

**Yosemite High School
SIP Minutes
January 9, 2006**

1. Call to order: Betsy Blum called the meeting to order at 3:19 p.m.
2. Roll Call: Peggy Stewart, George Stillman, Becky Stolp, Betsy Blum, Gerard Klimbal, Rebecca Brokaw, Tony Mowrer, Debbie Miller, and guests Randy Hyatt and Kay Tarr.
3. Approval of December 5, 2005 Minutes: Tony Mowrer mentioned an error in the December 5 Minutes. During Steve Raupp's technology report, he stated that computers NEWER than 3 years must be reported. After the correction to the minutes was noted, Rebecca Brokaw moved to approve the minutes and Becky Stolp seconded the motion. Vote carried unanimously.
4. Approval of Agenda: Tony Mowrer moved to approve the agenda and Peggy Stewart seconded the motion. Vote carried unanimously.

Senior Projects Presentation

Kay Tarr summarized the process and key elements of the Senior Project Assignment. She reviewed the student assignments involved in the process, proposal, activity paper, and portfolio; the involvement of a mentor; the presentation requirement in an English class; the presentation to boards; and the contribution of SIP to the process. Apparently our group provides refreshments for students and community members during the board presentations.

IB/GATE Presentation

Randy Hyatt explained the benefits of the IB program to students. Students have great opportunities to achieve, they are in classes with students who are also conscientious and ambitious, they open avenues for college, and have augmented GPAs. He mentioned the IB classes offered by our school and also explained that all students who take IB classes at our school are able to test.

Budget Proposals Request

Betsy gave us a sample form to review. We decided the form will be due February 24th and that revised forms will be due March 3rd. Also, this year we will request line item specific expectation of expenses.

New Business

Next month, we will continue to revise the budget proposals request form.

Next Meeting: Monday, February 6, 2006 in the Ansel Adams Conference Room at 3:15 p.m.

Adjournment: Betsy Blum adjourned the meeting at 4:10 p.m.