

SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL MTG

ROLL: Sandi Downs, Joy Alldredge, Salonna Thomas, Michelle Schirmer, Kristin Eberling, Travis Atwood (officer), Melanie Westcott, Suzanne Evenson

REVIEW MINUTES from last month:

- Safety discussion with Officer Travis
 - Door blockers—too small, let's try larger. If larger don't succeed, possible purchase of door holders.
 - Teachers wearing identification, volunteers as well.
 - Video recordings: reactive tool, possible deterrent. Salonna will talk with Terry to find out costs and district costs, rather than Eagle project where people can hack into the system—it must be secured.
 - Officer Travis's time schedule as far as security and where he will be. He's split between our school and Alpine Elementary, plus his regular work at Timberline Middle.
- NOVA: Nurturing, Opportunities, Values and Accountability. Discussion on the NOVA program: 15 weeks—he will have to adjust to fit it in this year. Curriculum adjusted to meet the needed values of Utah county. Discussed the results of high school seniors to 7th graders who did not have the NOVA program compared to schools where students received the instruction.

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN:

DATA ON READING/WRITING SCORES:

HOW OTHER SCHOOLS SPEND THEIR MONEY:

1. Professional Development: Substitutes for training meetings.
2. Alpine Elementary: Aides and professional development
3. Ridgeline Elementary: Part-time teacher to offset class size

Trust Land money must be spent by approx. spring break. It is about \$35,000.

1. Continue funding Star Reading Program (people could be better trained)
2. We spent about \$8,500 in 2011-12. If they are below benchmark, they qualify.
3. Michelle suggested maybe a parent training meeting would be valuable

Discussed professional training funding. Computer specialty takes \$35,000 out of the \$38,000. May come down to deciding between computer or Star Reading program. Possibly tweak the Star Reading program to pay for coordinator and use volunteers to run it. Looking at funding computer part way and come up with the other half through another budget? Need money for teacher development, technology, equipment, etc.