

FFJH Community Council Meeting Agenda

Roll Call – Alison Tanner, Adam Thompson, Cynthia Johnson, Rachelle Woodbury, Nicole Mackey, Anna McFadden, Alex Groneman, Wilson McKonkie, Kreg Edgmond, Vicki Zollinger, Kimberly Wagner, James Elison, Alecia Finlinson

Call to Order and Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting – Kimberly Wagner welcomed all to the meeting. Meeting minutes were reviewed on overhead. Kimberly Wagner motioned for approval; all approved.

Current Spending at FFJH – Mr. Thompson reviewed Trustlands and TSSA Budgets YTD.

- There will be opportunity for teachers to request money allocations for next year.
- This year we have a heavy spending emphasis on productivity.

Update on School Improvement Plan – Rachelle Woodbury reviewed the RACE Literary format and the impact of our Literary Specialists.

- **Restate the question/Answer the question/Cite evidence/Elaborate** (5 sentences)
- Teachers asked to have students do this at least once a semester in EVERY class.
- Literary Specialists review and give detailed feedback to students.

School Emergency Plan – Wilson McKonkie presented the FFJH's emergency plan. After review, all present voted to approve the plan.

- The plan is a template filled out specifically for our school with ALL things needed in any sort of emergency – phone trees, drills, lock-down plans, who is CPR certified, evacuation routes, duties, chain of command, protocols, student release procedures, shut-off gas and electric access, etc.
- This is all in a binder and each teacher has one along with a 'go' bag in their room.
- Exterior doors lock and unlock with class change times.

Parent Concern: Choir Funding – Nicole Mackey expressed concern that the 'choir lost funding' for purchasing music for the classes.

- Mr. Thompson explained the legislative law about not charging and textbook fees and that sheet music falls into the textbook fee category.
- Teachers made financial requests at the start of the year and were granted half of them. This will be addressed at the new year again. They project there will be enough money for the year.

- Legislature is moving toward NO FEES, however, the long-term plan is still unknown.

Counseling Department Update –

- 9th Grade CCRs are finished
- Working on Child Spree (Christmas gift giving – student wish lists) Suggestion to make it anonymous to avoid potential embarrassing experience for students.
- Ordered AP exams
- 7 Habits in 9th grade Falcon Focus
- Beginning “Learning to Breathe” in Health Classes

Motion to adjourn meeting

Minutes submitted by Alecia Finlinson