

PACE Meeting Minutes – Oct. 8, 2012 – Shepard Center 6:30-8pm

- **Topic: Academic Options & “Extras” for All Levels!**

The following PACE board members were in attendance:

Scott Prigan
Natali Fausey
Cathy Fagan

The following CCS staff and/or GT staff were speakers:

Kate Webster
Joan Baker
Beth Gasior
Ronda Budd

Other GT staff and parents in attendance:

- see sign-in sheet

Toia Robinson was not present (no particular reason).

- 6:30 Welcome and Introductions
 - Handouts from C.C.S. GT Department
 - Guests: Joan Baker (HS Coord), Kate Webster (HS Counselor [CAHS->Metro]), Beth Gasior (MS-ES Coord), Ronda Budd (MS-ES Coord)
 - 7:55 Closing remarks and encourage membership ETC.
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- **H.S. Options**
- Joan Baker and Kate Webster provided HS level info overview
 - AP/ IB, KAP
 - PSEO, “junior to sophomore”, etc
 - Credit Flexibility
 - Chess league, robotics, Calculus tournament (cut)
 - Different programs at different high
- **E.S. Options**
- Beth Gasior supplied ES overview
 - e.g. -- Spelling Bee, Math Works, Chess, Invention Convention, Battle of the Books, Geography Bee, etc
 - NUMATS

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- **M.S. Options**
- Ronda Budd (MS Coord) recruited supplied MS overview
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