

Site Council Meeting Minutes October 2, 2021

Present: Damian Crowson, Ben Bickle, Susie Biller, Carla Carter

Remote:

Absent: Rob Saunders

The meeting was called to order by Damian Crowson at 3:55 pm

The minutes were reviewed from the previous meeting, Ben Bickle made a motion to accept the minutes as presented, Carla seconded the motion, the minutes were approved unanimously.

Damian reported we currently have a large number of discipline issues and he and Jessica went around to all 7th period classes and talked about expectations with all freshman today. They covered the following topics: Bathroom use, Social Media, TikTok, Vaping, How to correctly use incident reports, Skipping class/Truancy and Expectations at lunch, 4 students per table at breakfast and lunch. We have a social media issue and a lot of negative talk back and forth. We currently have 8 students on behavior contracts.

We had an incredible Homecoming last Friday. We had a super assembly at the football stadium, an incredible turn out of students for the freshman tailgate party and football game. We postponed the dance and will reschedule sometime between fall and winter athletic seasons.

We are starting week 6 and have been discussing an intervention schedule to make up incompletes. We have many kids that are failing 2 or more classes. Ben said our guide groups were good because the same teacher was with students for 4 years. There was a bond and the teacher helped students with making up work and supporting them.

Our 21st Century after school classes have started. We have Adulting 101, Gaming and Early Bird weight training currently going on.

Carla said a great group of kids went on the Southern Oregon Trade Expo Field Trip. They were there the perfect amount of time and all students came away with something they learned. The employers there made the students feel that they were hireable and the kids were very excited. Students learned new skills.

Our new Welding teacher Kristen Albro is on her way from South Carolina. She will start teaching class on Monday, October 18th.

Ben asked if there is a common goal for all teachers for their goal setting. Damian said they will be working on one together as a team.

The Art

Aalong the Rogue was a huge success. The HV students and Ben did an incredible job this past weekend. They were interviewed by Channel 12 News. Ben said he had a fantastic turnout of

students and many students came and supported our HV artists. The kids got huge recognition and praise from the community and felt very good about the experience. The Public Art Works did an amazing job organizing and Ben said they were treated exceptionally well. They got food delivered several times each day.

We are appreciative and excited about the lunch provided by the TRSD School Board of Directors and District Leadership Team.

We need to replace Nicole who retired as our classified staff representative.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:45 pm.