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REPORT OF STUDENT BOARD MEMBERS
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ACC High School:

Our third ACC High School General Meeting took place on November 18, at Fremont from 1pm-3pm. 23 students attended from Media, Mandela, CPAA, Oakland High, Oakland Tech, MetWest and Sojourner Truth. The Fremont Leadership classes talked about their accomplishments like the hunted house, Homecoming rally and spirit week. Students talked about teacher values and what they should do to be better teacher and help students learn. Students also signed up for the Student- Teacher Feedback project. Delegates submitted the following school reports:

- Mandela students said they have better classes and supplies, and better food
- Media students said that they have accomplished having many events like, Homecoming spirit week, Haunted House, La Raza rally with connection to day of the dead. Upcoming events are charity drive, winter ball, field trips for each grade level and more
- Sojourner Truth I.S.P students said that the curriculum has improved. Their concerns are that it is hard to organize student activities because theirs school is small and they want to have more involvement in the community. They are trying to solve this problem by having a leadership class that addresses different issues. In leadership they are working in fundraising and creating an organization that connects youth all over Oakland to promote positive behavior. They are also working on spirit week their school potluck.
- Oakland High School students said that the cafeteria is cleaner and the building and construction is almost completed. The concerns that they are still trying to address: the fire alarm goes on and off, no bathroom in the new building, and off campus lunch making students late and getting caught in tardy sweep. The upcoming events are a food fair and winter ball.
- Oakland Tech Students said that some improvements have been cafeteria food and administration staff. Some concerns that they have is to improve the bathrooms, get more teachers in classrooms, more lockers, tracking system and more text books. The leadership class is working on Winter Ball, completing homecoming evaluation and Keys to My Future 9th grade workshops. The upcoming events are Winter Ball, Keys to my future and culture challenge.
- MetWest students said that there hasn't been much follow up with their concerns to have more science and math classes, and better lunch food. Also, for students going to Laney, that Laney books are getting expensive. There have also been more conflicts on campus. The upcoming events are Town Hall, Spirit Week, and picture day.

Our next All City Council High School General Meeting will take place Dec 16, at Oakland High, from 1pm to 3pm.

Restorative Justice in OUSD- oral comments

ACC Governing Board Update

- Student Director Bagley resigned from his position last week, on Tuesday December 7th.
- ACC Parliamentarian also resigned from his position last week, on Tuesday December 7th.
- Biased Based Policing Summit at City Hall 3rd floor, at 6:15pm, Thursday December 9th
- Montera Middle School Workshop for Leadership class, Thursday 9th on *Safety and School Climate*, led by governing board members.
- ACC governing board involvement in planning the High School Ethnic Studies Conference at UC Berkeley, an average of 250 youth from Oakland will attend. We will be talking and expressing the issues in our community for the first half, then we will be doing spiritual healing, and culture background and history. So people will be physically creating activities for community members, students to be active. We want to provide transportation for Oakland students.

ACC is planning to have a workshop on maybe leadership 101, rather than just volunteering, so the next Ethnic Studies Meeting will be December 15th, 2010 Wed. 434 15th street and Broadway.

- Youth Portal youth planning team: Our president and media director are representing ACC. We want this to be the site that links to OUSD, for students to have online counseling, direct access to their transcript and academic information, in addition to the social and community resources that the site will offer. We are also recruiting more students from different community organizations to participate in the design of the Youth Portal. This site will make visible the youth leadership and organizing work we have on the ground.
- Retreat for All City Council and Meaningful Student Engagement youth leaders will be January 7-9th, 2010.
- Keys to My Future – PASS 9th grade workshops being planned for Castlemont and Fremont schools.

ACC Middle School

Our next ACC Middle School Meeting will take place Tuesday December 14th, at Frick from 10am to 12:30am. The workshop topics are Food Justice: You Are What You Eat, and the OUSD Wellness Policy.