

Rosecrest Community Council Minutes

Date	November 11, 2019
Call to Order	3:45 p.m.
Attending Council Members	Kyle Anderson, Principal Nancy Hardy, Teacher Patti Hession, Parent Sam Sorensen, Parent Lori Thompson, Parent Ben Towers, Parent
Absent Council Members	Stacie Henry (sick)
Guests	None
Ending Time	4:30 p.m.
Next Schedule Meeting	January 13, 2020

Kyle Anderson welcomed SCC members and thanked them for coming.

Agenda Items:

I. Updated Student Achievement Data

- a. Kyle Anderson reviewed last year’s RISE Test Data... the metric used to measure the success of Rosecrest Elementary on a state level. Mr. Anderson expressed his support that schools should be held accountable for what students learn, however he shared frustration with the state’s ability to calculate all the scores and get them back to the school has been frustrating.
- b. Mr. Anderson shared and explained a spreadsheet showing Rosecrest’s student achievement data (proficiency, as well as, growth). Also, Mr. Anderson explained the significance of growth vs. proficiency data.
- c. On Rosecrest’s Trustland Plan, the SCC set the proficiency goal as 51%, for each academic (language arts, math, and science). Rosecrest’s students showed an overall average of 65% growth ...far exceeding the 51% goal!
- d. Mr. Anderson put into perspective the meaning of Rosecrest’s data numbers by showing a spreadsheet comparing Rosecrest’s data and data from surrounding elementary schools.
- e. Mr. Anderson allowed time for questions and reminded SCC members they would be responsible for setting a new goal in the Spring.

II. Enrollment & Class Size

- a. Currently, Rosecrest has 398 students and is getting very small according to these student population numbers. Kyle Anderson shared that the difference between outgoing 6th grade numbers and K incoming numbers was significantly different – there were many more 6th students who left Rosecrest than incoming Kindergarten students. SCC discussed reasons neighborhoods were becoming older with fewer kids.

- b. Once the school district has predicted Rosecrest's numbers in March 2020, Mr. Anderson will present staffing/class size issues to the SCC. We will clearly lose our two 6th grade teachers and the remaining question will be..."will we lose one or two more on top of that".
- c. FTE numbers will be based on the number of students Granite School District predicts will attend Rosecrest in August 2020. In looking at current enrollment numbers, there is a concern about maintaining small kindergarten classes and two classes on each grade level.
- d. The SCC discussed possible ideas for increasing Rosecrest's student population.

III. Report of Red Ribbon Week

- a. Mr. Anderson expressed appreciation to Leslie and Steve Hayward and Traci and Jim Nelson for a successful Red Ribbon Week.
- b. Mr. Anderson discussed the RRW activities which promoted messages of Anti-Bullying and Drug Resistance. The special guests who presented, Nadia Kristine and Detective Arnold were amazing and engaging!
- c. Mr. Anderson also explained how Utah's Digital Response-Ability which is a state program, presented differentiated curriculum on Digital safety in each individual class, during the week.

IV. Council obligation to digital citizenship & safety

- a. Ben Towers discussed how he learned at a District SCC training, that digital citizenship and safety was the responsibility of SCC.
- b. Ben questioned if there was a need for parent training in regards to Digital Citizenship & Safety. Patti Hession shared how GSD had offered for the past couple of years, "Parent Empowerment" trainings to present ideas for digital citizenship and behavioral health support, but they were not well attended (even though food was provided and parents can chose the classes they attend). GSD will continue to provide parents opportunity to be involved and engaged in these areas.

Council Meeting Adjourned at 4:30 p.m.