

School Community Council

11 April 2017

MINUTES

Members Present- Julie Thompson, Dee Lawler, Rachelle Funk, Jenny Timmerman, Shellie VanOrman, Diane Lewis, Austin Cowley, Rebecca Richards, Christina Ahlstrom, Mindy Widdowson, Natalie Hill, Ilene Strong, Paul Findlayson, Brooke Wilson

Member excused—Janelle Wride

Members Absent: Stephanie McDonald, Melissa Kirkham,

Visitor-Ashley Child

Called to order at 3:48

1. Welcome and review of minutes

Jenny moved to approve the minutes, Diane seconded, all approved.

2. Principal Review

Ilene presented our current 2016-2017 expenditures. She proposed moving \$450 from the hourly certified to hourly aides. Christina moved to approve Ilene's proposal, Rachelle seconded, all approved.

3. School Improvement Plan Goals

We discussed all of the projected line items for next year's budget:

- Mastery Connect
- Battle of the Books
- Digital Citizenship
- Take more people to Ron Clark's school
- Brain Pop
- Raz Kids
- Moby Max
- DRA
- Summer Collaboration
- Kindergarten substitute

Here is the disbursement plan we decided on:

a. Salary and Employee Benefits	33,200
b. Professional and Technical Services	24,500
c. Supplies	1,000
d. Textbooks	2,500
e. Equipment Hardware	34,943
f. Software	<u>7,150</u>
	\$ 103,943 total

Natalie moved to approve the proposed budget, Shellie seconded, all approved.

4. Good News Report

-Lunchroom—we've had lots of trouble with student behavior in the lunchroom. We discussed the problems and ways to solve them. We decided that we'd ask Mindy (SCC Chair) and Heidi Brown (PTA President) to write a letter to the Traverse Mountain Parents and explain our concerns, asking for their help. We also want to find a way to use positive reinforcement to teach students to improve their behavior.

-Bullying problems have improved.

Ilene mentioned some concerns being shared on Facebook, communicated to her from Heidi Brown (+ Ilene's answers):

1. Worries about the new trailer on the playground and if we need new teachers and classes right now (we won't use those classrooms until 2017-2018)
2. Worries about whether or not a new school is getting built (the "Micron School" will be built and ready by the fall of 2018)

Meeting adjourned—5:35

Look for a signature page sent in an email for each of us to sign our approval.