

# Wellsville Elementary

## School Community Council Agenda and Minutes

October 19, 2023

3:50pm in the Conference Room

In Attendance: Valerie Plowman, Brooke Brandt, Alyse Woodbury, Glen Harris, Jonathan Marchant

1. Welcome
2. Approve the minutes from Sept. 14, 2023 SCC meeting Valerie motioned to approve the minutes. Brooke seconded the motion. All were in favor.
3. SCC approval to appoint Jonathan Marchant to our council Brooke motioned to appoint Jonathan Marchant to the council due to Dallas Stahle's resignation. Valerie seconded the motion. All voted in favor of Jonathan being appointed to the SCC.
4. Review District Training/any questions from that training? Glen and Alyse viewed the training. The only new thing they discussed was that the TSSA plan should be posted on the SCC web page on the school site. Ours was not prior to that meeting. Shortly after the training Glen posted it on the web page.
5. Review purpose and role of SCC Glen reviewed the purposes and roles of the SCC as found in our school SCC Handbooks.
6. View video from the state about what is new this year. We took the 10 minutes to view the video. It did mention posting the TSSA plan, but we had already done that. There was a short discussion after the video. It seems we are in compliance with everything mentioned.
7. Elect Chair/Co-Chair Glen motioned that Valerie and Alyse be our chair and co-chair. Brooke seconded the motion. All voted in favor.
8. Update on School Opening/Schoolwide Behavior Plan updates (PBIS plan) Glen reviewed what our school is doing to meet district and state expectations for our PBIS plan, which stands for Positive Behavior Intervention Systems. Common Expectations, Leader Tickets with new Leader Board to display tickets, Prep Class Happy Class rules-class points- and banner in the hall tracking class progress with 3 levels of celebration.
9. Update on Leadership Assemblies Will meet in gym once a month for Leader of the month recognition and singing of school song and patriotic song. Then return to our classrooms for instruction on the Action to Leadership of the month.
10. Review School Goal results for 2022-2023 Glen shared a handout with last year's goals and results, and reviewed them with the council.
11. Review School Goals for 2023-2024 Glen shared a handout with new school goals and reviewed them, letting the council know that grade levels are making goals to help support these school goals.
12. Review budget for the year/expenditures so far Reviewed budget handout.
13. Trustlands: Reviewed
  - a. 4 Reading Aides completely paid by.
  - b. 10 Teachers for the PLC conference Oct. 16-18
  - c. Netsmart Assembly
14. TSSA Grant: Reviewed.
  - a. 3 math/writing aides (Grades 1, 2, 5, 6)
  - b. Computer Monitors/Mobile Chromebook Lab
  - c. Help with 2 additional aides
  - d. \$17,000 to help fund school counselor
  - e. Lunch Bunch

15. Evening of the Arts Nov. 9/Bookfair that night as well instead of during conferences.

Reviewed

16. Report on PLC conference that teachers attended on Oct. 16-17 Glen offered a report and teachers who went will be sharing what they learned on Friday at our faculty meeting.

17. Review school activities- Wolf Howl Fundraiser Run tomorrow Reviewed

18. Wellsville Mile May 21 Reviewed

19. Halloween is just around the corner- statement for parents and students

We know it's a very exciting time for our students. We want them to enjoy the day, but it's still an important academic day here at school as well. We would like to capture the best of both worlds. Students are welcome to wear a school friendly costume that complies with our dress code if they adhere to the following stipulations.

- No Masks or extremely heavy make-up that covers/obscures the head/face (No complete covering of the face with makeup. We need to be able to tell who the children are without much effort).
- No toy weapons.
- No Blood and Guts, "softer" characters, please.
- Costumes should not be so distracting that it interferes with teachers' instruction.
- No hand-held costume accessories, they often turn into nuisance items in the classroom and on the playground.

Reviewed-council was in support of these continued guidelines.

20. Red Ribbon Week Oct. 30-Nov. 3 Glen shared what the PTO was planning on doing for this week. Each day will have a different theme, i.e. mismatched day, wear red, red Wrist bands handed out, crazy sock day, hat day.

21. Questions No Questions

22. Review Calendar

Brooke motioned to close the meeting. Valerie seconded the motion. All were in favor.