



Parent Superintendent Advisory Committee September 22, 2022

Meeting Minutes

Welcome & Introductions

- Meeting Attendees:
 - TTUSD Representatives: Superintendent Carmen Ghysels, Amber Burke,
 - Parent Representatives: Josette Rouas (TES), Megan Evans (ACMS), Kate Gladman (GES), Stephanie Bragg (THS), Lisa Ascher (NTHS), Christin Ryan (KBE), Brian Bates (NTS), Lisa Smith (NTHS), Annie MacFadyen (DTE)

District Updates

- Mosquito Fire
 - Review of the decision-making process for last week's smoke days
- A new Director of Student Services has been hired and will start on 10/3
- Volunteer Process launching this week after addressing a few program issues
- Strategic Plan is underway
 - TTUSD is working with Living Strategy consulting to assist with the process
 - Last year district leadership and the board worked with the consultant to complete Part A, and now additional stakeholders will be brought into the process. TTUSD is recruiting stakeholders to join the task force, and a community survey will be conducted in October.
- SUP on the Moves are underway
 - Coffee with SUP events will be brought back in February
- Board elections taking place in November
 - Candidate forums are taking place on 10/4 and 10/6 at the Truckee Town Hall. Both will be broadcast on Channels 18 and 118 through Tahoe Truckee Media and will be available for on-demand streaming on www.ttctv.org
 - 10/4 forum will include candidates running for the TTUSD school board, the airport board, and information on Measure V
 - 10/6 forum will include candidates running for the sanitation district, the hospital board, and the Truckee Town Council
- River Sage Charter has submitted a petition to TTUSD
 - On 11/2, there will be a public hearing on the charter petition

- 11/13 district will post findings and recommendations on TTUSD.org
- 11/28 TTUSD board will vote on the petition

Parent Roundtable

- North Tahoe High School had a great speaker at Back to School Night on Technology
- Inquired about establishing a peer-to-peer tutoring program at Truckee High School
- THS is piloting a ski academy this year in hopes of having a program at both high schools
- Discussed late start times. Reviewed that there will not be changes to school schedules. A decision that was established in 2019 after a robust exploration by a committee of stakeholders.
- Budget discussion and where TTUSD is currently at from a fiscal perspective.
- Transportation discussion. Discussed 10 open driver positions and the school's efforts to explore charter buses. Also discussed volunteer drivers as a remedy.
- Discussed how committee members can make the most out of their time on the committee.
- Two new laws will go into effect in July 2023, requiring TTUSD to include annual notifications to parents/guardians on the importance of gun safety and proper storage.

PSAC Meeting Schedule

- Meetings will alternate between lakeside and district office locations.
- Meeting dates for the 22.23 school year will be:
 - October 27, 2022
 - December 8, 2022
 - January 26, 2023
 - February 16, 2023
 - March 23, 2023
 - April 27, 2023
 - May 25, 2023
 - June 8, 2023