

SCC Notes for September 21, 2023

Attendees: Frances Battle, Lamar Spotted Elk, Willow Amendola-Francis, Venyce Martinez-Lunceford, Hope Jenkinson, Alexander Hyres, Crystal Rudds, Rielly Butler, Julia Waldroup, and Kelli Neuteboom

Information:

- Ms. Jenkinson will continue as chair with Mr. Butler as co-chair, Ms. Waldroup will be on the committee as a parent rather than a teacher.
- Emergency shelter- If necessary, our emergency shelter is the LDS church house south of us on 9th East.
- From September – May, drills are held every month with half of them being fire drills. The other drills are earthquake, hold, secure, and lockdown. We are now using the Raptor Alert System which is downloaded on all faculty phones and computers.
- Admin did SRO training about teaching SEL / The State is putting together a committee on school safety and Willow is a part of that. In October they will be meeting with State Senators and Representatives.
- Enrollment- currently have 358 students. Many other district schools are well-under 300. Nibley is not on the chopping block, but when other schools close, it will impact all schools. The district recommendations are supposed to be out by Dec/Jan.
- Parent Teacher Conferences- September 27th and 28th.
- Our School Improvement Plan has been accepted.
- School Compacts will be coming home, given out at Parent Teacher Conferences
- Willow and Venyce- doing some mental health screening with our students starting with 8th grade. One school that already completed them had 1/3 of their students flagged as needing some type of support. The two types of screenings are Depression and Anxiety. *Any flags on suicide questions will result in immediate action.
- There is a Parent and Student survey coming soon (Climate)
- District foci- SEL is a huge one.
- PTO- will be starting Family Nights- the first will be in October, possibly November, and then after the new year. There will be a PTO meeting in October.