

STEWART COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING, October 11 2018, 3:30pm

<p><u>Attending:</u> Heather Taylor, Jen Christensen, Gina Hirst, Zhao Ning, Amanda Keller, visitor (Administrator in training), Bridget Lee, Rachelle Boulton</p>	<p><u>Absent:</u> Amy Johnston</p>
<p><u>AGENDA</u></p>	<p><u>NOTES / MINUTES</u></p>
<p>1) Community Council Training (power point)—has everyone watched it? Discuss our duties—how can we make a difference for our students? (Ideas to address after fundraiser ends.) --Heather</p>	<p>November’s CC meeting: let’s talk about student technology use in the school.</p>
<p>2) STEAM fundraiser, Nov 2 --activities --Amy --food --Rachelle --auction / donations --Amanda --Needs?</p>	<p>Discussed assignments, planning, etc. Egg drop instructions need to be written up (Heather) and sent home to parents ASAP. Food (Rachelle): Curious to see how food will sell this year, with the event starting at 5:30 rather than 4pm. Doing a lot of guess work this year. Plan is to focus on high-profit foods with low financial risk with leftovers. Amanda requests we add pizza to the snacks. Jen will try to find a teachers-only meal for the faculty lounge, since teachers will be there without going home for dinner. Need it to be free or very cheap so as to not eat into profits. Auction will be administered by office staff through BiddingOwl.com</p>
<p>3) Data review, review of last year’s SIP (School Improvement Plan) --Amanda</p>	<p>Reviewed improvement in students’ testing scores. They far surpassed all goals! Improvement increased early in the year, then slowed. Teachers are sharing successful measures with each other. There are still many students behind. Some grades have an unusually high percentage of kids below grade expectations.</p>
<p>4) Update on new school security measures --Amanda</p>	<p>Still waiting for one little part before locked vestibule at front of school has working camera for check in. Significant problem with office staff having their attention split between regular duties, manning the locked door / check-in access, and the incoming calls. Lately, incoming calls have been about frivolous things. Principal Keller sent a note addressing this in the last school newsletter.</p>