

Community Council Meeting
Green River High School
September 16, 2019
5:30 p.m.

1. Welcome – Meeting called to order @ 5:35. Present: Kayce, Dustin, Kent, Loni and Tawni, Superintendent Davis, Missing Doreen, Janeice.
2. Approve minutes from the April meeting. Unable to approve because we do not have a quorum.
3. Appoint new council members: This will be Dustin's last meeting, he will need to be replaced. He is moving. Thanks for your help Dustin!

We also need to replace Stacy.

We discussed talking to a few parents.. We will be contacting parents to see if they would be willing to serve. Loni and Janeice both need to be appointed again since they are both willing to serve. Thanks to them! Voted via text message with the missing members to appoint Loni and Janeice. They have been appointed again to another 2 year term.

4. Nominations and elections for new Chairperson and Vice-chairperson. Not able to elect these without a full quorum.
5. LAND Trust Training Presentation – Watched the School Community Council - Roles and Responsibilities

Funds should be used for Data Driven and Evidence Based practices and services. Plan and amendments will need to be approved by the school board.
6. Discuss Field trips – We did approve field trips at the end of term to help encourage better citizenship and grades throughout the year. The field trip we took earlier this year to Hamlet at the Shakespearean Festival had 65 kids sign up and then only about 40 kids show up and go. We discussed whether or not to continue with field trips. The late return time was something the students talked about being one reason that they didn't end up going. We discussed how this would not be an issue on the other field trips during the year, we could arrange earlier times and maybe stay closer to GR. We also discussed limiting the number of students that are able to go, first come first serve.
Superintendent Davis asked about the Colin Kartchner talk. The kids were fairly positive and cell phones seem to have been better. But there were some kids on

their phone during the presentation. Teachers are working hard to encourage proper use and keep them off and out of sight during school.

Adobe - Ryan is working with them to see about field trip options. This would not include our 7th and 8th grade.

Cabela's could be an option for the young kids, talk about the management etc

Marie Cavanaugh's

Capitol Trip - While in session

Camp Williams - Lindsey has already enlisted.

Maybe something like the build your sled and race on the sand dunes activity.

Tawni will be making a google form for the students to fill out with some suggestions and the ones we discussed.

7. **Meeting Schedule** – Discussed changing the day of the week for the meeting. But, Mondays don't interfere with school activities and seem to work for most members. Doreen has a conflict but with notice can usually work things out.

21st October 2019, January 6th 2020, March 16th 2020 and April 13th 2020 at 5:30 pm in the library at the high school.

8. **Review Landtrust plan, possible amendments** – Review the plan to discuss the plan for field trips, we want to talk with the students and then discuss at the next meeting with more feedback from the google form.

GoReact and APEX licenses expire this year so we need to determine whether it is being used and is beneficial. Is it worth the cost? Students tend to skip the instruction portion of APEX and start the test to try to move ahead faster but then get stuck.

9. **Discussion - School Safety** - We have implemented Rachel's Challenge in our school to help encourage kindness. This is part of the social and emotional learning.

We also have a safety week planned to coincide with Red Ribbon Week. Student Council wants to have a parent night to talk about issues kids are facing. Reunification Drill also during that week on the 29th. We will shelter in place and then parents will reunite with their student in the new gym. Student Council is coming up with a scenario for that drill. We can work with the City to coordinate the safety and reunification drill.

Superintendent Davis spoke about other school safety topics. The district is working on key cards, remodeling buildings, provide power and ensure that surveillance is working and in place while waiting for other changes. We are on the list for maybe in a year or so for our new locks. We need to make sure that teachers wear their badges and stress to the kids that without a badge, people should be reported to the closest faculty or staff member to let the office know. Nobody should be wandering the halls without identification.

My have Four Corners health coming to our school Greg Daniels, social worker, will be here Fridays to meet with kids. JJS comes every Wednesday whether or not they have students to meet with. At tier 2, they can start ADAPT classes at 2:30 for students that are involved. One other resource for seniors is a career plan assistance from Price and Systems of Care have been working with some of our students in the past.

We need to emphasize the SafeUT app with parents and students. Maybe present on it at parent night and during Red Ribbon Week. Also, introduce at Advisory.

This SafeUT app is sent through U of U first for screening and then on to the schools if immediate intervention is not required.

We will encourage students and parents to sign up and use the app.

Will discuss the success plan next meeting when hopefully we will have testing results. The data we receive may not be useful since we are switching vendors for testing and there were issues with the actual test online.

10. **School Calendar** - Everything is posted on the website and usually on Facebook. Calendar is updated. Midterm is Friday 20th, Parent Teacher Conference 26th 3:00-6:30.

Meeting Adjourned at 6:51 p.m.