

Minutes for School Community Council meeting dated 03/09/2016.

Attendees: Jeremy Wiley, Carmen Sorenson, Stephanie Swainston, Terry Williams, Max Jones, Teri Rhodes, Becky Neilson, Wendee Radmall, Gavin Coburn

Minutes from our previous meeting were approved unanimously.

The district is currently taking applications for the Hats Off Award for teachers. There is a cash prize associated with this award. Parents, staff, and students can nominate teachers within the district for this award. The deadline is March 25. The application can be found at <http://cefut.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/02/HATS-OFF-AWARD-Nomination-Form-2015.docx>. North Cache is currently working on nominating one of our teachers for this award.

Next month's meeting has been moved to April 6, rather than April 13, so that we can finalize the School Improvement Plan before the deadline.

SCC members need to submit an electronic signature. An email was sent out earlier this week with instructions for doing so.

Principal Williams presented to us the rough draft of the School Improvement Plan for the 2016-2017 school year. Currently there are four goals in the learning plan:

- 1) Increase Language Arts proficiency to at least 57% on the Sage test.
  - This will be achieved through requiring a writing assignment in all subject areas, providing professional development to train teachers on Utah Compose, team taught, sheltered, and remediation class, and the AR program.
- 2) Increase Math Proficiency to 62% on the Sage test.
  - This will be accomplished through PLCs, teachers collaborating best practices, developing common assessments, ALEKS, AMP, and keeping student to teacher ratio as low as possible.
- 3) Increase Science proficiency to 63% on the Sage test.
  - This will be accomplished through AMP and through building and using common formative assessments.
- 4) Provide individual student support through AMP to improve GPA.
  - This will be accomplished through selecting and tracking students using their GPA to become a part of this program in which they will receive remediation during homeroom. Their progress will be monitored by the AMP aides.

A section for Staff Development is included in the plan. This is provided through Safety training, testing ethics training, ESL training, Teacher Effectiveness training, teacher motivation, PLC Training, and Utah Compose training.

Also included on the plan is a summary of success and celebration of that success at North Cache. In this section we discussed our improvement in the PLC process, success we have seen through AMP, the Student Assistant Team, and homeroom. Zach Rigby, an eighth grader, won the school Geography Bee, and has qualified for the State Geography Bee. 48 of our eighth graders attended the Young Writer's and Artists Fest. Students on the Honor Roll and with a 4.0 are rewarded each trimester. Four students from each grade are selected for "Student of the Month" each month and rewarded with lunch. A teacher is

recognized at the faculty meeting each month. We hold incentive days for students with qualifying GPAs and citizenship grades. We are nominating a teacher for the Hats Off Award. Jim Schaub was selected as our teacher of the year.

The motion to adjourn the meeting was placed and approved.

Next meeting is scheduled for April 6, 2016.