

North Davis Junior High Community Council Minutes

September 10, 2019

Attendance:

Parents

Liz Hansen
Maude Beckman
Norah Baron
Aaron Holbrook
Anna Fondario
Michelle Wunderlich
Nicole Young
Rachel Black

NDJH Rep

Tyler Poll, Principal
Dawnene Young, Teacher
Carrie Johnson, Teacher

Absent

Wendy Garcia, parent
Chelsea Nielsen, Counselor

Visitors

Stacey Jackson, Admin
Tim Allen, Admin
Trent Brown, Admin
Ann Riding, Librarian
Jeff Christensen, Teacher, GearUp

Welcome & Introductions:

Tyler Poll

Rules of Order:

Reviewed Rules of Order. Those are listed on the website. Established and followed to make sure every voice is heard and the meetings have an order to them.

Voting for Chair, Vice-Chair, and Secretary:

Maude Beckman, Chair – Vote was unanimous

Norah Baron, Vice Chair – Vote was unanimous

Liz Hansen will continue to serve as secretary. No vote needed.

Meeting Dates/Times Vote:

Our meetings will remain on the 2nd Tuesday @ 7:15 am

Motioned: Norah Baron

2nd: Liz Hansen

Unanimous Approval

No meeting will be held in January

Motioned: Tyler Poll

2nd: Michelle Wunderlich

Unanimous approval

School Improvement Plan and Financial Update:

Reviewed by Tyler. The current plan has a link to it on the school website.

We are still waiting on growth percentile scores.

Some of the ways we are approaching being successful in our goals are:

Teachers attending PLC's.

Teachers attending various trainings in engagement, technology, and innovations.

We hired Americorp employees to track attendance.

Purchase a set of Cloud Books.

23 productivity periods.

AVID study skill classes offered to 100's of students.

Productivity classes with Aides for credit recovery classes.
4 additional ELL classes, grouped by skill set.
Teachers will administer the WIDA test for our students.

Tyler would like to offer a tour of the school to show what our school has to offer, check out the classes that are being offered and discuss questions or ideas about what we are doing, where and why. Next CC meeting we can set a date to do that tour. If that date doesn't work with some, you can schedule a time with Tyler to come do a tour another day.

Counseling Department:

PRIDE – presentations in classes for how everyone can show PRIDE at NDJH. They know the printer made a mistake on the shirts, they are using it to teach that everyone can make mistakes and it's okay. We are just going to roll with it and make the best of the situation. This is a concrete way to talk to the students about how they can develop habits and characteristics that will help them be successful academically, socially, emotionally and make an impact at the school.

After School Program:

Hired 3 replacements
4:30 bus is still available for students to use.

PTA:

Need more volunteers for the committee and to hold memberships.

Library:

Received \$500.00 and was able to purchase videos.
They have received new furniture.
Grant from the state of Utah Library for \$3,000 that purchased 250 books.
Received a Grant from Utah STEM for \$1,500 for the Girls that Code club.

GearUp:

This is the Federal Grant for 9th graders. We are working on helping them keep track of time and learning with planners (in their Core classes).
Helping them identify Career Profile Interests and meet people involved in those areas.
Participating in the AVID Family Night.
Will have information available at PTC in October.

Title 1:

District is doing an AdvancEd Accreditation October 6-9th. Tyler showed a video on that process. NDJH will not be one of the schools visited for this event. Presented a slide on the money from Title 1. We use most of that money to double block our core classes. In 2019-20 there is @ \$315,000. 95% of that funding goes to cover teachers for those block classes.

Other Items:

TSSP Funding: Spending on Productivity periods, supplement teacher development and an additional prep day before school started.

Agenda Items for Next Meeting:

Date for Tour of NDJH

Adjourn:

Motion: Aaron Holbrook

2nd: Michelle Wunderlich

Unanimous approval

Meeting date: 11/12, 12/10, 2/11, 3/10, 4/14, 5/12 @ 7:15 am in the Library at NDJH