

West Bountiful Elementary School

Community Council Meeting Minutes

December 5, 2017

- I. Welcome
- II. Minutes of the last Meeting – can be found on the school webpage
- III. Reports of Standing Committees for School Improvement
 - A. SNAP - stays the same
 - B. Reading Improvement – no new data
DIBELS middle of the year done in January, scores in February
 - C. Technology Advancement
Fundraiser for technology- looks like enough was raised for 16 new laptops
 - D. Professional Development – on going – Teachers will be trained in new Project Lead the Way program
 - E. Trust Lands –Next report in the Spring
- IV. Miscellaneous Business
 - A. Wasatch Savings –Idea for fundraiser next year. It is like the “Happenings” book only it is Davis/Weber or Salt Lake Valley specific. It also has a card to scan to redeem the savings. \$35 for the book and the school gets ½. Jr. High may have done this.
 - B. ILP conference feedback-Some parents liked having only two early out days while others missed the week long early out days. One parent suggested that Kindergarten not teach on ILP days and schedule meetings throughout the day like they do for testing at the beginning of the year. Another suggestion was to hold ILPs in an open house style like the jr. high and high school. Regina will give feedback to the district.
PTA’s book fair was affected. The reorder turnaround time was shortened and was really hard to make work.
 - C. Project Lead the Way – starts this fall. Two “lead” teachers (1 from an upper grade and 1 from a lower grade chosen from volunteers from each grade) will be trained this winter/spring and then return and train the rest of the faculty.
It has K-5 modules. We will acquire additional 5th grade modules that fit into the 6th grade curriculum.
The district picks the emphasis of the modules. So far, the schools in our district that run the PLTW program have Computer Science and Robotics emphasis. We don’t know yet if our school will have the same emphasis.
Cost division - \$5,000 paid by District, \$5,000 paid by grant, \$5,000 paid by West Bountiful. CC members wondered if left over Trust Lands money can be used for the initial fee. Regina will check on this option. Annual fee of \$750 each additional year the program is used. Additional modules can be purchased at additional cost.
The PLTW apps can run on laptops. 20% of our usage has to run on iPads.
 - D. Building Update – “World of Imagination” is a theme idea that is being tossed around. Think about the future and what it will be like; future people, future transportation, future technology. Architects looking to begin design process.
 - E. Other Items - none