

Clearfield High School Community Council Minutes

October 17, 2018

Present

Chris Keime
Julie Muir
Dan Pitcher
Alan Clark
Michael Haney

Mike Martini
Ryan Everhart
Adam Shumway
Liz Hansen
Michelle Wunderlich

Johnny Caine
Kallie Westover
Ruth Jones
Maude Beckman

Absent

Nichole Young

Discussion

Graduation Recognition

- Ruth Jones proposed recognizing Native American graduates because Clearfield High has the highest number of these students in our district and many are the first to graduation in their families. She showed and suggested stoles made from woven blankets.
- Ideas were discussed about whether to recognize Native Americans and/or other groups of students and how to recognize them if we do so.
- Mr. Keime will talk to Josten's about institutionally recognized regalia options as well as talk to principals in other schools to see what they are doing. He will talk to Clearfield High School's senior class officers about creating a menu with options, including cultural, and report back in January.

Transition from Valedictorians and Salutatorians to Latin Honors

- Survey results from senior class regarding transition: 16 yes, 12 no, and 24 do not care.
- With a unanimous vote, it was decided to move away from valedictorians and salutatorians to Latin Honors recognition at graduation based on WSU's index scores (ACT/GPA). As groups, honors students will be listed on the graduation program with their honors designation: summa cum laude or cum laude. Students in the summa cum laude group may try out to give graduation speeches.
- For this transitional year, the top seven students will be recognized as valedictorians and can try out for the two speeches.
- This change will first be presented to our current senior class officers; then Mr. Keime will send a letter to parents.
- Mr. Keime is also checking with Jostens to see if the above mentioned honors designations can be printed on students' diplomas.

Land Trust Plan Final Report Review

- Mr. Keime presented and will post all data from the final report on the Community Council webpage.

Upcoming Community Council Meetings

- The meeting date for November was changed to November 28, 2018, at 4 p.m.
- There will be no meeting in December.