

Endeavour Elementary School  
Community Council Agenda

Date: September 15, 2020

Attendance:	Vanessa Mori	Cindy Nottingham	Michelle Berg
	Lisa Simmons	Stacie Dorius	Erika Gerlach
	A'Neil Locke	Tarrah Randall	

1. Welcome/Approval of last month's minutes (1 minute)

Motioned by: Aneil

Seconded by: Lisa

2. Vanessa (2-55 minutes)

a. Update: Endeavour's first two weeks

It's been a great start with a huge team effort on everyone's part. Currently working on morale boosters. Academically, the hybrid schedule is working well. We have 0 active covid cases as of now. We are diligently working on implementing the district's big 5. There is a school board evening tonight.

SIP plan update: Aid hiring has been a little difficult due to the schedule. A lot of new hires and job splitting. We have our covid aid, Korrryn. Please share her information in the community. Goal 1 Acadience (formerly known as DIBELS) testing has started and will give us some data for our goal. Part of our TA funding comes from this goal. We were not able to hire as many aids. Teachers are getting a lot of feedback from the small class sizes because of the hybrid schedule. Teachers are already implementing interventions. TA's will be manning the digital help desk from 9-12 to connect with students and parents. This will begin on Monday 9/21. TA's will then help in the galaxy's in the afternoon. We have purchased our ELA and Math software. Goal 2 STEM- we are implementing the new science standards. We have hired Wesley Rohm for the stem infinity lab missions for all grades. Korrin Turner is our SEM specialist, and we doubled her hours to meet with more kids. We used some for math and science TA's if we need it. \$1500 for stem robotics. We will pull some money from this for Michelle Berg to implement 3d printing in her classroom along with her father, Paul Roubinet. They will implement and share with the school. Robotics, Mr. Bullard wants to try out a Friday schedule to work on robotics during the regular school day. We purchased software licensing for ELA or math, Cindy headed this. We also had a line item for new sound systems. We will do half now due to increase in cost. 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, and 6<sup>th</sup> grade and the starburst and whirlpool galaxies will all get new sound systems this year. We will watch our funding in February and see if we can fulfill the rest of the school. Goal 3 SEL for adults and students. We are implementing Sanford Harmony in the classrooms. We rescheduled our PureEdge training for the teachers. Our Hope Squad is off and running (Cyndee, Trudy, Michelle). We have not fulfilled a structured recess supervisor. We still have not hired someone for the 4 hours per month. The funding is there, but things are going great right now with the limited number of students on the playground. The behavior is minimal.

b. Community Council trainings

Vanessa hasn't been given word on trainings yet. November 1- January 15, the whole website will be redone. No reports will be filed until January. Vanessa will still collect all the information for the reports so she is ready to submit. We will begin working on the SIP in the spring for next year. There are changes to the council, so Vanessa will review them. All goals must be center focused and tied to some academic measure. The agricultural department will be providing free lunches to all Davis students starting

9/21/2020. Including digital days. It only includes students enrolled in school. There is still no word on district wide training, so for now we will continue meeting together. We are all experienced.

c. Follow up on parent concern over calls made in clever app

A'Neil had neighbors that were stating students were calling each other through the Clever app. They were calling across schools. Vanessa clarified it was the TEAMS app and it is a possibility throughout the Davis school district. Teachers have taught students strategies to mark themselves as busy. Teachers are setting up expectations. Vanessa will address this with the teachers to make sure they follow up with their students.

d. Emailed survey

Lisa received an emailed survey from Darrin Nelson to attend a virtual stakeholder engagement meeting. It was the school children's trust. Is this something we need to address. We will continue to get state emails. The district manages the land trust for us. Vanessa just watches for communication from the district assessment department. There is no requirement to complete it.

Lisa mentioned the FaceBook group "Parents for 5 days" and wondered how the teachers are feeling about the hybrid. Vanessa's area director asked for some response from the teachers. Most teachers like the hybrid piece because they can connect with kids. They can give more individualization. They are still concerned about health and wanting to stay healthy. They are concerned about leave and if they get sick. The space and less number are making a huge difference. There are some concerns about shutdowns if we go back 5 day. How do we implement safety practices if we are all back? Teachers are managing all the online components and it is exhausting. A'Neil feels that Davis has done a fantastic job and is being as smart as they can. Cindy mentioned that if we go back full day, the class sizes will drastically increase. They will have the full class plus everyone that comes back. Teachers are worried they won't do justice for the children because teachers were not hired due to small class numbers. Stacey wondered if the kids are receiving quality education at home. It seems like the kids are just getting through busy work. They aren't receiving as good of an education as if they were in class. Once Canvas is going full speed, the curriculum should be more rigorous. Erika voiced her concerns regarding the student's emotional health and well-being. She is so grateful because they can take a break from his mask. The social impacts will affect their kids for the foreseeable future, especially the younger grades. The three student teachers here are having to adjust their ideas of best practices because of the inability to implement the practices. Stacey mentioned that the students are overwhelmed because of the amount of curriculum being delivered in one day. The unknown is proving to be the hardest social and emotional part. Lisa asked about the covid assistant. The covid assistant's main job is to trace and keep the data. Procedures have been great here at Endeavour. The kids aren't complaining about the masks. Teachers offer mask breaks. What is the water bottle policy during class? Students can drink in class. Some classes are not offering this flexibility. 10/13 next meeting via zoom.

3. Adjourn

Motioned by:

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