**October Meeting Notes**

**SCC Commitments:**

To promote ethical behavior and civil discourse, each council member shall:

- Attend council meetings on time and prepared
- Make decisions with the needs of students as the main objective
- Listen to and value diverse opinions
- Be sure the opinions of those you represent are included in discussions
- Expect accountability and be prepared to be accountable
- Act with integrity
- **Added by Churchill SCC (9/23):** Assume the best/positive intent

| SCC Parent/Family Members | SCC School Members | Visitors |
|---|---|---|
| X  Alicia Stephens | X  Trent Hendricks, Principal | |
| X  Auschel Felt | Excused Julie Sasouda | Trudy Jorgensen-Price |
| X  Hollie Pettersson - Chair | Excused Mary Anne Wiebe-Strong | Vanessa Greenlee |
| X  Janelle Williamson | Excused Cristine Brimley | |
| Excused Mark Edwards | | |
| Excused Siena Hansen – Vice Chair | | |

**Agenda**

1) Approval of [September 2023 Meeting Notes](#)
   a) Auschel made a motion to approve September Meeting Notes and Janelle seconded

2) **Guest comments and questions:**
   a) Vanessa Greenlee is a new member of the Churchill community with students at Churchill and Oakridge. She came to the meeting to learn more about the community and how she can get involved.
   b) Trudy Jorgensen-Price, is the Holladay Library Manager. She shared that Churchill is in the zone of the Holladay Library and would like to know how the library can best partner with Churchill to serve the community.
      i) Some of the current services include:
         (1) a "Create Space" where there is a Coding Club, Dungeons & Dragons Club, Computers with the full Adobe suite, robots, a sound room equipped with all the necessary equipment to create a podcast, to name a few.
         (2) The library has hired a person to help students and families from noon to 6 each day.

3) **Review requirements for SCC**
   a) Handbook
      i) [Handbook – Rules of Order and Procedure (page 13)](#)
      ii) [Handbook – Review Safe Technology and Digital Citizenship and school policies (page 16)](#)
   b) Training videos
      i) [What does my school community council do?](#)
      ii) [Job Descriptions](#)

4) **Data Review**

a) Assistant Principal Matt Schelb1e shared an overall look at student learning data sources used by the School Leadership Team and teacher teams to meet the needs of Churchill students.

b) The district has adopted IReady for math instruction at the middle level. IReady comes with a suite of assessments to help teachers identify the instructional needs of students.

c) Churchill is presently identifying students who need assistance in English, Math, and/or Science (i.e., the bottom 25%) to ensure they get the help they need when they need it. The School Leadership Team is planning with the Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) to implement in-class supports and other opportunities for students to get help.

## 5) District Community Council:

a) The District Community Council is scheduled to meet 5 times this year, all meetings are from 6:00 to 7:30 p.m. Churchill's council divided up the meetings to ensure participation:
   i) October 17 – Kennedy Junior High – Hollie
   ii) November 21 – Bennion Junior High – OPEN
   iii) January 16 – Granite Education Center – Aushel
   iv) March 12 – Olympus Junior High – Alicia
   v) May 14 – TBD – OPEN

## 6) Career and Technical Education: This year Churchill is furthering efforts to take a focused approach to Career and Technical Education. Churchill will transition from CTE "events", because a more sustained effort through career pathways, with an emphasis on technology and engineering, is underway.

a) During the week of November 6th Churchill will engage in a STEM Showcase. Student projects and activities will be spotlighted all week, families will be encouraged to come into the school and learn about what their students are doing.

b) Efforts to create more project-based learning opportunities in classrooms are underway for all courses, including Career and Technical Education.

## 7) Topics of interest for future meetings

a) School accountability data (set for November meeting – 11/14/23)

b) How can we market Churchill (set for November meeting – 11/14/23)


Churchill School, Community Council Meetings, are open to the public.  Should you wish to speak during the meeting, please inform Chair Hollie Pettersson at email- pettersson.hollie@gmail.com; if necessary, a three-minute time limit will be imposed to keep the meeting on track.