

**Legacy Junior High
Community Council Meeting
November 8, 2017**

Those in attendance: Chadily Bodily, Melanie Smith, Ryan Mellor, Vanessa Quant, Marla Call, Jen Yeager, Bruce Illum, Kelsey Bernards, Katie Frederiksen, Becky Larsen, Nancy Hammond

Motion to approve minutes from last month by Melanie Smith and second by Ryan Mellor, minutes approved. Follow up on last month's discussion:
The district will send parents an email prior to all drills except fire drills.

TRUST LAND FINANCIAL REPORT-Chadli Bodily: How are we spending the money?

Canvas overview: canvas training for each teacher, at this time, they only have one training session provided for each teacher. The school will also offer classes to parents on canvas training. If we have excess money maybe we could provide more Canvas training. We need to reallocate the money that we had planned to spend on Aleks, any ideas on how we can spend the money? Katie Frederiksen mentioned more canvas training or we need more technology, more laptops in classrooms. \$490 per laptop. Melanie motioned to vote on spending the money on more Canvas training, Ryan Mellor second it and it was unanimously voted yes.

SIP PROGRAM REVIEW:

LEGACY LEARNING-Tony Smith: Two things for this year:

1-implimented a plan to keep track of which students are using legacy learning, and what are the students studying for? The students check in and out. Good way to keep track of who is there. Legacy learning has increased in attendance over the last few years. The last week of the term the testing center is really busy. Math leads the way in attendance increase... what a great resources for our students who might need to brush up on their math skills. Legacy Learning is open from 7am-8am Monday-Thursday & after school from 3:15-4:15. Teachers run the whole thing, and it takes great effort on their part. Teachers what do you think of the effectiveness... math is showing a 20% increase which is so good. English we encourage them to come in, not a lot of tutoring needed its more for canvas. The 3:15 start time is a draw back because kids go home. Maybe we could change the time and advertise the start time as 3:00pm, even if the teachers don't start until 3:15 the kids can get set up and ready to learn. Let's refresh the posters and put them up with the new time. Any volunteers, maybe parents through PTSA could be used at mid terms or at the end of term. The volunteers would be monitors, not helping with the curriculum. Maybe we could change the rule about kids bringing in their id, we need to make it more accessibility for them, we don't want to turn students away for not having their ID with them.

SCIENCE/SPECIAL EDUCATION COLLABORATION-Bruce Illum and Nancy Hammond have been collaborating on a Special Ed Science class and grades have

gone up. The classes are smaller and they can get more help. All students in there are struggling and they can together, which is helpful for them and really make them figure it out. They are working to adjust any needs as they go along.

ENGLISH COLLABORATION & SUMMER TRAININGS-Katie Frederiksen: their summer days were very good, 68 standards, the 10 most important, they aligned them and are now working with each grade to build upon for each year. Virginia Riley from the district came in, she is over ELA and did a data dive on October 30. They were able to look over the data & came to consensus of the rules as to how they grade 1, 2, 3, or 4. This will allow each English class to be grading the same, which is vey helpful. Still working to build on canvas, its been going well. All universities in Utah are using canvas and now moving into the elementary's too. It's a big mind shift for the kids, but they need to get familiar with it.

SCHOOL-WIDE CANVAS TRAINING-Chadli Bodily: creating a canvas training for parents which will happen at parent teacher conferences, they will watch a little video then they can go into the computer lab and log in and get on canvas. There will be someone on hand to help answer questions. Teachers need to give more instructions to the students, there is a learning curve and they need to try it.

LEGISLATIVE UNDATE-Ryan: USOE ruling R277-700, the flexibility for 7th & 8th graders to have more options in their schedules. They are going to try again, for the state school board to rule of flexible scheduling for 7 and 8 grade students so they will have more choices when doing their schedules, their only requirements will be core classes. A draw back is that students aren't exposed to a wide variety of things. A positive would be that the student would excel in the areas that they want to.

NEXT MEETING: Wednesday December 13, 2017 @ 4pm in the 1216 Computer Lab
Calendar now: March 14th 2018 SIP Planning Day, media center