

JPJMS School Community Council Meeting Agenda
January 15, 2014
4:30 p.m.

Minutes from previous meeting approved via email
Welcome, Celebrations, Latest News
Counseling
Land Trust update
ZAP update
Introducing P.A.T.
Create Skylert for SCC
Calendar
Opportunity for Community Comments
Next meeting – March 19, 2014 at 4:30 p.m.
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Those in attendance: Lisa Blake (Chair), Janet Hamilton (Vice-Chair), Jana Bailey, Brenda Montgomery, Wendy Bartlett, Aaron Hunter, Bryan Leggat, Patrice Shaffer, and Jane Harward.

Called to Order: 4:35 p.m.

1. **Minutes from previous meeting approved via email.** There are eight voting members of the council, and minutes were approved by everyone.

2. **Welcome, Celebrations, Latest News.**
 - a. Bryan Leggat shared that Marilyn Kurt will be retiring at the end of the quarter, so will also be leaving the Community Council. He introduced Jane Harward who will be taking Marilyn's place on the Council.
 - b. Looking at providing a reading camp this summer similar to the math camp that was held last summer.
 - c. Ms. Walton is pregnant and may come back part time next year.
 - d. Seventh grade science will be moved from a half year class to a full year class next school year. Keyboarding will become an elective class.
 - e. The Panther Express project and assembly was a success. Over 2,000 items were donated for homeless teens. Half the school was able to view the assembly in the KIVA, the other half viewed the assembly as it was broadcast into classrooms. Next year will make sure the classrooms will be able to broadcast on screens instead of television. The televisions were too small.

- f. Aaron Hunter explained that the school is having considerably fewer tardies. Tardy sweeps are being held every period except 1st. The school atmosphere is changing and is more positive.
- g. Latinos in Action is going well and students volunteer every two weeks at Oquirrh Elementary.
- h. Team PROWL is conducting the Souper Bowl of Caring fundraiser to raise money to fight hunger. It is going from January 13th to February 16th.

3. Counseling Report.

- a. As part of Comprehensive Guidance Program, students will need to be included on the Community Council Board to give student input.
- b. The Counselors have completed the JATC Assembly, Utah Scholars, and College and Careers Readiness Planning Parent Meeting for the 8th graders. They will be meeting with students individually.
- c. Registration information for elementary schools is being prepared. The Principal's meeting will be held on January 31st. Eighth and Ninth grade registration will be presented in February.
- d. A needs assessment for parents will be given during Student-Led Conferences, the students will receive it with their SRI tests, and the faculty during Friday collaboration.

4. Land Trust Update.

- a. Bryan Leggat provided a handout on the status of the Trustlands Budget. He explained the status of each item, and the fact we need to spend more money. Ideas were discussed including providing Ascend Math for all students during RTI. Suggestion was given to let more parents know that Ascend Math is available and can be used at home if students are interested.
 - b. Jane Harward gave a report on Brown Bag Science which is currently being held every other week. She mentioned there was a good mix of students and it has been worth the effort.
 - c. Would like to get Reading Plus to use next school year and with the summer reading camp.
5. **ZAP Update.** Aaron Hunter reported that ZAP has been a huge success. He mentioned the trial run at the beginning of the year and the Learning Lab aides have greatly contributed to the success. Students look at ZAP as being a help instead of a punishment and some have asked to have specific assignments zapped.
6. **Introducing P.A.T.** Bryan Leggat presented and explained the Panther Academic Tracker (P.A.T). It is used to track interventions and help struggling students.
7. **Create Skylert for SCC.** Lisa Blake asked for help in what to say in a Skylert to encourage parents to participate on the School Community Council. Discussed ideas to let parents know what

serving on the council means and encourage participation. Ideas discuss included placing information on the registration form, have Bryan Leggat mention the Council at Ra, Ra Night, place information on the school website, have a table with sign and form at Student-Led Conferences, and have a link to information on Skylert. Will consider holding School Community Council meetings later in the evening if it will result in more parents participating.

8. **Calendar.** The next meeting will be March 19, 2014 at 4:30 p.m. Mr. Hunter will contact the Council if they need to sign off on the SNAP Plan.
9. **Opportunity for Community Comments.**
 - a. There is a concern that there will not be enough students to have a Secondary II Advanced Math Class. It was recommended to look at using Trustland Funds if needed to make sure the class is carried.
 - b. The school website has some issues that need to be fixed including webmaster contact information, improper grammar, and difficult to find information.
10. Brenda Montgomery gave MOTION to adjourn. It was seconded and approved.

Adjourned 5:55 p.m.