

# Instructional Council Meeting Minutes

Date February 12th

Time 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Location A124

Facilitator name Christin Johnson

Time Keeper name     

Recorder name Adrianna Deuel

## Members Present

     Amanda Allred (WEB training)

Sheila Barbour

     Lauren Condon (maternity leave)

Adrianna Deuel

     Teresa Fierro

     Cara Heck (Culture of Care Training)

Christine Herrera

Christin Johnson

Russ Jones

     Rachael Koenigsfeld

Raquel Leland

     Jenna Myers (maternity leave)

Linda MacMaster

Margita Martinez

Deborah Muldawer

     Jessie Olson (WEB training)

     Olivia Oyinatumba (budget call)

     Janet Reeder

Anna Rogge

Geoff Smith

Crystal Yamazaki

Parent representative (Jessie)

## Agenda Topic 1 – Announcements

- Olivia is at budget meeting
- Registration today 6th to 7th
- Registration tomorrow 7th to 8th
- Christine will send out the links for teachers for student applications for AVID and Journalism
- Tomorrow: 26 teachers out. If you can sell your prep or take extra students, let the front office know. Please be out in the hallways! Help at lunch if you can.

## Agenda Topic 2: Students in the Hallway

- We have done 2 tardy sweeps, and got many students
- We feel like it has not made a big difference so far
- Many students still lingering/taking their time during passing period/being tardy to class
- Our plan is to do a tardy sweep once a week

### Agenda Topic 3: Schedule Vote

- Each group voted and are as follows:
  - 1 vote for the block schedule with 2 preps
  - 10 votes to keep the schedule the same
- **Decision - We will be keeping the schedule the same next year**

A handwritten table titled "Schedule Vote" with the following columns: Group, #1 Block and prep, #2 Block of 2 preps, #3 9/7 95 min classes, and #4 Stay same. The rows list various groups: ELA, Math, Science, Socia Studies, Related Arts, Special Ed, Union, EA, Admin, Parent, and Support Staff. Blue dots indicate the vote for each group.

Group	#1 Block and prep	#2 Block of 2 preps	#3 9/7 95 min classes	#4 Stay same
ELA		●		
Math				●
Science				●
Socia Studies				●
Related Arts				●
Special Ed				●
Union			●	
EA				●
Admin				●
Parent				●
Support Staff				●

### Agenda Topic 4: Special Advisories

- Mandy proposes to return to special advisories (web, senate, AVID, journalism, etc)
- Admin says we would need to make sure everyone is okay with that - IC members stated they were ok with this
- These special advisories would still need to do the required lessons/surveys but then be able to their specific tasks after the lessons
- Which special groups are going to be allowed?
- Will decide more later

### Agenda Topic 5: Proposed Assembly Schedule May 20th

- Specifically for the 8th grade research expo
- Award ceremony
- Possible in the gym or cafeteria instead? We need more space than the library.
- We would be on an advisory/assembly schedule if possible
- It is conflicting with the 6th grade chromebook return day
- **Decision: Still do it in the gym on May 20. No assembly schedule. Regular bell schedule. Allow teachers to bring their 1st, 2nd, and 3rd period classes to the gym for the presentations. Crystal will email teachers explaining what the expo is and encouraging classes to attend.**

### **Agenda Topic 6: Purchased Website Products**

- Gimkit- Mandy is interested in Gimkit and thinks many people would be interested. Costs \$1000 but one other program would most likely have to go due to budget. Linda says that many students really enjoy it. Also used at Cibola.
- Kami- currently purchased
- EdPuzzle- currently purchased
- Nearpod/Flocabulary- currently purchased
- Olivia is at the budget meeting, so we are waiting to hear how many we can get for next year
- **Take these four program options back to your groups to get their feedback/experiences/ideas**

### **Agenda Topic 7: 6th Grade Orientation**

- First Day Back: August 3
- Kids start: August 7
- 6th Grade Orientation (8th grade WEB leaders attend): let's starting looking at the best day

### **Agenda Topic 8: Read Across America**

- March 2 "Read Across America" Day - Dr. Suess Bday.
- Incentive to encourage reading
- Rigor Goal Team is suggesting to do a week-long dress down
  - Monday- crazy socks (Fox in Socks)
  - Tuesday- green (Green Eggs and Ham)
  - Wednesday mismatch (Wacky Wednesday)
  - Thursday- Orange (The Lorax)
  - Friday: Red & Blue (Red Fish Blue Fish)
- If we decide to do this, we will have very specific guidelines!!

***This was approved. Slide deck will be created with pictures for clarity. Slide deck for Raptor News.***

### **Agenda Topic 9: Upcoming Events**

- February 13 - Valentine's Dance 3-4:15 pm
- February 17 - Culture/Climate PLCs in A124
- February 19 - AVID Recruitment in Cafeteria - 6th Period
- February 20 - BSU wear all black to support Black History Month
- February 27 - AVID applications due

### **Next Meeting:**

- Thursday February 26 @ 3pm in A124