



SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL

Meeting Held: Thursday, Oct. 28, 2021, 9:30 a.m., Westside Professional Development Classroom

Members in Attendance: Lori Nielsen, Shannon Arroyo, Natalie Holden, Maida Rasmussen, Laurie Millar, Tessa Rodeback, Marci Smyth, Paola Posadas

Review & Approval of 2021-2022 Title 1 Parent & Family Engagement Policy: motion of approval by Natalie Holden; 2nd by Maida Rasmussen; unanimous approval

2021-2022 Trustlands Plan: the plan is available on the Westside website; starting in November we will review this plan as a council and begin making changes/updates for the 2022-2023 school year plan

2021-2022 Title 1 Plan: motion of approval by Marci Smyth; 2nd by Natalie Holden; unanimous approval

Nebo SCC Training Presentation: What is the Reading Achievement Plan mentioned in the presentation? What are the “parent opportunities” that should be posted on the website mentioned in the presentation? In the presentation, it states that the SCC should help “develop a child access routing plan”. Some parents were concerned about the Westside crossing guard leaving around 9:10 a.m. Could she possibly stay until at least 9:20 a.m. for late students? Shannon informed the council that the crossing guard is hired and paid by the city, but will ask Lori to look into the issue with the city.

Report from Nebo SCC District Meeting held on Oct. 20: Laurie Millar shared the following items discussed at the meeting: security at secondary schools; RISE scores were lower due to remote students; COVID cases spiking in Nebo – vaccines @ secondary schools has helped;

Other Concerns:

- Laurie asked for feedback about \$5 school shirts offered by PTA; council said that the price is great, but can the PTA do a 2nd order a month later for those who missed the first order? Laurie reminded the council that parents have the option to donate a shirt when they order and that is going well; Lori gives these to students as needed;
- Council had some suggestions for the Westside website
 - Parent Info Tab
 - Dress Code on website
 - Unable to see past posts on website
 - Calendar updated on website
 - FAQ's (Frequently Asked Questions) Tab – council will bring questions/ideas
 - Consistent Newsletter from Lori (weekly or monthly)

Meeting Adjourned

Next Meeting: Tuesday, Nov. 23, 2021, 9:30 a.m., Westside Professional Development Classroom

Westside Elementary will provide a safe and nurturing environment for all to learn, grow, and prepare for the future.