2 Kids Letters will be sent out next week. This helps provide meals for students that may not have enough food to eat at home on the weekends.
 - 2. Mrs. Riddle received a BEEF Grant for read aloud books Do Onto Others is the book that they are currently reading this month with Pre-K through 3rd graders. It reinforces our character trait of the month: Respect.

- 3. Character Trait Letters with resources in Dojo Mrs. Riffle is sharing surveys to see where we are in our student groups and looking for ways to empower kids and meet them where they are.
- 4. Setting the Foundation for a Growing Counseling Program
 - a) Mrs. Riddle explained she is actively working toward a CREST award for Bronte ISD. A "CREST Award in Counseling" refers to the <u>CREST (Counselors Reinforcing Excellence for Students in Texas)</u> Award, a recognition given by the Texas School Counseling Association (TSCA) to schools that demonstrate a commitment to improving student outcomes in academic, career, and social-emotional areas and highlight the vital role of school counselors. It is a specific award program for counseling excellence in Texas schools
- III. Mrs. Robbins spoke about the programs currently offered that contribute to the Safety and Security on campus.
 - A. There was a reckless and distracted driving presentation for the Secondary students called Allie's Way presented by Jamie White on Monday, September 8, 2025
 - B. All 8th graders take Principles of Agriculture. On Monday, September 8, all 8th graders attended a Green Hand Camp at ASU. They learned about team building, leadership and personal growth.
 - C. All 7th through 12th grade FFA members attended a presentation by State FFA leaders last week. It talked about self discipline, leadership and cooperation.
 - D. September is Suicide Prevention Awareness Month. A post was made on Dojo.
 - E. It was asked if we could offer the students an online safety course to combat cyberbullying.

IV. New Business:

- A. Legislative updates: the cell phone policy was discussed.
- B. Texas SHAC Training Course has been completed by Mrs. Robbins.
 - 1. There was discussion about human sexuality and the required TEKS that must be covered concerning the matter in 4th, 5th and 7th grades. It was asked if Bronte teaches Sex Ed. This was voted against at a previous school board meeting. The student representative mentioned that she takes the Child Development Course and has learned a great deal. She suggested it should be taken by all students, not just females.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:45pm