

Community Council Meeting
January 11 2018
5:00 PM

Attending: Lisa Moller, Adam Vobora, Lisa Hutchings, Megan Klingler, Richelle Orme, Jean-Pierre Rangassamy, Julien Pessin, Kevin Prusse, Gary Sant, Jenessa Sant, Alisa Van Langeveld

1. Welcome and Review

- a. Gary Sant called the meeting to order and asked that the November's meeting minutes be reviewed.
- b. Jenessa Sant reviewed the minutes.
- c. The November minutes were accepted.

2. Mr. Prusse informed us on Ms. Weber's current health conditions and the plan with Ms. Nielson, her lessons planned specific to classes, individual students and groups.

3. Blended Learning

All principals in the district are taking classes in 4 groups. Classes are 1 time a month for 6 months. The entire school will be starting Blended Learning next year. The goal is to get our students integrated curriculums (i.e. math & science, reading & technology etc). Get students interested in more specific areas of learning, both in groups as well as individually.

In elementary schools, the science curriculum will be changing to become more interactive to help students learn better problem solving on their own. In the past the focus was on learning about micro organisms, space/universe and energy (heat/light). The new curriculum will include more analyzing in these areas as well as more technology-based projects and robotic programming. 10 schools a year are being introduced to this and Foxboro will have it the 2019-2020 school year. Each module grade is different and they will work on one module a year. Each group will need iPads with the necessary apps. Teachers will have paid training, Mr. Prusse suggested training over the summer.

4. School improvement plan

Occurs Tuesday, March 27th at 8:00 AM and can last all day. Data we need to focus on includes: Language arts, attendance and quality.

5. Family Game Night

Family Game Night will be held Thursday, March 8th at 6pm. We discussed including STEM activities (such as soundproofing). Mr. Pessin suggested having games available for purchase from "Game Right" and having the students from game club show parents and other students how to play them.

Separating pods into Games, math, science etc. while intergrading the teachers was also discussed and well received. Community council members are responsible for the estimation jars; Mr. Prusse would like to have them a week before game night (March 1st). Mrs. Van Langeveld has emailed the UofU athletes and suggested they set up in the gym.

6. Questions and concerns

How can we get more interns? French & English, men and women would be ideal. The meeting was drawn to a close and dismissed at 6 pm.