

WORK BASED LEARNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Date:	February 4, 2009
Time:	12 PM
Location:	Sequoia High School

In attendance:	Janice Henning, Rob Ramsburgh. Bethany Ziegler, Lauren Hadley, John Barhanovich, Judy Karber and Jan Wise
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Subject: Welcome

Discussion: John opened the meeting and welcomed the members. Lunch was served.

Subject: ECOMONY - Student Job Status

Discussion: Janice, Rob and Bethany gave a report on the economy and the impact it has had on their companies. John, Judy and Jan reported on students' status at the workplace and that many of the students have had their hours cut. The committee was advised that the Volunteer class has increased in numbers.

Subject: WASL TEST

Discussion: John talked with the committee regarding the WASL and the changes that may occur. John distributed information regarding the WASL and the business members each commented on the pros/cons of the WASL according to information they have received. Lauren talked about the history of the WASL and changes that may occur. More information will be forthcoming.

Subject: TECH PREP

Discussion: Jan advised the committee that the Choices class that John, Judy and Jan teach, is now listed as a Tech Prep class. This means that the students are eligible to receive 5 credits from the college after completing the application process. This is an excellent opportunity for our students.

Subject: OTHER ITEMS

Discussion: Judy advised the committee that the Area 1 Career Fair will be held on Tuesday, March 24 at Warm Beach Conference Center. Judges are needed for this event and our Business members said they will look at schedules/ availability for this event.

Subject: Other agenda items

Discussion: Judy advised the committee that Janice Henning and Bethany Zieger attended her G.O.A.L. program to be judges on December 8th for the "Job Interview" assignment with her students in her classroom. Janice and Bethany discussed this event and said it was a great experience for students. Judy, John and Jan thanked the members for this important support of our program.

Subject: Adjourn

John adjourned the meeting at 12:55 PM.

Subject: Next Meeting Date

Date: May 20, 2009

Time: 12PM

Location: Sequoia High School

