Minutes

Neil Armstrong Academy Community Council Minutes

Date: November 10, 2026 **Time:** 3:30 **Meeting Called to Order by:**

In Attendance: Grace Morrell, Krista Dougal, Amanda Hadley, Dawn-Noel Aiono, Amber Talbot, Shelby Denkyi

Item 1: Welcome and introductions	**Speakers: Grace**	**Time: 3:38**

Notes:
- Shelby is our newest member starting today. Introductions

Item 2: Approve Last Meeting Minutes	**Speakers:**	**Time: 3:40**

Notes:
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Item 3: DCC Meetings and Representation Reminder	**Speakers:**	**Time: 3:45**

The meeting was held on 10/13/26. Attended by Amber

Upcoming meeting:

- Tuesday, December 8, 2026 – Granite Park Jr High - Amanda
- Tuesday, February 23, 2027 – Bennion Jr High
- Tuesday, April 13, 2027 – Granite Education Center

Notes:
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Item 4: Fall Requirements Form Follow-up	**Speakers:**	**Time: 3:46**

- Fall Requirements Form Guide - sections 3 & 4 need to be completed before **October 20-Completed**

Notes:
- Done and approved!

Item 5: Review School Safety Information	**Speakers:**	**Time: 3:48**

ANNUAL SCHOOL SAFETY REPORT: Processes and steps the administration implements to provide a safe school environment, including a responsible and safe online experience for students.

This report by the principal should include data and information necessary to engage the school community

council in an annual discussion. Goals should be set to address the council's questions and concerns.

Notes:

- Recess has been better this year. We hired 2 recess aids to monitor the students during lunch recess. This has really helped to drop our recess issues this year compared to last year.
- Bark has been calm with only 4th and 5th graders able to use computers.
- Office referrals have been prominently SPED students, with a few general ed students. Looking at these cases to see if more supports need to be offered to these students.

Item 6: Training Videos	**Speakers:**	**Time: 4:00**

- Creating A Plan - SCC

Notes:

- Training video on SMART Goals

Item 7: STEMfest Updates	**Speakers:**	**Time: 4:05**

November 18th 5:00-7:00 PM
Aleshia working on the map
4th and 5th grader have individual STEM projects
5th grade in gym
4th grade in lunchroom
Star dome - ticket needed - time specific - pass out tickets in main common area
Garden/greenhouse
NASA
Cypress Credit Union
GTI
Telescopes
Delta
Use clickers to get a count of how many come

Family Nights

- SEP - Student Led SEPs (20 minute appointments) - Early release days on Wednesday and Thursday in February for the longer appointments
    - Literacy Night happening during SEP nights
- Math Night - April 21
- Project Crest - half the turnout as the RSVP - competing with the West Valley rec center free trunk or treat
    - The upcoming 6 classes will start looking a little different with a cap of 25 families for those events.
    - Open Project Crest Nights - dinner, parents go to gym for class. The students go to different classes and do activities to help with resiliency and other skills.
- Leader and Me has been recommended to start here at Armstrong. Discussing this with Leadership committee
- STEM schoolwide cohort - looking into this for the future. Discussing with STEM committee

Item 10: Open Forum?	**Speakers:**	**Time: 4:25**

- OPEN ENROLLMENT STARTS ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13! Spread the word!
- Halloween Parade - Amazing! Loved the longer, more spread out parent line
- December Christmas Sing Around for parents coming back this year!
- Using the spaces and tools here at Armstrong.
- Ms. Haylee has talked about maybe starting up Makers Space club in January.

- Garden club
- Ordered new, (user friendly) 3D printers
- Planted our orchard - Thanks to Tree Utah
- Trying to incentivize teachers to start up more clubs.
- STEM Redesignation
- Gifted testing questions

Item:	Motions:	Seconds:	Approved by:
October's minutes	Amanda Hadley	Dawn-Noel Aiono	unanimous
Motion to adjourn	Krista Dougal	Amanda Hadley	unanimous

Next Meeting: Tuesday, Dec 8, 2026 3:30 PM

Meeting Adjourn: