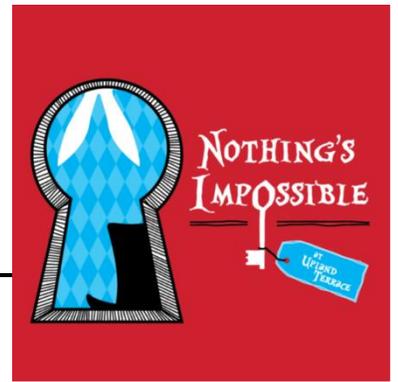


Upland Terrace Elementary School

School Community Council

Meeting Notes

February 8, 2019



Members present: Jennifer Reed, Kim Gardner, Janae Nicholes, Jenn Scott, Elise Post
Rick Miller

Absent/excused: Ali Duff, Amanda Healey

Guests: Nanette Barnes, Preschool

- I. Welcome
- II. January Notes Approval
Motion to approve = Rick, Second = Janae
- III. School Safety Update
 - a. Nanette Barnes – preschool principal: wants to hear the concerns about the drop off area.
 - b. There are four students on the morning bus. Bus arrives at 8:45. Preschool starts at 8:55.
 - c. Need to watch preschool employee hours carefully, they cannot go over 29-hours of work each week.
 - d. Want to keep preschool start time close to school start time. Average start time for preschool is 10-15 minutes around K-5 start time as a convenience to parents with elementary students.
 - e. Willingness to bump start time earlier
 - f. Concern about afternoon pick up – preschool parents arrive early and leave the engine running, conversations with parents happening and blocking the drive through.

Nanette will look at: adjusting start time for preschool five minutes earlier for next year. Keep afternoon times the same. Preschool teacher and department can remind parents about protocol and items related above.

For the future: think about how/where to add to our parking lots. (Don Adams?) 45 degree slots up top, or expanding lower lot.

- IV. Preschool Coupons/posters for Alice in Wonderland
 - a. Interest in delivering these items to neighboring preschools?
 - b. Jenn will go to Discovery
- V. SSAP Plan submitted
 - a. Emailed approval received from: Kim, Ali, Jen, Rick, Elise, Janae on 1/24 and 1/25.
- VI. PBG Teacher Supply Support
 - a. See document
 - b. Jennifer needs to research cost of pre-made assessments.
 - c. Council wants to be sure teachers feel that the resources/support are equitable for the teachers/grade levels.
 - d. Faculty needs to establish and timeline and more specifically state needs, then budget can be made. Timeline and needs will be ready for next meeting.

QUESTIONS ABOUT PBG: Is there a way to report to parents work completion? How will parents track missing assignments?

To educate parents: are teachers just teaching to the test under proficiency based grading?