

School Community Council

November 21, 2017

In Attendance

DeAnn Nielsen
Shea Bradshaw
Jeff Nelson
Jade Andersen
Shauna Warnick
Jared Massic
Rachelle Miner
Michelle Hirst
Caroline Pratt

Denise Brown
Christy Nemelka
Lorraine Davis
Joy Metten
Dave Jones
Kyra Benson
Heidi Messenger
Jaycee Hall {Payson High School Student}

Shauna welcomed everyone and thanked them for coming. Christy led everyone in the pledge. Shauna reviewed the minutes Michelle made a motion to accept the minutes, Caroline 2nd motion passes.

Shauna welcomed Jaycee Hall a student from Payson High School who presented a proposal to change the hat policy. That the policy would be changed to allow hats in certain circumstances and be enforced more at the school level than the district level. The council decided to abstain from a vote on this issue at this time.

Shauna discussed the next meeting dates; Christy made a motion to not hold the December School Community Council meeting Dave Jones 2nd motion passes.

Carolina discussed the PTSC has been doing service projects – blankets to be donated, blue jean shoes for children in Africa. They finished the fund the flag effort and will award the pizza party to the winning class.

Shea discussed that basketball and wrestling season has begun and the choir, band and orchestra will hold their winter concerts. He reported the musical was very fun and well done and that the marching band won state in their division. The counseling dept took many seniors on tours of several colleges across the state. The Sadie Hawkins dance was held recently, and the gold rush week was recently completed with over \$1166.00 in cash and 28,652 food items that will be donated to Tabitha's way.

The welding class won a national competition and will move on to the final competition.

Rachelle discussed the most recent test results, the 11th grade ACT average was 20.9 the state average was 19.9 she discussed the sage scores compared to the previous year. She discussed AP and concurrent enrollment – the numbers are for last year – this year's numbers are still being compiled. She went over the grades and attendance report which compares other schools in the area. She discussed the senior exit survey and was so pleased that the majority of student had a connection with an adult in the school.

Jade discussed that the new teachers had been trained in the intruded in the building procedures. He discussed a light is scheduled to be installed at 2550 East and 400 North next year. He discussed Officer Ballentine has been monitoring the intersection and the roads around the school. Caroline asked about going to an ID card to get into the building. Jade said it is looking at maintaining a balance of security and accessibility, and to have the students feel safe.

DeAnn discussed the Trustlands funding for this year. Most of the funding is used for teacher salaries, to reduce class size and for teacher training. She discussed the end of year teacher survey asking what the greatest need is in their classroom.

DeAnn asked if there were any other concerns. Jared discussed an incident in his classroom and how it has been resolved. DeAnn discussed a district resource that can help in situations where a teacher or administrator may be concerned.

Heidi gave a thought about how grateful she is for kind teachers who care about their students.

Joy will give the pledge

Jade will give the thought

Next meeting January 16, 2018