

COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

12/12/18

In attendance

Jaynalee Peterson	Amanda Jones
Marcie Hayes	Chuck Crandall
Paul Anderson	
Sean Morrison	
Deija Peterson	
Jennifer Waite	
Cerissa Thompson	
Marcy McQuiston	
Laura Anderson	
Michele Duncan	
Melanie Hill	
Linda Francis	
?? late arrivals	

Approved Notes from last Meeting 1st Sean Morrison, 2nd Jaynalee Peterson

1. Counselor Note:

70% of students are on the Honor Roll- They received Sodas
Finishing up PCCRS for 9th grade
Our Counselors rock. They meet yearly with our students.

2. Homework Policy:

Are we following the current policies? A parent showed concern about child not truly resting during a break, due to stress of upcoming tests right after the break.

They teachers expressed that they are following the policies. The science team met for PLC's and looked directly at how their units/testing would affect weekends and holidays. Sometimes it is unavoidable, but they are trying hard to follow the policies.

3. Summit Learning Preparation at Centennial

NO- A correction was made in the wording of the question. It isn't Summit Learning that we are preparing for, rather, standard based grading. FHS has a flipped Classroom for their core classes. Parents are concerned they aren't being prepared for this drastic change in environment. Some teachers at Centennial are trying this method and the administration gets daily complaints. Mrs. Waite shared an example how she uses the flipped classroom method in her class. Some kids love it and others struggles. Centennial is not being asked to prepare for summit Learning from the district level, however they are preparing to implement Standards Based Grading next year. Summit Learning may or may not be used. There is a scheduled meeting on Jan9th with Summit to look at their presentation to the district. The implementation of Summit Learning at Centennial Jr High will be decided by the principal.

The staff at Centennial is currently searching for the new and improved teaching techniques across the state. They are slowly moving toward discovery-based learning. Digital citizenship is also being implemented next year.

4. Accreditation

The accreditation process starts in Jan. 2019. Some parents may be asked to help in the process. We are part of the North Western accreditation by the federal government.

5. Other

- New Boundaries of the new Jr High School are posted online.
- Variances are open until Feb. 2019
- Next year we will lose 14-18 teachers due to the new school opening
- FHS Activity bus leaves at 4:30 and has a stop at Cent. JR High
- Next year school starts one week earlier. Fall break (no longer called UEA) is also a week earlier.