

Buffalo Point Elementary

"Home of the Stampede"

*Best Effort *Positive Attitude * Encourage Others



Community Council Members

Jonathan Whitesides	x	Mark Hyatt	x	Ashley Head	x
Graham Mearns	x	Kristy Nelson	x	Monica Bennion	E
Stacy Warner	x	Juleeann Rivera	x	Erin Anderson	E
Teresa Smith	E	Britney Thompson	x	Ali Behunin	x
Nancy Glaser	x	Mariah Robins	x	Erin Baum	x
Nate Tooley	x			Sophia Fleming (observing)	x

Notes for: Thursday, Dec. 7, 2017 in BPE Conference Room.

- CC Fundraiser/Donation:** Clarify with Mrs. Nelson about getting online donations set up for the future to try to encourage more help.
- SIP plan for homework:** Council members will read up on guidelines for SIP. There is a carry-over in Trustlands that some after school programs are being funded by. Council wants to look into putting money towards subs for teachers so they can take small groups out and do tier 2 tutoring.
- Track behavior in common areas (Juleeann Rivera):** Procedural maps have been given to all classes and placed around the school for reference, another supervisor has been hired for recess along with 3 more approved for before and after school hall and outside supervision. Discussion about possible setting up a "watchdog" program" with dads involved. We are currently in the process of phasing in another helper for the lunchroom. Behavior slips are given to students for breaking rules and teachers and parents get copies.
- Site based, online, and in person training for Community Council members available:** A training was held on Dec. 13th. At NHS.
- STS, Matt Timothy: technology update** - Each grade level has a cart of laptops now, new sound systems and projectors have been/are being installed, grants have been written with virtual reality, Osmo, Sphero, computer prep times will be teaching coding, and we are moving away from the computer lab era to putting technology in kid's hands.
- Additional funds allocated and how to use them?** It was proposed to the Council the money to go towards new laptops for each grade level.
- Community Concerns: Lack of busing, class size/cutting Kinder class this year, overloading other classes, recess supervision, pledge of allegiance not being said, and year round school.** - Moved to next month

8. **Mariah Robbins:** "I would like to revisit carpool pickup and drop off. We discussed resending out an email reminder to all parents what the policy is. I have not received an email yet. *Hiring a traffic coordinator/patrol instead of teachers - they have so much on their plate. *Allocating money to pay for this is in our budget.* Only having 2 buses means less than 10% of students have this service. That leaves over 900 kids in bad weather, being dropped off by a vehicle.

We need help on Antelope making sure the crossing guards are helping assist in traffic flow. We are making improvements in this area daily