

Aspen Elementary School

Site Council Meeting Minutes

Nov 20, 2024

Meeting called by	Shane Craven
Note taker	Stacey Coombe
Attendees	Andie Massi, Lacy Embree, Stephanie Hornstrand, Brianna, Hassett, Tammi Berman, Alison Friedman, Kira Wagner, Robyn Moshier, Haley Rosenberg, Sheala Larimer
Visitors	None

Meeting Called to Order at 3:02pm

- I. Public Comments
 - None
- II. Principal's Report
 - Minutes
 - Motion to approve October Minutes by Lacy
 - 2nd by Kira
 - No nays - approved
 - Teachers are wrapping up Tri 1 grading - Report Cards go home 12/13
 - Friday is Family Feast
 - Tonight is a Redwood Info Night for parents and students
 - Blacktop mapping is happening to get repaved later this year
- III. Reports
 - PFA - Kiley Duncan/Mandy Liston
 - Not Present - Notes not received
 - Holiday Market 12/7
 - Regal Movie Fundraiser
 - PFA and Student Council partnering on Food Drive this week
 - 5th grade raised significant funds from Spooky House used for end of year activities and culmination
 - DAC - Daniel Quick
 - Not Present
 - Per Alison:
 - Not much relevant pertinent to Elementary School level
 - DELAC - Vacant
 - Had 22 people at our ELAC meeting last night
 - Identified a DELAC Rep - Johana Rogel Martinez

- GATE DAC - Robyn Moshier
 - GATE Teacher on Special Assignment reviewed the GATE resources available on the shared Google Drive.
 - Members were encouraged to add activities and ideas to the shared collaboration folder with the GATE Activities Google folder.
 - GATE-DAC representatives are still needed for some school sites.
 - The District, principals, and teachers are working on differentiation within the classroom.
 - All CVUSD teachers can access the GATE library and check out materials through Stefanie Caswell.
- SEDAC - Stephanie Hornstrand/Brianna Hassett
 - Reminder Inclusion Hero Nominations are due by 11/22 - any employee can be nominated
 - Meeting at Aspen for Parents
 - Invitations were sent to all 504 and IEP families
 - Had appx 8 people attend
 - Shared information on SEDAC and their roles as SEDAC Reps
 - Thinking of doing it each trimester to help build community
 - Feedback: people would like to meet other parents of children with different needs. Want to build a network with each other.
- LGBTQ+ DAC - Ashley Lozano
 - Notes not received
- AA DAC - Robyn Moshier
 - The full AADAC executive committee was nominated and selected. Congratulations!
 - Assistant Director of DEI and Belonging will be following up via email to AADAC on the various sub-committees.
 - There was thoughtful discussion and input on the future district cell phone policy.
 - The Board of Education is interested in listening to the input of stakeholders in forming the new cell phone policy.

IV. New Business

- Data Update
 - CA Dashboard will be released tomorrow
 - States measure school effectiveness and progress
 - ELA and Math receive a rating solely based on test scores
 - Our chronic absenteeism is anticipated to be in the green (was red)
 - Suspension rate is in the blue (was orange)
 - We are still in the high range for ELA and Math though scores have dropped
 - A District Math TOSA will be coming to a January Staff Meeting to introduce practice tests to help prepare students for the CAASPP Testing
 - Typing Club is being implemented in all classes to help prepare students with their typing skills
 - www.caschooldashboard.org
- CAASPP Data Discussion
 - We had the highest rate of participation in the District last year

- We want to incentivise our students to take their test and try hard on it have been thinking of ways to implement
 - Possible: card punch that can redeemed for event in MPR
 - We will be allocated funds from the District
 - Possibly something immediately after each test at recess
 - Lunch Party option
 - Olympic Recess theme each day - each class with a team name and last day lunch closing ceremonies celebration
- As you think of ideas, email them to Shane

V. Old Business

- None

VI. Adjournment

- Meeting adjourned at 3:46pm
- Next Meeting: Dec 18, 2024 at 3:00pm