



Orem Elementary
School Community Council
Thursday December 17, 2015
10:00 am Faculty Lounge

Welcome: Peter Christensen

Attendees: Peter Christensen, Andrea Park, Melanie Holdaway, Tela Burnett, Alisha Russo, Sharon Faragher, Laura Giles, Adria House, Teresa Whitehead, Linda Gardner, Jill Judd, Jennie Griffith

Norms

- Stay focused on SIP
- Stay positive
- Be Respectful
- Build Consensus

Business

ALL 4 & 5 grades are coming next year. 5th grade Cherry Hill teacher has till March to decide if she is coming.

ALL testing starts in January e-mail has gone home.

Fliers were sent home from the District

Need to post on Website

Grade level combined some subjects, colonial day, trek day, science etc.

FLEX

Plans to up the program, add more classes that are educational for FLEX
ex: knowledge bowl

Sharon Faragher has many ideas already to pull to add to FLEX.

Suggestion: SCC pay an Aide to help be the local entity for FLEX parents as backup
Sharon Faragher and Andrea Park meet together and come up with a plan of activities for the next SCC meeting January.

Jill Judd could be the Flex Aide for this year if approved.

Sharon Faragher would be available to be the FLEX Aide next year.

Hope Squad:

Students have been nominated to be on the Hope Squad-Sent notes home.

Hope Squad need Books, all the lessons to train the Hope Squad are in these books Books cost \$250.00 for 9 lesson throughout the year, 2 lessons a month this year. Hope for Utah will train the Hope Squad to help students with Bullying, no friends etc. Other students can come to these students and have a friend and a buddy. When appropriate Hope Squad will report to the Principal any concerns. Principal Park has helped two students with Suicide thoughts already this year.

Motion: SCC will pay up to \$300.00 for the books for Hope for Utah
Sharon Faragher
2nd Melanie Holdaway
Unanimous

1st Grade would like to see if SCC will pay for 3 days of collaboration to do the following:
SOL/DOK
Up their reading levels
Create more anchor charges
Students more accountable from Solution Tree.

Motion: 3 day for 4 teachers a day Up to \$1200.00
Laural Giles
2nd Tela Burnett
Unanimous

Kindergarten would like to attend a free conference. They would like SCC to pay for two teachers sub up to \$200.00 so they can attend.
Motion Sharon Faragher
2nd Whitehead
Unanimous

2nd Grade will report at the next SCC meeting in January on what they did in their Collaboration meetings so far.

Congratulations to the 1st grade team who was honored by the ASD School Board & Superintendent