

School Community Council

November 20, 2018

In Attendance

DeAnn Nielsen  
Jeff Nelson  
Holly Henderson  
Shauna Warnick  
Laurie Dallon  
Jacoy Baird  
Kyra Benson  
Jenny Beal  
Denise Brown

Lorraine Davis  
Emily Gunderson  
Christy Nemelka  
Heidi Messenger  
Rachelle Miner  
Dave Jones

DeAnn excused Jessica Knotts, Jared Massic and Shea Bradshaw. Heidi welcomed everyone and thanked them for coming. Jeff led everyone in the pledge of allegiance, Laurie gave a thought from Pablo Picasso "from education comes appreciation" and other thoughts about being thankful and how teachers change the ordinary to great.

Christy made a motion to skip the December meeting, Heidi 2<sup>nd</sup> motion passes. The next meeting will be held January 22<sup>nd</sup>.

PTSC was excused. Shauna discussed they are working on the valo gram fund raiser, and the student club has been doing some excellent service projects and have several planned throughout the year.

Jeff discussed the bond passed and thanked everyone for their support. He discussed the Veterans Day assembly was a great success. The food drive was also a great success, over 26,000 food items will be donated. The Thursday collection was also very successful. The Angst presentation was a great success also. The school has had several groups travel to various locations and the school musical just finished. It involved over 100 students and they did an outstanding job.

He discussed winter sports have all begun, boys and girls basketball, swim and wrestling. The Christmas choir concert, Carols and Confections will be held on Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>, and the band and orchestra will also have winter concerts. Midterm will be the last week of November.

Shauna discussed the discussion held after the Angst film on the parent night was very helpful and very well done.

Rachelle discussed the senior exit survey, and the results that help them to know how to best help students in the future. She discussed that 90% felt like they have a connection to an adult in the school with a positive interaction. She discussed the college application week and the FAFSA application process. She discussed the requirement for the Regents Scholarship. She discussed Thanksgiving break is a good time to review your students college applications and scholarship applications. They usually need to be completed and turned in before Christmas.

Holly discussed the Trustlands funding, the funding was increased for this school year which is very beneficial. She discussed how some of the funds are used throughout the year in the various categories.

She discussed the digital coach that is assigned to our school is Jodi Partridge. She has been very helpful introducing different tools that are available to teachers that can help them in their classes. The teachers can also make appointment with her and she will help them individually during their prep period.

DeAnn discussed the survey results from the Angst survey, and how it is being used in the school. She discussed the presentations that were held and how well they were attended. She discussed the DBT program that will help identify students that have a particular need. Rachelle discussed a group that meets weekly with a therapist and our social worker for 10 weeks. Then a different group will meet with them for the next 10 weeks and then another group for the next 10 weeks. She feels like it has been very positive. They have had a student in the group refer a friend that it may help.

Lorraine asked about the Collin Kartchner presentation. Rachelle discussed Christy Kane who is a researcher and has solutions to the social medial and technology exposure will also be presenting in the district.

Lorraine asked about getting a video of the Collin Kartchner presentation, Rachelle will see if one is available. DeAnn discussed the Angst presentation is not available for individuals, they feel like it is best presented in a group setting. DeAnn discussed it will be presented in Springville on January 14th at 7:00 for the public.

Jeff discussed we had a lock down drill that went well and the stop light on 4<sup>th</sup> north and Spanish Fork Parkway is now operational.

Heidi asked for volunteers for pledge and thought

Pledge - Christy

Thought - Shauna

Meeting adjourned.