



WEBER HIGH SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL MINUTES



September 15, 2021 -- 4:30 p.m., Library

Welcome--Chris Earnest, Principal

Attending--

Chris Earnest, Principal

Sherri Porter, Counselor

Johnny Ferry, Parent

Angie Francom, Parent

Brad Gathercole, Parent

Krissy Hales, Parent

Matt Keller, Parent

Marlisa Lund, Parent

Quincey Mogolich, Parent (joined virtually)

Jennie Taylor, Parent

Sara Urry, Parent

Training

-Rules of Order and Procedure

Chris went over the rules and procedures for the School Community Council.

-Website Requirements

Meetings for SCC are public meetings and must be announced on the website with an agenda posted ten days before the meeting occurs. Minutes for each meeting are to be posted to the website after each meeting. Each member's name and email will be included on the website. Phone numbers will NOT be included for each individual person. If anyone wants to reach the SCC members by phone, they can call the school and be connected to the member(s) through the office, rather than posting everyone's phone numbers on the public website.

-Appropriate Expenditures

Trustlands funds can be used for certain expenses, and not for others. We discussed what the appropriate expenses are and are not. Detailed information can be found at the website <https://trustlands.utah.gov/our-agency/in-the-classroom/>

-Video

Chris showed us a video about the Trustlands/SITLA program.

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Election of Chair, Co-Chair and Secretary

Amanda Poll was nominated as Chair, with Marlisa Lund as Co-Chair. Jennie Taylor was nominated to serve as Secretary. All three were voted in unanimously.

Overview of 2021-2022 Trustlands Plan

Chris shared a detailed packet showing an overview of the 2021-2022 Trustlands Plan. We talked of the different funding sources available to our school--Trustlands, ESSR, TSSA, etc. This Covid year brings extra challenges--and also extra funding. Each source of funding has its own set of rules and requirements.

- **SCC Goal One: Identify student learning gaps and remediate through use of academic data and panorama**
 - **\$10,800 teacher buyouts to be used for after school remediation/credit recovery**
 - **\$54,000 for three Student Advocates**
 - **\$74,425 to maintain Chromebook leases (this is an estimated price. The exact price should be known by October 30th of this year)**
 - **Maintain class sizes in English, math and science**
 - **\$25,000 to Improve classroom technology with teacher microphones, speakers, tvs and repair Chromebooks**
 - **Total expenditures: \$261,425**
- **SCC Goal Two: Support training for teachers, add Chinese curriculum and increase enrollment in the International Baccalaureate program.**
 - **\$6,000 to send 4 IB teachers to mandatory trainings**
 - **\$1,000 to promote the IB program**
 - **\$1,000 Chinese curriculum materials.**
 - **Total Expenditures: \$8,000**

Combined Goal Expenditures: \$261,425 + \$8,000 = \$269,425

Estimated Carryover: \$6,828

Carryover cannot exceed 10%

IB Program

We discussed the IB program. The district recently made the decision to terminate the IB Program so this year will be the final year of students graduating in that program here. We discussed why enrollment may have always been low, and the interest many students have in the Concurrent Enrollment classes rather than IB. We have five current IB students which is a very small percentage of our overall enrollment. Terminating the IB program leads to the need for us to revisit Goal #2 and our overall mission statement.

TSSA Plan 2021-2022

We discussed the three goals Weber High has in relation to the Teacher and Student Success Plan funds. We get \$257,000 for that this year.

- **Goal #1 Improve instructional teaching and improve student academic performance. This is done through giving teachers PLC time, reducing class sizes by paying for teachers' buyouts, replacing Smart Boards with panel TVs, paying for online conferences and stipends for teacher instructional learning, purchasing new science lab equipment, purchasing new English novels, replacing maps and classroom supplies in history classes, purchasing slates and pay for storage renewal licenses, purchasing supplies for projects in foreign language classes, purchasing reading books for Wee Weber, and paying for the Unichack plagiarism program.**
- **Goal #2 Support and track mental/emotional health for all students. This is done by paying for the Panorama program; training faculty members; collaboration between our counselors, LCSW and student advocates to discuss students and make plans to address their needs; paying for a full-time LCSW to be in the building; and paying for the BARK student technology monitoring service.**

- **Goal #3 Provide support for non-traditional or academically-struggling students by paying for PM school and credit recovery options. Five teachers will work with the students to teach, track progress, provide support and prepare them for post high school education.**
- **Total expenditures for the three goals: \$252,000**

School Goals

We discussed the overall school goals for this year, and helping students to stay on track academically while also helping them with the emotional/psychological challenges of the pandemic. Teachers and students have worked hard in a stressful environment and we're hoping for a year that feels a little more "normal," while still being cautious about the ongoing pandemic situation.

Digital Citizenship (AUP & CIPA): Ryan Waite

Ryan gave a required briefing on digital citizenship and what the school, students and parents need to know and do in order to ensure the greatest safety and appropriate use of the internet in school and learning environments.

Other:

Chris proposed a schedule for the meetings for the rest of the year. The November meeting was changed from 11/10/2021 to 11/17/2021. All meetings will be held at 4:30 pm in the school library.

Year's Suggested Outline

9-15-21: Welcome and Training

11-17-21: Progress Report

1-12-22: S.I.P. and prep for '22-23'

2-2-2022: Present Plan for '22-23'

3-2-22: Finalize '22-23'/Approve Plan for '22-23'

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