

Community Council Meeting
October 12, 2020
2:30 pm
RMES Library

Attendance:

Genna Goodwin
Micklee Hiatt
Jessica Holdcraft
Tiffany Martineau
Kyle Clark
Dallas Dixon
Jenny Leavitt

Conducting: Genna Goodwin

Introduce New Members:

New members Tiffany Martineau and Kyle Clark were introduced.

Nomination for Vice Chair:

Micklee Hiatt made a motion to nominate Kyle Clark as Vice Chair.
Tiffany Martineau seconded the motion.
Kyle Clark will serve as this year's Vice Chair.

Time was turned over to Jenny Leavitt.

Training:

Jenny Leavitt explained that the training for School Community Council members is to be completed each year. A link to the training material was emailed to Council members earlier this month.
Action item: all members to watch Roles and Responsibilities and School Safety and Digital Citizenship training videos.

2019-2020 Final Report

Jenny Leavitt explained how to access the school's report online:
schools.utah.gov → login → public reports
Dallas Dixon said the reports are also available on the RMES website.

The 19-20 year data is skewed as we had to use RISE scores and mid year DIBELS. Much of our funding was used for interventions/extensions (paraprofessionals).

2020-2021 Improvement Plan

Focus 1

80%...growth in reading:
monitored 3x per year
students who are at a higher risk are monitored more often
interventions = 12 groups per grade level

80% GVC

Grades 1-5 are now 1:1 on devices; K 2:1 on devices

Parent Collaboration

Changing to data based

COVID has stalled this goal (typically held STEAM nights)

Micklee Hiatt asked if there has been a noticeable difference with students falling behind.

Jennifer Leavitt said yes, there are bigger gaps. We're finding trends in the gaps and adding those learning objectives to current curriculum. We're strategizing with all of our teachers. After the DIBELS in January we will have a better idea of what is needed.

Focus 2

School counselor is available M-Th

Wellness room created

Three (3) paraprofessionals focus on this through the wellness room, in class assistance, and during transitional periods.

Focus 3

No funding has been allocated in this category. However, this has been embedded in the teacher's regular schedule and teams. Angie Evans assists with this and items are addressed on an as needed basis.

Other items:

Title 1 Status

October 31 is the deadline. We are currently at 62% (need 60% to maintain)

Push for all families to fill out application (been explaining that the application is not just for lunch, but also helps the school maintain T1 status, funds paraprofessionals, etc).

Virtual students count.

Take Home Books

Many books are still missing

Not as simple as donating books; books must be leveled and focus on skills; request for diversity

This may be a good focus for the PTO's fundraising efforts

Brielle is PTO contact (Jessica will talk to her)

May want to add to Ivins Newsletter

\$250 annual donation cap directly to school; otherwise donate to district foundation

School Crime

It may be beneficial to install cameras in front of the school; increased theft/vandalism recently

2/3 Split Class

Those excelling will always have WINT

Coding

Applied for grant but funding was not awarded; may consider summer camp

COVID

Impressed with students and teachers alike

Future Meetings:

January 11th (may push to January 25th in order to get DIBELS results)

March 15th

Meeting adjourned