

8/26.24 Meeting Minutes- SITE Council

Location: Anasazi Conference Room: 8/26/24 Time 3:35 PM

Attendance: Jennifer Waldron, Elise Hepner, Lincoln Luse, Kristen Kater, Jennifer Copeland, Pietrina Pensabene, Michelle Moore, [Sara Armstrong](#)

Sara calls a motion to approve the meeting minutes. Kristen seconded the motion.

Community update:

Elise read community updates provided by Denise in her absence.

1. Arizona Boardwalk is holding a “Free Foam Frenzy” August 31, September 1 and 2, from 10-1.

Endless foam parties, Classic Fire Truck water play and Water squirts.

2. Salt River Fields is holding an event honoring the fallen at 9/11. The Memorial Stair Climb is September 13, 5-8 and September 14th 4-10. Each participant climbs the equivalent of the 110 stories of the World Trade Center.

3. Six Flags Hurricane Harbor Water Park is going to be open August 30-31, Friday 5-9 and Saturday 11-5, open September 1-2, 11-8. They will also be open the 7th and the 8th of September and then closed for the season.

4. Golf Land Sun Splash will be open August 28-29 from 5-9, August 30, 5-10, August 31, 11-10, September 1, 11-10, and September 2, 11-5. Park will then be closed for the season.

5. Harkins Moonlight Theater is running every Friday and Saturday at the theater on E. Camelback Rd. Come enjoy the movies from the rooftop. Cost is \$14.50.

6. Phoenix Valley Youth Theater is presenting Charlotte’s Web October 11-27, A Winnie the Pooh Christmas Tail, December 6-23, You’re A Good Man Charlie Brown, February 28-March 23, and Annie May 9-25.

7. Junk In the Trunk Vintage Market is at Westworld from September 13-15.

8. Salt River Fields is presenting “The Ice Kingdom Cirque” on Saturday August 31 from 4:30-6. A dazzling blend of ice skating and circus magic. Under our stunning tent, watch skaters and acrobats bring a frosty fantasy world to life.

IB Update:

Anasazi is collecting bikes for the Welcome to America Project. So far, 1 bike has been donated. PTO continues to work with Anasazi to support IB. For the upcoming year, there will be a Spanish Game night on October 16th. The Anasazi Garden is working on composting. 5th grade is going to be starting that and the PTO will be working with families to support as well. Exhibition has started in 5th grade and teachers are working on Visible Thinking Strategies. IB Day of Service will be November 15th.

PTO Update: Beginning of the year was a success. Community building ideas to have families meet in the park on Early Release days and adding hikes into the school year. PTO is currently planning a Fall event for the end of November. The Holiday Shop will be in December. The Book Fair will take place during the Library schedule in September.

Approvals as Needed:

Field Trips:

Kindergarten - Puppet Theater and Jungle Jill Animal Encounters

1st - AZ Science Center and Butterfly Wonderland

2nd - Phoenix Zoo and Pioneer Living History Museum

3rd- AZ Capital and MIM

4th - Phoenix Liberty Festival and Pueblo Grande

5th - Taliesin West

Music - Nutcracker ballet

Total: \$10,547 (Will come back in September for second 5th grade field trip)

Tax Credit Money: \$21,969.56

Kristen motions to approve and Lincoln seconds. Eight members approve of the vote.

Club Approvals:

Abria Stewart - Anasazi Stingers (choir).

Meetings are Wednesday and Thursday morning from 7:30- 8:20 am. 3-5 grade students can attend with a maximum of 45 students. The cost is \$50 for each student.

Pat Vassaux - Robotics

Asking for additional funds for a new challenge set. There is also a fee for students to be entered into the competition. This is a total of \$1,642. 20 students can attend and will be put into 4 teams of 5. The theme of this year is "Submerged". Each student will be charged \$100 for the year. The club is planning to meet on Thursday's and the competition date is still pending.

Motion to approve by Sara. The motion is seconded by Trina. 8 members voted in favor.

Kyle Bragg - Rec Club

K-2 attends Friday morning and is released to recess. 3-5 attends Monday and is released to recess. 30 students may attend in each group for a total of 60 students.. Students play around three games and continue learning from PE.

CIPS and WIGS - Continuous Improvement Plan and Wildly Important Goals

WIGS – Ms. Waldron shared that we will have Wildly Important Goals that are linked to Enrollment, Attendance, and Student Growth in Math.

1. Increase total student enrollment at Anasazi by 5% within the next academic year (August 2024 - 423 students to August 2025 - 445 students).
2. Anasazi will increase overall student attendance rate from 94.63% to over 95% by the end of the 2024-2025 school year. (93.23% 2022-23, 94.63% 2023-24)
3. Anasazi will increase the “No Absence Issues” as labeled in Hoonuit from 52.4% to 60%. We will reduce chronic absenteeism (students missing 10% or more school days) from 7.49% to less than 5% within one academic school year.
4. Increase the average student growth percentile in math by __ points over the next academic year through consistent and strategic use of IXL and small group instruction. (Still working with leadership team to complete.)

Absences:

Students arriving up until 10:23 am are considered tardy. After 12:00 pm is considered an absence. Tardies do not count toward absence.

Other Business: None

Future Business:

- Approval for purchases with Photography Club
- For next meeting, find a plan to share about Tax Credit
- A+ Application

Motion to adjourn meeting by Trina. Kristen seconds the motion.