

Magna Elementary School

School Community Council 2014-2015



Community council meeting

October 8, 2014

4:00 PM

Attendees:

Jennifer Johnson

Misty Boyd

Kim Affleck

Wendy bliss

Liliana Mejia

- Welcome new members Kim, Wendy, and Liliana!
- The DVD *Touch the Future* was shown and discussed. The corresponding handout was distributed.
- Training dates for SCC members was given. (October 8th and November 12th).
- Responsibility checklists were given as everyone on the council feels guidance is needed.
- The school plan progress report was distributed. Everyone was encouraged to familiarize themselves with the current plan, and to research new ideas to enhance learning at our school.
- Riverton music was discussed and was decided to have an assembly with Riverton Music. During registration we handed flyers out about the music program and had Riverton music come to our literacy night. Sadly, no one has signed up for the program. As one last push we are having Riverton music do an assembly in hopes we will get kids involved in the program.
- We discussed a letter being sent to teachers to gather information about ways they would like to see School LAND Trust budgeted for future years. Jenn will put together the letter.
- Road to Success was discussed. We are hopeful the program may be more effective this year as our librarian has been put in charge of this program. We are finding that the program isn't as effective as we'd like. Possible other literacy programs are being looked into. All agreed we liked the AR program.
- The afterschool program was discussed. One mom expressed that the program has been a let down. Her child isn't coming home with completed homework and if it is completed it's done incorrectly. We will look further into this program as \$6,000 does come from Trust LAND funding.

- We would like to see our school more tech savvy. We will be researching ways we could fund the ability to help out teachers and bring more technology to our school.
- We discussed the need for new books and shelving in our library. Most our books are from the early 90's therefore they are less appealing to the kids. Also the books we do have are extremely worn and need to be weeded and replaced with new books. The shelving is original to the school built in 1957. The shelving needs to be replaced. We will look into ideas for this as well.