

Minutes of Sunrise Elementary Community Council Meeting

Meeting Date: January 25th 2022

This meeting was held online through “Zoom” only.

Attendance

Members in Attendance: Derek Beer, Sue Hintze, Korry Hintze, Summer Gunn, Nikkala Stephens, Rachel Parrish, Amy Wallace

Members not in Attendance: Brook Pugmire

Adoption of Documents

Approval of October 2021 Minutes

Summer Gunn moved to approve the October 2021 minutes

Sue Hintze seconded the motion

All in favor

New Business Help being provided to Absent Student

In order to help students who have been absent, some teachers are providing physical work and some are on google classroom. Part of the problem is that students couldn't do some of the work even if they felt good enough to do it because of the missed instruction.

Derek will ask teachers what is being done to help absent students catch up on their work so that they are able to attend reward parties, etc.

Reports:

Measures being implemented to mitigate the spread of COVID

Sunrise is following the Health departments recommendations to stay COVID safe. The differences from last year to this: Students and staff are no longer required to wear a mask. Contact tracing isn't being done, but the entire class is notified if there is an exposure; also, parents of reading group students are notified.

Things that are the same: The same amount of cleaning is being done (sanitizing, etc.). Students are sent home if they are ill.

Note: The health department recently changed the “stay home” days for positive COVID patients from 10 to 5 days. Students who have a lingering cough can go back to school after their quarantine time is over.

Data Review

Data from the Acadience test is not available as expected because of the large number of absent students. This data will be shared at the next meeting.

The State report card shows Sunrise at 66.4 percent in science, 61.8 percent in math and 62.9 percent in English. Students reading on grade level; 65.7 and students making typical progress; 80.7 percent.

School Growth

There will be two new portable classrooms installed west of the current ones for next year, This will be the most convenient and economical place to place them.

Possible Bond Election in November

Community Council involvement in the possible upcoming bond election will be important for our district. Sharing information now might be helpful. Social Media could be one possible avenue to do this.

Meeting Adjourned

Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 22nd 2022