



Community Council Agenda

5/17/17

Joseph Cook Elementary School

Community Council Meetings are usually held the third Wednesday of every other month at 4 PM in the library.

Tentative 2016-17 Meeting Schedule: OCT. 19, Nov. 16, Jan. 18, Feb. 15, Mar. 15, Apr. 12, and May 17 (SIP)

Agenda:

1. **Welcome & Introductions** Attending: Roger King, Natalie Argyle, Terri Strawn, Karen Briggs, and Sharlyn Ellison
2. **Review and approve minutes** Approved by those attending
3. **Principal's Report on school items**
 - a) Update on projects including drinking fountains -3 done, 2 to go waiting on district plumbers/tile/masonry to be available, carpet-Fall 2017 getting only corridors replaced, lunch tables-from district, coming soon to replace broken, sound system-paid for, installed before summer is over, extra computer lab upgrade-waiting for check in the mail, etc.
 - b) Teacher survey results from the Cook Fun Run Positive feedback was it was fun, kids enjoyed it, everyone could participate, and well organized. Changes feedback was it's the same time as other fundraisers and testing, also 16 out of 27 would rather it be in the Fall instead of Spring.
4. **Current ideas, questions, needs, and/or concerns from Council and/or Community**
 - a) Discuss efforts towards increased STEM and Blended Learning Got robots grant off \$2,500. Each grade level will have a kit with robots and checkerboard. Possibility of an after school STEM class. Blended learning model is getting pushed from the district. Almost all teachers at Cook are planning to use stations rotations model 25%-35% of the time.
 - b) Feedback from this year of Community Council and suggestions for next year. Would be nice to not change original calendar dates for meetings. Liked being able to discuss data and trust land funds more since we didn't organize a fundraiser.
 - c) We will have Think Through Math next year for grades 3-6. We did not get our Ascend Math K-2 licenses so the district is possibly getting us an alternative. We might pilot a program but it would be free.
5. **Parent and Community Involvement**
 - a) None
6. **Trust Lands Items, Budget, or Updates**

- a) Plan for any overage money-about 18,000 left over, but we're not sure why. Those present at the meeting voted to use this for what the fun run was short of paying for the 2nd computer lab (~\$3,000), extra 2 weeks to pay TAs(~1,700). After that with what is left a few Ipads(~300 each) to complete missing ones in mobile labs and replace however broken projectors we can (~500 each).

7. Student Wellness Plan and Update

- a) Review what was done for Student Safety Online

8. Other items for discussion and/or future agenda items:

- a) None