

**Farmington High School**  
**Community Council Minutes, October 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

Present:

Absent:

Lunch Discussion: Lines and wait times. Lines go very fast. Main line is the longest and those students figured out how to work the time. There is plenty of time for students to eat lunch.

Across the district there is a shortage of cafeteria workers. The first weeks we were short staffed, and we didn't have 5 lines running or the upstairs areas running. We now have more lines running and all lines are finished with 15 minutes of lunch remaining. Many students will go through two lines (smoothie and main line for example) and still have time.

- Panini's and smoothies are running. They will eventually add the made to order sandwiches. Students can use their lunch accounts at all lines.
- Discussion about outside sources being used. You cannot use lunch accounts on outside vendors.
- Concessions stand also has food available. They cannot use student lunch accounts at concessions.
- The goal is to keep the kids on campus as much as possible.
- Another goal is to have food available for students after school. The staffing is the issue to keep things open after school. There is not enough people that want to work nutritional services. Principal Swanson will look into the availability of student workers after school.

Farmington Station—donated all the coins from their fountain to the student body.

Justin Whittaker: ACT information. We do not have baseline data as a new school. September scores are 24.7 average cumulative score. State average is 24. FHS is not an official ACT testing site yet. Students will need to go attend other schools for the Saturday tests.

Juniors will still take the February ACT test. Viewmont, Davis and Farmington will be giving a practice ACT in November during two back to back late start dates. Tentative dates are Nov 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>. This will be given to all juniors. 2 sections will be given each day.

- Edgenuity has a robust ACT program which we have access to. We are looking at enrolling every junior in those ACT classes.
- We will also be offering the ACT after school prep.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> period is also open to take any online course work, where students could do a course online during the day
- Sophomores will also have the opportunity to enroll in an ACT prep during 2<sup>nd</sup> portion of their driver's education class
- Looking forward (next year) hopefully we will be able to offer ACT prep during the day
- ACT scores from other Summit schools: We are making outreach to Summit to get ACT scores from other schools. The information we do have:
  - Graduation rates 98% are accepted into 4-year colleges

- After 4 years 57% graduation rate from college—Davis and VHS have 42% after 6 years. Our district excels in HS graduation rates, but struggle with college graduation rates.

Summit decision: Who made the decision to accept Summit?

- Question was asked about who decided?
  - Principal Swanson was told FHS will open with a blending personalized model. That was not negotiable
  - Admin and curriculum looked at other schools and what was available to introduce a blended model without teachers having to create curriculum
  - Principal Swanson made the final decision based on the feedback
  - It is not a small program. It is a large program used across the country
  - Not big in Utah but Utah is also behind in other educational areas
  - Teachers did not have to create tons of curriculum
  - Summit program is free to schools that have adopted the program—Farmington had to apply and the district and superintendent had to give approval for us to apply.
  - It is very important to get more information out to the community.
- Did they have details and stats?
- Is it true that Ogden HS used Summit and dropped it?

Trust lands Money has stayed where it was previously.

Fall Updates

- Golf took region at state
- State tennis today
- Marching band 2<sup>nd</sup> place
- CX should take region this Friday
- Dance went well on Saturday—
- Independent “safest school in America”—be aware we will not advertise