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SAN DIEGO INTEGRATION TASK FORCE MEETING
MONDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1980
MINUTES

Members Present:		Members Absent:
Hal Brown, Chairman	Ann Hunsaker	Jerry Baker
Judy McDonald, 1st Vice-Chair	Judge Judy McConnell	Richard Calvin
Fred Castro, 2nd Vice-Chair	Ralph Ocampo, M.D.	Tom Carter
Jim Anderson	Bill Rohan	Judge Joseph Davis
Irma Castro	Delia Talamantez	Alan McCutcheon
Morris Casuto	Eunice Winston	Mike Madigan
Larry Gonzales	Beverly Yip	Clarence Pendleton
		Hartwell Ragsdale

Meeting was called to order at 4:35 p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES
Minutes were approved as written and distributed.

ROLE OF THE TASK FORCE
The Chairman spoke with Judge Welsh regarding the role of the Task Force. He discussed the concern that some Task Force members had about the Task Force getting involved with areas not included in the District's plan. The Task Force has been given a flexible charge and the Judge expects the Task Force to come up with recommendations if it feels the plan is lacking. It was Vice-Chair Judy McDonald's opinion that the Judge feels the Task Force has an obligation and right to do what the Task Force feels needs to be done, and he is counting on the Task Force to use its best judgement. Judge Welsh credits the Task Force with the movement that has taken place.

All Task Force communication to the School Board goes through Judge Welsh.

Irma Castro asked if the Task Force could take a look at Distar and Mastery Learning. The Chairman said yes if the Task Force feels they should.

The Chairman wanted for all Task Force members to know that he and the vice-chairs may occasionally meet with each School Board member individually.

Delia Talamantez asked if in informal rule could be made about attendance at the Task Force meetings. There was discussion for and against this and it was left to the Chairman to use his discretion.

RACE/HUMAN RELATIONS
Beverly Yip prepared a report which was sent to Judge Welsh and his comments were that he felt it was a good report and would be useful to him in making some judgements about that part of the integration plan.

Three students enrolled in a race/human relations course at UCSD will be working with Delia Talamantez to extract information from Dr. Guthrie's report. They will look at the raw data and make suggestions. There are some interesting findings in the report:

- --50% of VEEP students feel racial discrimination by teachers is a problem
- --80% of the students feel that racial discrimination among students is a problem
- --More VEEP students than non-VEEP students felt that they did not receive fair treatment at school

--A greater proportion of minority parents and students participated in the VEEP Program.

This kind of study does not tell how good the program is. It only tells how many people participated, etc. After looking at participation by schools, there is no comparability between the race/human relations plans for each school. There is no way to tell why the program works at one school more than at another.

Beverly Yip's committee will coordinate their activities with those of Dr. Marvalene Style's committee. Dr. Style's committee will be looking at programs for quality and may be able to pick some schools for some concentrated monitoring.

MONITORS

The monitors are covering five different areas: magnets, elementary exchange, secondary exchange, learning centers, and race/human relations. Vice-Chair Judy McDonald suggested that the learning center monitors be assigned to other areas as the learning centers may be phased out. The monitors will be making a report to the Task Force at the Monday, November 3 meeting. There will be a monitor's meeting on Thursday, October 30, 1980, 7:30 p.m. at Judy McDonald's home, 5289 Canterbury Dr. All Task Force members are encouraged to attend.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

The following special committee assignments have been made:

Race/Relations	Exchange and Learning Centers	Overall Planning	VEEP
Beverly Yip, Chair	Ann Hunsaker, Chair	Bill Rohan, Chair	Morris Casuto, Chair
Tom Carter	Irma Castro	Jim Anderson	Richard Calvin
Delia Talamantez	Fred Castro	Jerry Baker	Larry Gonzales
	Clarence Pendleton	Joseph Davis	Mike Madigan
	Hartwell Ragsdale	Alan McCutcheon	Judy McConnell
		Ralph Ocampo	
		Eunice Winston	

Any Task Force member unable to participate on a committee because he or she does not have the time is asked to please call the Chairman to let him know.

NEW BUSINESS

Dr. Lillian Beam has been asked by the School Board to serve as a consultant to the Board in the area of race/human relations. Therefore, Dr. Beam will not be serving on the Task Force at this time. The Chairman will fill her place with another Black educator. Irma Castro suggested that a member of the Native American community be asked to participate on the Task Force. She recommended John Rouillard.

Ann Hunsaker brought up the problem of a white student from San Diego who was denied a transfer to Grossmont High. He was told he could not transfer because it would imbalance the numbers at San Diego High. He was told he could go to Wright Bros. or to an ROP Program, neither of which provided the program in agriculture that he was looking for. His appeals were denied. This bothered Ann Hunsaker. It is her opinion that it was not Judge Welsh's intent to deny a young person quality education for the sake of numbers.

Irma Castro mentioned that there was an incident in which a group of Spanish speaking parents at a school meeting were told by a cafeteria worker that they had to speak English and not Spanish. The Chairman stated that these incidents and the names of these persons should be brought to the attention of the District.

PLEASE NOTE!!! THE MEETING ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR NOVEMBER 17 HAS BEEN CANCELLED.

OUR NEXT TASK FORCE MEETING WILL BE HELD MONDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1980, 4:00 P.M., AT MEMORIAL JUNIOR HIGH, 2850 LOGAN AVE.

October 27, 1980

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