

Midvale Middle School

School Community Council Minutes (DRAFT)

Wednesday, March 22, 2017 Time 6:00 p.m. Meeting Location MMS Media Center

Meeting Called by: Keila Ellingson, Chair
Type of Meeting: SCC
Facilitator: Wendy Dau, Principal
Note Taker: Sierra Eastmond

Attendees

Wendy Dau
Debbie Delliskave
Keila Ellingson
Kip Carlsen
Sierra Eastmond
Richard Hansen
Willy Ray
Shelley Allen
Alyssa Powers
Tabbie Mayne
Mindy Robison
Melissa Baker
Cayla Carroll
Rebecca Martin
Dave Fields

AGENDA TOPICS

Welcome Presenter: Keila Ellingson

Discussion: Keila welcomed all attendees and called the meeting to attention.

<u>Action Items</u>	<u>Person Responsible</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
Preparation of agenda items for subsequent meetings	Keila Ellingson	One week prior to next meeting

Review of Past Minutes Presenter: Keila Ellingson

Discussion Wendy Dau has sent out the minutes prior to the minutes. All SCC members have reviewed the minutes prior to the meeting starting.

Minutes motioned to be approved, minutes seconded, SCC was in favor to approve, minutes approved..

The minutes from February meeting were approved.

Introduction of New Principal

Presenter: Wendy Dau/Mindy Robison

Discussion Mindy Robison introduced herself to SCC. Mindy will be leading the next SCC meeting in April. She will be included in all decisions regarding next year.

Budget Update & School Trust Lands Amendment

Presenter: Wendy Dau

Discussion We have \$25,000 in the budget. We will have about \$12,000 left to come out for aides that are paid out of Trust Lands. \$3,000 has been set aside for supplies. We will use, these funds for our MYP Awards Night and the Make a Difference Project. That leaves us with a carry over, if we do have leftover money we will use this for the purchase of Chromebooks. This would replace an old Chromebook lab.

SCC has no questions about the budget, and is ok with Wendy purchasing Chromebooks with the money. She will proceed with this purchase.

2017-2018 School Improvement Plan & Trust Lands Budget

Presenter: Wendy Dau

Discussion The Overarching Goal and School Community Council Involvement in the CSIP was read from the document.

Academic Goal tied to Literacy:

When we look at the reading data, 60% of incoming students are behind in reading. At the middle school by the time they leave are only seeing an increase of 9% by the time the student leaves to high school. As a result: 1. 50% of 6th grade students who score below basic, MMS will work to get the student fluent in their reading, 120 wpm. That would be 35 out of the 70 who we are projecting to be there. 2. 50% of 7th and 8th grade students who score below basic on the RI will reach a fluency level of 150 wpm by spring of 2018. 3. Students who score in basic range, we want to see 80% move into proficient. 4. Increase the percent of advanced level students to 6%, and 100% of students who score in the advanced range, stay in that range.

The evidence based instructional strategy, systems and structures needed, learning goal, progress monitoring, communication, action plan, and budget was reviewed from the document.

Math Goal:

50% of all student will improve on the math inventory from fall to spring in one level. 100% of students scoring in advanced category will remain in the advanced category.

The evidence based instructional strategy, systems and structures needed, learning goal, progress monitoring, communication, action plan, and budget was reviewed from the document.

School Climate Goal:

Increase student and parent perception of safety and school connectedness by 10% as measured by the CAYCI survey. Data from the spring of 2016 will be compared to survey data which will be gathered spring of 2018 to determine progress.

74% of our students are on-track for attendance. The goal would be to increase this to 80%.

Decrease tardiness school wide by 10%. Data for the previous year will be compared with the data from the current year.

95% of students will be on-track in discipline (92% right now).

Tardies decrease by 10% from spring of 2017 to spring of 2018.

The climate enhancing support, systems and structures needed, learning goal, progress monitoring, communication, action plan, and budget was reviewed from the document.

There was a motion to approve, SCC unanimously approved the CSIP and School Trust Lands Budget. All members signed the signature page that will be submitted to the Board of Education.

2017-2018 School Schedule

Presenter: Wendy Dau

Discussion Midvale received more FTE (4.25). The only course that will not be offered may be a cooking/clothing course. Trojan Time will be moved to once a week.

There are no questions on next year's schedule.

MYP

Presenter: Shelley Allen

Discussion Midvale SCC took the MYP Self- Study Pre- Evaluation for Standard C. Curriculum:

Practice C1.1- C1.9 SCC Members completed the survey. Shelley will compile data from this survey about the supports we are providing for MYP, and she will share this at the next SCC meeting.

Comp Guidance Update

Presenter: Melissa Baker

Discussion There will be a career fair on April 19th for 8th graders in the afternoon. There will be five rotations for students to attend. The students will be given a passport to check off when they attend the speaker. If you, or anyone you know would like to be involved, please let Melissa Baker know. She is still in need of 3 volunteers. Midvale will be doing a college tour of BYU tomorrow.

District-wide there has been an increase in mental health concerns. Please be aware of this, and chat with your children and other parents about this. We have had an issue with students burning themselves with erasers as a way to relieve stress. Within the community there had been a high anxiety and concern with deportation. We have communicated to students that they are safe at school.

A.P.- How can we teach our kids who are not in this situation to have empathy towards the students who are in a state of turmoil?

M.B.- Building resilience and building empathy within our kids is a good place to start. Kids pick up on a lot, and instilling the notion that it is ok to fail.

New Building Update

Presenter: Wendy Dau

Discussion Next SCC meeting will be tied to a tour of the building. Wendy will arrange this with the architect and update the SCC on this.

Next Meeting

Presenter: Wendy Dau

Discussion The SCC motioned that the next SCC meeting will be a tour of the new building, this was seconded, and the SCC was in favor, and the motion was approved.

The next SCC meeting will be held April 26, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. pending the building tour with the architect.

Close of Meeting

Presenter: Wendy Dau

Discussion The SCC meeting for March 22, 2017 is now closed.

Action Items	Person Responsible	Deadline
Keila Ellingson will create an agenda for each month	Keila Ellingson	One week

Prior to each
meeting

Wendy Dau will send out SCC minutes of the prior month's meeting before the month's SCC meeting for all members of SCC to view, read and bring any amendments to the minutes to be discussed at the beginning of the month's SCC meeting.