

Butterfield Canyon School Community Council

Minutes - 12/13/2024

In Attendance: Kimberly Andersen, Erika Scott, Michelle Moon, Jenifer Lawson

Begin Meeting: 2:41

- Motion to approve minutes from 10/18 SCC meeting: Michelle Moon Second: Jenifer Lawson
- Motion to approve minutes from 11/11 SCC meeting: Michelle Moon Second: Jenifer Lawson. All approve.

District electronic device policy

Are there any questions about the district cell phone policy? It hasn't changed much for our school. We haven't had community questions. The only thing different from what we had before is how the consequences are laid out. The policy can be found here:

<https://policy.jordandistrict.org/sub/cell-phone/>

Kids in Action

This program was at our school last year. It was a lot of work for the teachers involved and we don't feel like there are enough parent volunteers to run the program. It was a great program but no one has asked about keeping it. We will not continue this program this year.

Lead-a-thon

We are planning to keep this for the SCC fundraiser. We are no longer a Leader in Me school and we are not planning to continue that. We are also not a Golden Gate school anymore. We are using the social skills program that the district recommends. The fundraiser is structured the way Leader in Me runs their program. We keep the name out of tradition. It is a successful fundraiser. It will probably take place in March. In the past the money has been used for social skills programming. We will discuss what we will use the money for at the next meeting. Technology will be a big part (Chromebooks, iPads, walkie talkies).

Playworks

It is good to have specific rules. There have been some complaints about kids not being able to play how they would like. There have been some changes to make it more of a free play and not as structured as it was last year. Hopefully the kids are getting used to it as well as the recess aides. Overall it has been a good program with some changes.

We will not renew the contract and we will move forward with this modified program that seems to work better for our school.

Behavior and Bully Prevention Plan

There is a new legislative bill about safety and security in schools. We need to have a response plan when issues arrive. The state hasn't given enough guidelines so there aren't any real directives yet. When bullying is found there should be a different plan than just regular disciplinary actions. We will try to talk about it again at the next meeting if there is more information available.

Cold Weather Procedures

On days when the weather is cold, the idea was brought up to have teachers at the doors to let students in. The concern is giving teachers one more thing to do. Maybe the safety patrol could be at one door at the back of the school. At one point all the doors would be open but that is a safety issue. It could be a safety issue to have the safety patrol opening the door. The district recommends only one entrance for safety. We will continue having one door because it is the safest way. The school will make sure kids are not marked late when the line gets long. It comes down to safety over convenience and it's safer to have only one entrance.

Motion to Adjourn: Erika Scott Second: Michelle Moon. All in favor.

Meeting adjourned at: 3:17

Proposed next meeting: January 24, 2025