
Ridgecrest Elementary School Community Council
Monthly Meeting Agenda
Wednesday, November 15, 2023- 4:00pm- Library

- Call to Order - 4:06 pm
 - In attendance: Anna Whitely, Stephanie Gallegos, Jeanne Herbert, Carrie Christensen, Stephanie McCabe, Brooke Schneider, Londyn Freeman, Julia Jensen & Rhea Eggert

- Review to ensure we are on course with Current Year's:
 - LAND Trust Plan
 - Data
 - Reviewed school goals.
 - Looked at State Reports from the last two years for Reading, Math and Science and Acadience Reports for the current year.
 - Attendance - percentage of attending regularly has increased.
 - School wide focus with faculty is focused on:
 - Clarity, DOK (Depth of Knowledge)/Rigor, OTR (Opportunities to Respond)/Engagement, & Feedback

 - Expenditures
 - Looked at the budget.
 - Extra dollars - ½ day professional development with Building Leadership Team

- Begin Final Report for previous year's plan- Due end of January
 - Reading Goal: 62% K-5 made typical or greater growth (70% was goal)
 - Overall the school increased the percentage of students who met or exceeded expected growth from the previous year by 2%.
 - Math Goal: 80% of students making typical or higher growth. Results: K=71%, 1=69%, 2=84%, 3=70%, 4=84%, 5=68%)
 - This year the goal was not met. Three of six grades increased the percentage of students who met proficiency by 20% or more.
 - Money spent according to plan.
 - Office Discipline Referrals: We did not meet our goal of decreasing referrals. When outliers are taken out of the overall percentage, the number of office referrals did decrease.

- Review Attendance Plan
 - Attendance Goal: All students will attend school at least 95% of the school year.
 - The plan outlines valid excused absences and procedures for education/vacation leave.
 - Standard Notifications outlined for absences
 - Incentives are in place to celebrate attendance

- Additional school climate updates or principal Report
 - SAFE UT - logo changed. Asked for update within district
 - Bus Routes -
 - Risk Management looked at areas of concerns and said everything looked fine
 - Transportation and Leon drove the routes and foresee some concerns.
 - Option 1 - Could consider driving the route backwards because the bike lane is wider and removes fence barriers. Could also pull in Cottonwood Heights PD to train kids on safety.
 - Option 2 - Leave the route the same way and move the stop to a different street.
 - SCC's considering option 2 - leave the route the same and move the stop to the next street.
 - ** if possible asking SCC members to drive the route and see what option makes the most sense for the safety of the students. Email Sara if you have any input or are in agreement with Option 2.
 - Million Minute Readers
 - Needs to be students interacting with texts

- Next Meeting Dec. 13th - if needed
 - On track for January's goal - no December meeting

- Motion to close meeting by Stephanie. Carrie seconded the motion.
- Meeting closed at 5:10 pm