

Community Council Meeting
March 23, 2015
Legacy Elementary

Attendance:

Council Members: Gary Gibb, Tami Galbraith, Bethany Cathemer, Lucie Holman, Portia Ames, Zach Starr, Angie Backman, Holly Massey

Other: Mindy Davis

1. Business

Action: Approve minutes from February 25, 2015 meeting

Motion to approve: Zach Starr

Second: Holly Massey

Unanimous Vote to approve

Discussion Items:

2. Feedback on Collaborative Incentive Presentations

Big focus on common assessments, Mastery Connect

Den time, Booster club

Grade levels focused on need in Writing

Den Time increased during week?

Interventions during the school day

Den time every week for every child

Online Resource to show daily student scores in LA, Math, Social Studies for parents to supplement or follow up. DoK

Post curriculum map from Mastery Connect? Parents know what is coming

Video on math terminology? Go Math videos for parents to watch. Aware of tools.

Students are successful when parents understand what is happening at school.

Evaluative time, learn and grow. Ongoing.

3. School Improvement Plan 2015-16

Reviewed and discussed School Improvement Plan

Draft presented to Community Council

Goals:

Reading improvement goal K-3

90 % reach benchmark in spring.

Overall percentage of students at benchmark for DRA will improve at every grade level.

Percentage of students writing at benchmark based on school rubric will improve.

Improved achievement in Math as measured by class assessments.

Reviewed and discussed Draft of School Improvement Plan

Includes:

Booster Club, Den time paraeducators paid for with Trustlands and ASD Double Dosing Grant

Substitutes for assessment, professional development

Booster Club teacher liaisons

Literacy Specialists

Summer collaboration grants for teacher teams (up to 12 teachers)

MasteryConnect Software to track student achievement.

Purchase of additional Chromebooks for upper grades.

CC discussed and was supportive of summer grants and wanted this to be a priority. Council discussed funding sources, asked questions about school budgets.

4. School Trustlands Grant 2015-16

Reviewed expenditures for Trustlands grant 2014-15. School anticipates all funds will be spent.

Council reviewed Trustlands grant 2015-16 as a resource to support the School Improvement

Plan. Trustlands grant mirrors the School Improvement plan with the exception of some

additional funding in the S.I.P. through ASD Double Dosing Grant and purchase of

Chromebooks through Textbook supply budgets.

Council discussed grant in conjunction with school improvement plan.

Action items:

Motion and vote to approve School Improvement Plan 2015-16

Motion to approve: Holly Massey

Second: Angie Backman

Discussion: No further discussion

Unanimous vote in favor

Motion and vote to approve School Trustlands Grant 2015-16

Motion to approve: Tami Galbraith

Second: Zach Starr

Discussion: No further discussion

Unanimous vote in favor

Council agreed to continue submitting potential survey questions and that administration would follow through on school survey.

Next meeting: April 21st, 7:00 a.m.

Proposed Agenda items: Safe routes to school, Council membership nominations process for 2015-16.