

Rosecrest School Community Council Meeting January 26, 2010

Present: Julie Clarke: Principal; Andie Brown: Teacher; Kathy Draper: Vice-President, Teacher; Becky Mott: Secretary, Parent; Becky Pettit: Parent; Jane Thomas: Parent. Not Present: Rob Bodily, President; Jen Jessop: Parent, PTA Rep.

Minutes from previous meeting were approved.

Gold Medal / SNAP: Becky Mott will redo Rosecrest's SNAP map using the new software; which is more user-friendly and has a link we can put on our website for parent and student access. Becky will also find more information regarding the SNAP Walk 'n Roll assembly.

Community Council members confirmed their terms and intentions of staying. Julie will check with Rob Bodily regarding his intentions toward the SCC as his 1st term is up this year. Andie Brown's term is also up and she is willing to continue if there are no other faculty candidates.

Shannon Allsop and Dale Webb shared information regarding using Technology funds to purchase 1 more Smartboard for the school. Julie will use capitol outlay money to purchase Smartboards for any classrooms which do not currently have. It was also suggested that the responders for the Smartboards are not being used as expected – possibly because they are a little intensive and maybe there is too much teacher time involved. The SCC members discussed the option of Document Cameras being a better choice for teachers. Document Cameras would get more use and would be a better asset to teachers.

The SCC voted to return the unopened responders and purchase SMART Document Cameras for the teachers.

Also Teachers will receive new computers within 2 – 3 weeks. Old computers have to be cleared out before the switch.

3rd grade has partnered with the Utah Fire Authority. Julie is still working on meeting with Dan's to make our partnership official.

We reviewed our 2008-2009 School Plan Final Report.

Rosecrest is one of two east side schools (Morningside) who will be using the SRA Imagine It Reading Series starting next year. The teachers will be receiving professional development for this new series in June- dates to be announced. Additional professional development will be needed.

A Spanish version of the CC Handbook is available if anyone needs a copy in Spanish.

Please review the Prohibition of Bullying and Hazing handout.

Other items:

Becky Pettit gave information regarding Franklin Covey's "The Leader In Me" series. This program costs \$1,000's of dollars and would require additional teacher time, but we were asked to look at.

Becky also gave information regarding SmartTables, but the cost is \$9,000 per table at present.

Becky Pettit is going to contact our Government Reps to tell them what we've spent our Land Trust monies on in the past and to ask them not to take it away. Anyone else is invited to do the same.

Meeting dates for remainder of year:

February 23, 2010

March 23, 2010

April 27, 2010