

North Valley High School  
Site Council (December/January)  
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1. Welcome - Present: Jeaneen Beagley, Danny Pratt, Stephanie Phillips, Vickie Nigh, Erik Lathen
  - a. Review minutes and approve- The minutes were reviewed and approved.
2. Review of the previous month
  - a. December theme (Present)- Danny explained how the candy cane game went. Students talked about being present in class. Only good answers were awarded candy canes. The majority of classes were awarded candy canes. Erik felt that it went well.
  - b. 3R/climate and culture update
    - i. Knight Flight Changes- The pot is currently sitting at \$110. They are only throwing the knight football because the paper airplanes were not working well. If you hit the apparatus you earn \$5.00. Erik says his challenge is to be more consistent with the focus on the 3R's and he will work on it. They were able to give away a few t-shirts this week and they are down to doing it once a week. Vickie Nigh suggested we do it in an assembly in the gym. We had a low in the positive notes home and now it is coming back up. 300-400 notes home per month is a realistic goal.
  - c. Activities update
    - i. Great debate- We ended up having about 350 students debate that day. We made about \$8000 for that day. There was one concern about having to debate about arguing about something they didn't believe in. It makes sense to let kids debate on the side they believe in. Overall it was a good day. Vickie thought it would be good to not announce which day it would be. Erik thought it would work better if they were paired after they arrived.
    - ii. Winter sports- there has been lots of games in all sports. We have had a couple of tournaments over the break.
    - iii. Winter Play - The play happened in December and they had tryouts for the next play.
    - iv. Bazaar - successful. The senior parents do this fundraiser every year to do grad night and senior events.
  - d. Academic update
    - i. Incompletes - We had 540 last week. Erik will send an email to remind the teachers to update their gradebooks. Vickie expressed that she thought it was important for teachers to update this every week.
    - ii. Team - We are working towards Student Led Conferences. Erik showed us a script on what it will look like. The students take ownership in the student led conferences. This is an attempt to make the conferences more meaningful and to get more adult involvement in student's lives. Erik showed us the powerpoint about SLC. Vickie suggested that the administrators go around during TEAM time and walk into classes. The

kids will schedule the SLC times. Vickie suggested we have PD about the SLC before the conferences so that everyone has the best chance to succeed at the SLC. Danny asked if there is a section about the transcript and there is. It would be nice to have a Google form to get feedback for parents to fill out.

iii. Semester ends Feb. 2nd-

iv. Attendance-

1. A2A- We have had several parents come in for a conference per the attendance letters requests. Vickie asked what the follow through of the letters was. Erik says the letters quote the law and there isn't a lot of follow through of the letters. But the letters state what could happen. It's an awareness program.

3. What is on the Horizon

- a. Extracurriculars- We are at the end of winter season and beginning of spring.
- b. SLC--Booster spaghetti feed? Jeaneen will bring that up at the meeting tonight. It would be feeding the families that come. Vickie thought we should rally kids to volunteer to help serve and clean-up. There was a suggestion of baked potato bar. The student will need to do the conference at some time. Jeaneen thought it was good for students to speak about themselves.
- c. ACES- We have another training Friday. Erik will be presenting at our meeting this week.
- d. Scheduling update- We have a bunch of classified retirements this year. We have a temporary position in the business classroom currently. We are looking at shuffling teachers around in the business program and looking at using the teachers where we have the greatest need. We are looking at hiring a part time English teacher. It will take some creative hiring. We are about to do a preferential poll to find out what classes students are interested in. Erik would like to align the leadership classes. Jr. college prep should be the career development class from RCC. Vickie suggests that Brittany meet with the Jr's about signing up for the Sr college prep. We are hoping to increase the amount of students to attend college and there needs to be some alignment.
- e. Collaboration Team proposals
- f. Climate and Culture
  - i. Branding for second semester - Erik would like the branding of the school to get done. Erik will buy the signage soon - it would be nice to put it up on the Clerical Day.

g. Curriculum and instruction

- i. POinT Trainings- We have some good trainings last Friday from Rob Moeny, We have had some formative assessment trainings.
- ii. Tech proposal-Erik said the DO wants to get the switches for the wireless access buy one get one. We have two access points that we could move to more usable places in the Science hallway. We would buy 4 more points to move in the C wing. The only classrooms that would not have one would be Turner and Plymale. Jeaneen said she could ask Boosters to buy two and then we would have them in every classroom. Erik stated that he would like to ultimately have 4 in the library and 4 in the commons. They also updated the computer labs and we need to take care of the new equipment. We are going to need to set money aside to start replacing the Chrome books.

4. Council recommendations

- a. Facebook and social media presence - We should talk to Mr. Patch.
- b. Web page videos (Show Patch video)