Olympus Junior High Community Council Meeting Notes April 8, 2021

Attending Council Members: Becky Jensen (Chair), Juliane Taylor (Vice-Chair), Corrine Kendall (Staff), Josh LeRoy (Principal), Heather Hale (Parent), Tayna Bates (Parent), Meg Thunnell (Parent), JoAnne Brown (Teacher), Steve Rossi (Teacher), Elise Soukup (Parent), Jonny Matich (Vice Principal)

Approval of March Minutes: motion by Rossi, 2nd by Brown, all in favor

Principal's Report:

- I. **End of year RI Data**: Our March Average Proficiency Score was 79% (We *almost* made our goal of 80%!) Student Average Growth was up 12 pts from the Sept.% Proficiency score of 66%.
- II. **End-of-year testing plan**: Yes, we are doing testing this year, in the core subjects of English, Math and Science. The State, however, is not going to use this testing for accountability. There will be a 90-minute testing period on each of 6 days in May (May 12-21). Testing will take place during the morning in assigned rooms. Fridays will be dedicated to Distance Learners who will have to test in person.
- III. **Updates for staffing**: The administration is currently interviewing for a new dance teacher. They have hired a math teacher to replace Mr. Bollschweiler, who is moving over to Cottonwood HS. With URSER monies from the State (which will last 2 years), the school can pay for a third day with the school social worker and also fully fund an intern counselor. We are lucky that this means a relatively small student/counselor ratio next year.

Community Comments: none

Motion to Adjourn: Becky Jensen, seconded by Rossi

Next Community Council Meeting on Thursday, May 6 @ 3:15 pm