

EJHS SCC Minutes
9-11-19
3:15 p.m.
Media Center

In attendance:

Betsy Valora (Chairperson)
Tere Gerber (School Counselor)
Kammie Jones (Parent/ Teacher at Taylorsville High)
Mike Valdez (Teacher)
Hillary Dalton (Secretary/ Parent/ PTA President)
Bettyna Lines (Parent)

David Young (Parent)
Ani Lauritzen (Parent)
Sabrina Perkins (Parent)
Sue Weierman (Teacher/ Vice Chair)
Mark Ellermeier (Principal)

*Sue Weierman called the meeting to order at 3:15 p.m. Everyone in attendance introduced themselves.

*Mr. Ellermeier spoke about the purpose of Community Councils. The State has lands that are specifically used for education. All money made from those lands is put in a trust. Each public school in the state is given money from that trust. The community council, made up of parents, teachers and administration help allocate where those funds go. The administration provides data and presents needs of the school. Eisenhower community council has voted to fund successful programs such as AVID and PBIS. **We are always in need of parents who are willing to be on the community council!**

*The Community Council will meet the 2nd Wednesday of each month, at 3:15 p.m., in the media center.

*Ani Lauritzen proposed a motion to elect Betsy Valora as Chairperson and Sue Weierman as Vice Chair. Mike Valdez seconded the motion. A vote was called for and was unanimous. Betsy nominated Hillary Dalton as secretary. Kammie Jones seconded the motion. A vote was called for and was unanimous.

***Current School-Wide Goals**

The 2018-2019 goals are still in place until September 30th. The goal was for benchmark scores to go up 15% from pre to post test. On October 1st new goals will be set. The goals are usually on an assessment.

***New Teachers**

Eisenhower hired several new teachers for this school year. They are excited to be in such a welcoming environment!

Ms. Hollins- resource
Ms. Riches- resource
Mr. Dewyze- science
Ms. Kuehn- science
Mr. Gray- intern counselor
Ms. Thomas- intern assistant principal

Ms. Stevenson- ½ resource ½ FACS
Ms. Gregson- Geography
Ms. Thompson- Drama
Ms. Dehlin- Gear up Coordinator

***Reconfiguration Update**

We held a discussion about the Taylorsville Network Reconfiguration, taking the 9th graders to the high school and the 6th graders to the jr. highs. As a community council we voted to send a letter asking for more time to reach out to our community.

***Counselor Center Notes**

The counseling center is moving forward. A question was asked about students who are involved in the GTI program being marked absent every day they go to GTI, because they aren't at the school. Mr. Ellermeier promised to look into it.

***PTSA Notes**

The PTSA Fundraiser starts on September 23rd. Faculty support of this is important to get the students excited!

***Upcoming Events**

September 24-25 Parent/ Teacher Conferences; 4:00-7:00 p.m.

September 27, No School

Next Meeting will be held on October 9, at 3:15 p.m.

***Other Concerns**

A question was brought up about the drop off/ pick up zones concerning some of the bus drivers reckless driving. If a parent is concerned about a particular bus driver, they should record the behavior with their cell phone and send it to the district. They have to be aware of the problem before they can act to resolve it.