

**Southwest Region Parent Advisory Council (PAC)
Meeting Minutes
February 4, 2008**

OPENING: Denise Reitz

SOUTHWEST REGION NEWS: Dr. Wallace

Due to recent budget cuts, there will be no block scheduling at Desert Oasis HS or Bonanza HS. Because we believe that block scheduling is effective, we are trying internally to find funding. Dr. Rulffes will also discuss this with the Board. We will not know a definitive answer until the beginning of the 2008-09 school year.

The March 3, 2008 PAC will be held at the Clark High School Theatre. Ms. Barbara J. Paris will conduct a two hour presentation on cyber bullying.

Detective Calvin Walker from the CCSD School Police Gang Unit has tentatively been scheduled to speak at the April 7, 2008 PAC Meeting.

TITLE 1/HOPE (Homeless Outreach Program For Education): Myra Berkovits /Jeanne Lange

Handouts were distributed regarding basic facts about students experiencing homelessness and what Title 1/HOPE does to assist.

EQUITY & DIVERSITY EDUCATION: Dr. Linda Young

Handouts were distributed regarding equity and diversity education and the services/resources that are available.

CLOSING: Denise Reitz

FUTURE MEETINGS: March 3 (Clark High School Theatre) – Cyber bullying
April 7
May 5

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