

Syracuse High School Community Council Minutes
March 7th, 2018

Attendance: Jed Johansen, Mark Jolley, Mark Pendleton, Ashley Maddox, Vicki Hassard, Devin Rogers, Kelly Bennett, Sandy Rich, Jaren Argyle, Jared Martin

Excused- Jen Affleck, Scott Thorne, Matt Bingham

Jed welcomed the members of the CC.

Each member of the CC received a copy of the following information: February minutes and March agenda.

Members reviewed February minutes. Kelly motioned to approve. Jed 2nd All were in favor.

SIP: Jed

- ACT will be a focus. We want to get an increase in enrollment in our AP and CE classes. We will be adding CE classes in all areas.
- Language Labs- Cost will be \$26,000. We have adequate funds left in Trustlands. Vicki motioned to approve to spend to do the labs. Jaren 2nd. All were in favor.
- IVC Labs- Still working towards it. Not ready to move forward yet. It doesn't benefit our school yet.
- NMSI- Mark P: It is a 3 yr grant to help boost AP enrollment. NMSI supplies money and pay for half of the AP test. Students get study sessions on Saturdays.
- We will be shifting from honors classes to AP and CE only
- We are going to start moving to blended learning. We will get around 400 laptops next year (laptop carts). Teachers will need to apply for one for their own classroom. Teachers will be using Canvas for everything.
- Student grading system is changing to the rubric system

Information Items- Mark P

- Spring Break 4/2-4/6
- Term ends 3/16
- Honor roll celebrations
- April 11th Next meeting

Nathan SRO- We will have a multi-agency drill at one of the local schools coming up in the summer. He will be out in the hallways more. Be more visible. There has been discussion of having only one exterior door unlocked during school day.

Counseling Update: Sandy Rich

- Counselors are in the process of finalizing course requests
- Post High School Day for juniors. 3/8 All Utah colleges will be here
- PSAT test 3/27 for Sophomores
- Deadline for the April ACT and to pay for all AP tests is Friday 3/9