

Traverse Mountain Elementary School
School Community Council
MINUTES
3/20/14

Present: Ilene Strong, Dee Lawler, Kristy Knowlton, Kim Kosorok, Natalie Hill, Mindy Widdowson, April Leder, Britt Rohde, Rachelle Funk, Austin Cowley

Not Present: Matt Smith, Krista Isaacson, Janelle Wride

Called to order at 3:53 pm by Kimberly.

1. Britt moved to approve last month's minutes, Rachelle seconded the motion.
2. Ilene led a discussion about the School Improvement Plan.
 - We talked about including in our plan the idea that 1st, 2nd, and 3rd grade accomplish their DRA testing before the first day of school. This was universally approved of, and we earmarked \$3500 for it in the plan.
 - We had a discussion about various other line items of the plan.

ILENE--INSERT THE SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN LINK HERE

Rachelle moved to approve the Plan, April seconded the motion.

-A discussion followed about our plan for the math goals. We made an amendment to the original plan that says:

All students will demonstrate 80% mastery or 25% growth on the Traverse Mountain Grade Level Comprehensive Math Assessment.

Natalie moved we approve the plan with this amendment, Britt seconded the motion. We asked for a vote, all approved. Matt, Krista, and Janelle all entered their call-in vote in support of the plan as well.

3. Good News:
 - Britt reports that SAGE test paradigms have been well received by students.
4. Other discussion items
 - a. We discussed Common Core concerns that we've heard of in the community
 - b. We discussed the meeting that Kim had at her house recently to discuss SAGE. She reported that it went well.
 - c. There will be another meeting about SAGE at the school on March 7th.
 - d. The PTA will be sponsoring Teacher Appreciation Week next week.

Meeting adjourned at 5:12 pm