

## Community Council Minutes

10/11/2023

In attendance:

Merri Rygg (Parent)

Bonnie Madrigal (Parent, Teacher)

Teri Gerber (Counselor, Vice Chairperson)

Alison Gosh- (Parent)

Ashley George (Parent, Chairperson)

Ofa Nau (Assistant Principal)

Wes Cutler (Principal)

Ashley Gray (Intern Assistant Principal)

Hillary Dalton (Parent, Secretary)

\* Meeting was opened with a welcome from Principal Cutler.

\* Enrollment is UP! We were projected to have 962 students. We currently have 1064, with 60 of them being SPED students.

\* Giant thanks to the PTSA for organizing a fun lunchtime activity. PTSA is trying to start a leadership program at Eisenhower, with service opportunities. Two students from each club were invited to come share ideas and meet the PTSA presidency. It is unknown whether the same kids will be on the committee each month or if they will rotate.

\* 200 food kits were handed out prior to Fall Break. There was a real need, as they were all gone within a few minutes and some parents/students who wanted some were unable to get them.

\* The superintendent is encouraging a Districtwide goal to increase proficiency by 1% this year. If you are concerned about your student reaching this goal, please encourage them to log in to IReady at home. There are games they can play which will give them individual help on concepts in which they need to improve.

\* During second semester there will be several new classes offered to cut class sizes. These extra periods are being paid for with Land Trust and ESSR money.

7<sup>th</sup> grade Math Lab

(Spanish speaking only) Study Skills, targeting Math

Study skills, remediation for Science and Math

6/7 P.E.

7<sup>th</sup> grade Utah Studies

STEM class

\* ESSER budget this year is \$236,496.46. This has to be spent this school year. Mr. Cutler is spending between \$10,000 and \$20,000 to update the school library and \$10,000 to buy new musical instruments for the band and orchestra. Mr. Cutler would also like to hire a contract sub for ½ year for English to bring ELL class sizes down.

\* Next year the Eisenhower network schools will be included in a boundary/reconfiguration study.

\* There will be a Halloween Dance on October 27<sup>th</sup> from 11:30-12:30. The YMCA has volunteered to decorate, and the students have requested a “real” DJ.

\* Girls Volleyball just started for the next two weeks, from October 17<sup>th</sup>-26<sup>th</sup>.

\* Basketball will start October 30<sup>th</sup> and end just before Christmas.

\*The next meeting will be held November 8<sup>th</sup> at 3:15 p.m.