

Date: December 19, 2018

To: Three Rivers School Board, Dave Valenzuela, Superintendent and Directors

Re: Hidden Valley Site Council Minutes

Member Present: Brian Miller, Susie Biller, Raynee Wilson, Nicole Brown, Carla Carter, Ben Bickle, Dale Fisher, Cindy Wilson

Absent: Rob Saunders, Teri Ellis

The meeting was called to order at 3:40 with the flag salute and reading of the minutes from the November meeting. The minutes were read, voted on and approved unanimously.

We are implementing the "Why Try" program which includes resilience training based on the Christian Moore training we had in August. We will be training kids how to cope which we covered in our ACES training for all staff. Every grade level will be covering pieces in Advisory and intervention with teachers. It is a culmination of our ACES training.

Wings program will be presented in Chris Pendleton's class second semester to freshman. This program is presented by Women's Crisis Center. The Wings program has done very well at North Valley. Dennis Mlsner and Amy from Women's Crises came and gave us some handouts and information on the program. More information will be coming from Amy at Women's Crises.

We will be asking for board approval to accept a grant from All Care for a Club Wellness. This will be presented in our Life Skills class. A women from SOU wrote a book on wellness and nutrition, the program is based on that book. The grant for \$5,000 will include lessons, training and worksheets. The lessons are 15-20 minutes 3 times a week and covers nutrition and exercise. They will be teaching our kids stretching techniques and personal health. We completed the Community Investment Application and will submit for approval this week. Once board approved we will send the grant application to All Care.

Since our district is partnering with Blue Zone, Travis came and talked to us about getting our staff to sign up. Brian and Susie have each sent out emails to staff and we have part of our staff signed up. We will continue to get the rest of our staff signed up after the break. Travis will be presenting more information to our staff on Friday, January 11th. We are forming a Blue Zone Committee for HV, currently we have Brian, Susie, Nicole, Teri, Rachel, Dale and Ginny on the committee. We will be sending notes of our meetings to Travis. We are providing Travis with additional information to document we have programs in place. We are increasing our points and will continue this program in January.

We are improving our Culture of Care at Hidden Valley. We are stressing communication with our kids and helping to understand the ACES score and the need to build increased relationships. We

have several new activities in January that will promote relationship building. There is a change in culture and the ways we communicate with students. This is the second year and we are putting our own stamp on adapting to our own culture and how it relates to us. The first year was the building blocks, much of the PD was provided by the district. We are implementing some additional strategies this year and working strongly on putting the plan into action.

We started the RISE with the Stampede Team. The focus is respect, integrity, service and engagement. The Stampede Team has had many programs implemented this first semester and will be adding a lot more next semester. We have had Stampede to Class competitions, fist bumps at the front door, spirit contests for students and staff and much more.

LASSO is the new name for our In School Suspension. We are putting more structure to our In School Suspension and plan to improve additionally in January when we have a new staff member on board.

The Stampede Success Teams are working on Freshman Success and this will also include all other grades. We are meeting with our PLC teams by grade and will continue this work in the new year. We have seen success with a lot of work this year. Teachers are looking at data of kids in the yellow zone, we are getting information on students and we will be having additional conversations about individual students that may be struggling in multiple classes. Dale is providing us some invaluable information on our students. We are using this data to analyze student needs and successes.

Point Learning walks are planned by Julia and Loralyn. They will be taking teachers on walks to see other teachers and how they teach. They will be viewing other professionals and learn from how other teachers do things. They will gain new ideas of how to teach our students. Our teachers and administrators have been training for the last three years. We did some learning walks last year. We are in the implementation phase and this will be very powerful for our educators.

Our lunch program had an outstanding balance of \$3,500. The kitchen staff cannot tell students they owe money so they continue to charge. Emails are sent out regularly to parents but we learned some parents do not understand the automatic emails. Brian sent a InTouch message home and it brought in \$500 in one week. We will continue to send message out in January and February as a reminder to parents to pay for their students lunches ahead of time or regularly.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:30 pm and our next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, January 22nd.