

Midvale Middle School School Community Council MINUTES

Wednesday, November 10, 2016

Time 6:30 p.m.

Meeting Location MMS Media Center

Meeting Called By: Keila Ellingson, Vice Chair
 Type of Meeting: SCC
 Facilitator: Keila Ellingson, Vice Chair
 Note Taker: Sierra Eastmond

Attendees

- Wendy Dau
- Debbie Delliskave
- Alyssa Powers
- Kelia Ellingson
- Willy Ray
- Tabbie Mayne
- Richard Hansen
- Kip Carlsen
- Kerry Schroeppel
- Shelley Allen
- Bryan Rudes
- Sierra Eastmond
- Dave Fields

AGENDA TOPICS

Welcome and Introductions

Presenter: Keila Ellingson

Discussion New members: Alyssa Powers, parent and Debbie Delliskave, Math Teacher at Midvale Middle were welcomed to the meeting. Introductions of all attendees were made. Keila Ellingson, Vice-Chair will conduct the meeting in the absence of the Dave Cox, SCC Chair.

<u>Action Items</u>	<u>Person Responsible</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
Preparation of agenda items for subsequent meetings	Dave Cox	One week prior to next meeting
Members will attend one of the SCC training sessions	All SCC Members	11/14/2016

Review of Past Minutes

Presenter: Keila Ellingson

Discussion Review of Past Minutes from October 12th by Keila Ellingson. Minutes motioned, seconded and passed by the SCC. Minutes have been approved, and will be published on the website and in print form in the front of the school for community to see.

Budget Update

Presenter: Wendy Dau

Discussion We have hired a third student mentor as of Monday, 11/7/16. Teachers at MMS are developing reading curriculum. Current balance is on par for pacing for this year. The account needs to balance zero at the end of the year.

SCC has no questions about the budget

Discussion and Vote on Middle School Schedule

Presenter: Wendy Dau

Discussion Discussion has been had about what teachers would like, SCC is curious what the counselors and admin of the building think. Midvale admin wants what is best for students, and most instructional time possible. MMS is a MYP school, the board is aware of the needs at MMS, and takes in consideration of options presented to meet the needs of Midvale Middle, so the school is hopeful that a schedule that meets the needs of MMS will be considered for the upcoming school year. The enrollment trends at Midvale were under-predicted for this school year, the 6th grade class is the largest, right now enrollment is at 844. With the new building, we are expected to see a jump in student enrollment. We have an influx of refugee families at Midvale Middle, and the school also serves the homeless shelter that is open year round. On the 6th period rotation for the schedule, the elective teachers would have 5 different preps. We do have some core teachers right now who have three or four preps. Teachers will have to adjust curriculum no matter what schedule is adopted teachers are split on if a 10 period or a 7 period day. Shelley and Deb shared their perspective on what they feel as teachers would benefit students. Class sizes are a concern, for core and elective teachers, elective teachers will have more students than core teachers regardless. A motion was made to vote on the middle school schedule, the motion was seconded, SCC moves to support the teachers and the admin in support the 10 period a/b block schedule. All approved, neither have denied. SCC members all signed the signature

SCC has voted on the SCC 10 period A/B block schedule

MYP Update

Presenter: Shelley Allen

Discussion Mrs. Allen presented on Service Learning. The purpose of service learning was shared. Service requirements were shared with SC; these requirements coincide with MYP. MYP service reflections are filled out, Document was presented to the SCC. There is a service reflection competition at Midvale. Update is 4th place are the teachers at 48%, 3rd place is 6th 63% 2nd place is the 7th graders at 64%, and 8th graders are in 1st place at 71%. Parents can also complete the service reflections. There is a link for the service reflections on the website. Shelley provided a brief overview of the make a difference project for the SCC members.

Components of the Make a Difference Project were shared, deadlines were reviewed, and future service learning projects have been brainstormed, added this into the 6th and 7th grade may be coming in the near future.

<u>Action Items</u>	<u>Person Responsible</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
Possible Service Reflection Parent Involvement		
Included in the school newsletter	Sierra Eastmond	12/1/2016

Comprehensive Guidance Update Presenter: Melissa Baker

Discussion Melissa Baker is ill, no update given.

SCC Training Video Presenter: Wendy Dau

Discussion Wendy will share this link with all SCC members to watch

<u>Action Items</u>	<u>Person Responsible</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
Wendy will send link to all SCC members to watch the link	Wendy	12/1/2016

New Items Presenter: Keila Ellingson

Discussion Construction update will be added, there is a link to the drone footage of the building is on school website. A walk through for SCC and teachers is planned for March. CSIP Data update will be presented next meeting.

<u>Action Items</u>	<u>Person Responsible</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
Add Digital Citizenship to Agenda, Brenda will attend the next SCC meeting to present this information	Wendy Dau	12/01/2016
Construction of building will be added as an continually updated agenda item	Wendy Dau	12/01//2016
CSIP Data update for next meeting	Wendy Dau	12/01//2016

Review Next Meeting

Presenter: Keila Ellingson

Discussion the next SCC meeting will be held Dec. 14th at 5:30 p.m.

Close of Meeting

Presenter: Keila Ellingson

Discussion The SCC meeting for 11/10/16 is now closed.

<u>Action Items</u>	<u>Person Responsible</u>	<u>Deadline</u>
Dave Cox will create an agenda for each month's each meeting	Dave Cox	One week prior to meeting