

Park Elementary School Community Council Minutes

October 29 @ 3:15 PM – Library

In attendance: Miranda Thomsen, Paul Webb, Jandel Christensen, Sydney Carlson, Kim Boogert, Lindsey Hughes, Penny McEntire, Courtney Sterner

1. Welcome- Paul Webb, and introductions (New member: Miranda Thomsen)

- Welcome from all members
- All agree to have Miranda Thomsen as a member
- All agree on the meeting time and dates moving forward (if 2 are missed then you cannot be a member)

2. Expectations / “Norms” for Meeting

- We follow a quorum voting! Majority rules.
 - Follow Meeting Agenda
- Review Meeting Schedule (dates) for the coming year (please commit to attend)
 - Dates checked and approved.

3. Rules of Order and procedure

4. Title I Report

- There will be papers sent home to families to inform them more regarding Title I
- We received extra funds from Title I, budget has been amended (going to personnel), decodeable books, ChromeBook updates and buying for all students, pay teachers during summer for their summer time work.
- CSI has been a great place for Park to be in, we are learning and growing and moving forward.

5. Family Engagement/ Empowerment Policy

- We talked about making sure that our policy is accurate.
- 85% showed up to our student led conferences - We are pleased with this turn out!
- There is a discussion regarding academic training for parents from Title I funds - we want to remove that statement because with COVID we are uncertain if that will work, we cannot have large groups inside the building.
- We discussed maybe having multiple nights to have an academic training for parents and to increase parent involvement.
- We want the plan to say "Park will provide academic support for parents from Title I funds."
- We also decided to change our plan to include faith based organizations under our community based organizations title. This is in an effort to try to encourage appropriate roles and parent involvement in our community and school.

6. SCC Meeting Overview

- We also talked about the SCC council meeting regarding our school district. We talked about how COVID requires 30 students to be tested positive at a school for the school to be evaluated to open.

- We may open vaccinations sites for parents and students, parents must be present for students to be vaccinated.
 - K-2 and younger are experiencing more behavioral issues.
- Parents need to go through the office before they enter the building. We have plans to have ballistic glass implemented in schools to encourage any visitors to walk into the office before going anywhere else.
- We want to be sure that teachers know what programs our students are using, and that they are being trained appropriately.
 - Next meeting is March 16th, 2022.

7. Update Contact Information if needed

- All checked and agree that their information is up to date

8. Motion to accept empowerment plan updates

- Voted Yes - Sydney Carlson
- Second- Kim Boogert
- All agree

9. Adjournment

- Jandel Christensen voted yes
- Sydney Carlson seconded
- All agreed