

West Valley Elementary Community Council

Held: Tuesday, April 5, 2016 at 8:00am and ended at 9:00am

Location: West Valley Elementary Conference Room

Presiding Chair: Phillip Twede

Vice-Chair: Kerri Bauer

Conducting: Kerri Bauer (left at 8:45am)
Mandee Cossa (conducted the rest of the meeting)

Council Members Present:

Kerri Bauer – Parent
Mindy Pratt
Mandee Cossa - Teacher
Shauna Jensen – Principal
Natalie Cooke – Parent
Phillip Twede – Parent

Council Members Absent:

Non-member attendees:

Agenda:

- Approve February 9, 2016 and March 15, 2016 minutes
- Approve Trustlands Plan for 2016-2017 school year.
- Safe Technology and Digital Citizenship
- Principal report
- Review land trust expenditures and budget
- Progress report

Action Items:

The committee reviewed February 9, 2016 Community Council minutes

- Natalie Cooke motioned to approve
- Mandee Cossa second the motion
- All in favor- Shauna Jensen, Kerri Bauer, Mindy Pratt, Philip Twede, Natalie Cooke, and Mandee Cossa

The committee reviewed March 15, 2016 Community Council minutes

- Shauna Jensen motioned to approve
- Natalie Cooke second the motion

- All in favor- Shauna Jensen, Kerri Bauer, Mindy Pratt, Philip Twede, Natalie Cooke, and Mandee Cossa

Committee reviewed the 2016-2017 Trustlands Plan. No significant changes were made to the plan from what was voted on for 2015-2016. The committee felt the plan was good and in the best interest of our school. The committee's goal is to continue implementing subs and para-professionals for PLC time, data collection, assisting with literacy instruction and development. In addition to subs and para-professionals, the committee will continue to implement chromebooks so that every student is able to have their own assigned chromebook. Any extra funding not used and will not be needed to finish the year will be to purchase additional Chromebooks. They have been invaluable to expanding beyond the classroom and students are excited about learning.

2016-2017 Trustland goals:

- Reading and Technology: The percentage of students showing growth in grades K-6 in Reading using Dibels Next Benchmark Assessment, comparing EOY (previous year) to EOY (current year), will increase by 3%.
- Mathematics and Technology: The percentage of students demonstrating proficiency (70-100%) as measured by the Granite Quarterly Benchmarks will increase by an average of 30% from pre-test to post-test.

The committee voted to approve the Trustland Plan

- Natalie motioned to approve
- Mandee second the motion
- All in favor: Shauna Jensen, Kerri Bauer, Mindy Pratt, Philip Twede, Natalie Cooke, and Mandee Cossa

No Action Comments:

While discussing Trustland Plan options, Shauna Jensen provided us with some alternatives to subs in order to reduce expenditures.

- She is considering Kerrie Harvey to take the place of Karen Harward for collaborations providing coding instruction to students.
- Math and Reading Professional Development may be once a month next year
- Digital Citizenship was covered for this year with 2 NetSmartz Assemblies and White Ribbon Week as well as STS doing a lesson in every class. It was suggested to host a parent night next year to help teach digital citizenship or have a police officer come and be a part of it.
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Agenda for Tuesday, May 10, 2016 at 8:00am

- Approve April 5, 2016 minutes
- Determination of vacancies for next fall (whose two year terms are up)
 - Determine timeline for elections this fall (when candidate declarations are due, when the elections will be held)
 - How will be publicize these vacancies and elections
- Principal report
- Review land trust expenditures and budget
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