

Victor Central School District Committee Meeting
Victor Senior High School Building Council Approved Meeting Minutes

Date and Time: October 24, 2019

Location: HS Library Nook

Roles:

Facilitator: Brian Siesto

Time Keeper: Brian Siesto

Minute Taker: Joan Randall

Members: Tony Montone (teacher), Michele Moore-Haarr (parent), ~~Jean Olson (parent)~~, Ryan Pero (student), ~~Dave Porter (teacher)~~, Gayle Reh (parent), Vivian Richelsen (teacher), Grace Rydzynski (student), ~~Angélica Sanzotta (teacher)~~, Brian Siesto (administrator), Chris Stock (teacher), Kathy Woodworth (parent)

#	Topic/Subject	Person Responsible (if not all)	Time Allotted	Purpose/ Proposed Action				
				For Info	Work Session	Make Recommendation	Assign Task	Make a Decision
Opening		5 minutes						
1	Welcome/Call to Order	Brian Siesto called the meeting to order and welcomed new parent representative, Michele Moore-Haarr.						
2	Approve minutes of prior meeting dated: 9/26/19	Gayle Reh made a motion to approve the minutes from the 9/26/19 meeting with a change in wording under New Business #5. Vivian Richelsen seconded it. Motion carried.						
3	Review Agenda	Brian Siesto reviewed the agenda.						
Guest(s) (if any)								
4	Guests							
Old Business		20 minutes						
1	Update on Mental Health	Brian Siesto spoke to the group about the "More Than Sad" community learning experience that the district hosted on Tuesday, October 22 nd evening. The two keynote speakers were Karen Heisig from the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention and Vicki Spurr from the Mental Health Association of Western New York. Both ladies shared their family connections with mental health topics. The district is committed to providing ALL staff, students and parents learning opportunities concerning mental health. Brian asked the group to share their thoughts on their experience if they attended the forum. The group consensus is that there is a definite need for more education and they would like the programs to have more specific topics. Suggestions included the reasons for anxiety/depression, the impact of social media on mental health, viewing the movie "Screenagers", and reading the book, <u>igen: why today's super-connected kids are growing up less rebellious, more</u>						

		<u>tolerant, less happy—and completely unprepared for adulthood—and what that means for the rest of us.</u>
New Business		20 minutes
1	Academic Programs	Brian Siesto announced that SH administrators will be making a presentation to the Board of Education in the upcoming months on available academic programming at the high school. There are currently four major program offerings: AP (Advanced Placement), IB (International Baccalaureate), Gemini (college credit in conjunction with Finger Lakes Community College) and PLTW (Project Lead the Way – college credit in conjunction with the Rochester Institute of Technology). The goal is to present the facts to the Board and to analyze how best to maximize our available resources. Brian will ask Mary Banaszak, Director of Guidance to present at the next Building Council Meeting.
2	5, 7, 10 Year Planning	Brian Siesto informed Building Council that Dennis Ford, Interim Superintendent of Victor Central Schools has suggested that the district work on developing a 5, 7, and 10 year future plan. Brian asked members to bring ideas to the next meeting on where they think the district will be structurally and academically, and what that transition will look like.
Closing		
1	Review Assigned Tasks	Agenda for next meeting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Update on Mental Health - 5, 7, 10 Year Planning - Academic Programs - Senior Trip Person(s) Responsible for the 11/20 Meeting: Roles: Facilitator: Brian Siesto Time Keeper: Brian Siesto Minute Taker: Joan Randall

Future meetings: 3:00pm-4:30pm, Library Nook
Wednesday, November 20th
Thursday, December 19th
Thursday, January 30th
Thursday, February 27th
Thursday, March 26th
Thursday, April 30th
Wednesday, May 27th