Community Council Meeting Minutes Legacy Elementary January 27, 2014

Attending
Gary Gibb
Tami Galbraith
Charlotte Hutchinson
Kim Conant
Zac Starr
Bethany Cathemer
Krista Wells
Absent:
Aaron Raymond

November 18, 2014 minutes were approved –motion by Kim Conant-second by Charlotte Hutchinson, invited discussion, none. Unanimous approval.

Discussion on Collaboration Observation

Mr. Gibb will follow up with Brenda, Lisa and Aaron for their second observation. The others will fill in the rubric and turn in to Mr. Gibb by February 18, 2014 at next meeting. Mr. Gibb expressed his appreciation for participating in the observations. First grade sent home a rubric with the report card to help parents understand expectations which they can then review at parent teacher conference.

Discussion on Booster Club

There is some concern about communication between teacher and parents with Booster Club. Kim Conant brought up her concerns:

- *Start and Stop dates
- *Subject studying
- *Why student chosen

Concern was expressed over funding being used in the best way.

Need to have a way to measure progress-better reporting system.

Mr. Gibb and Bethany Cathemer talked about balance between teacher time and expectations of Booster Club.

Student achievement schoolwide is increasing as Den Time and Booster Club are being utilized.

Zach Starr suggested that we use the website or email for communication with parents

Mr. Gibb will make up a parent survey-an electronic version to use, perhaps at Parent Teacher Conference-maybe use IPad in each room for survey.

Data Review

DRA Benchmark levels have been raised

Test results will look different this year because of changes in benchmark levels.

DRA is a tool to know where students are, guide instruction for individual students.

It was suggested by one council member that each grade level have a parent meeting to explain changes in benchmark levels.

It was agreed that this should be one topic covered in upcoming community meeting.

Spring Community Meeting

Community Meeting is scheduled for March 27 at 6:30

All patrons, PTA board, Community Council members are encouraged to attend SAGE testing will be the topic, with information provided by Alpine School District presented at every school.

An agenda will be passed out at the door. Council members would like to present school programs at this meeting as well, including Booster Club and Den Time.

School Land Trust Grant is due April 4. The council will discuss the grant in February and March meetings. A draft for approval will be in place prior to March 27 so it can be approved by the Council. The council proposed meeting after the community meeting to discuss and approve Trustlands Grant for 2014-15.

Next meeting will be February 18, 2014 at 7:00 AM