

JPJMS School Community Council Meeting Agenda
January 14, 2020
4:30 p.m.

Welcome

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Principal's Report: Student Discipline
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Adjourn

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Those in attendance: Jimmy Anderson, Shanna Anderson (Chair), Andrea Banks, Lisa Dean, Kira Hansen, Anjanette Jones, Elizabeth LeFevre, Tiffany Southworth (Vice-Chair), Jody Deland, Bryan Leggat, Patrice Shaffer (Secretary), Joshua Stott, and Derek Winder.

Called to Order: 4:38 p.m. by Shanna Anderson

1. **Welcome** by Shanna Anderson.
2. **Minutes from previous meeting (November 12, 2019) approved via email.** There are 12 voting members of the council; 11 approved the minutes and one offered no response.
3. **Celebrations and Latest News.**
 - a. Bryan Leggat explained that Amber Zdunich has been reassigned to the new middle School, Hidden Valley Middle, starting the beginning of second semester. He introduced Jody DeLand as the new Joel P. Jensen Middle School Assistant Principal, and had her share some things about herself.
 - b. Bryan explained new faculty changes in the Math Department. Mr. Scott is moving to Las Vegas at the beginning of the second semester. Mrs. Buers is in better health and will be taking Mr. Scott's classes. Caroline Lefler has been hired as a new math teacher. The math classes will be going back to smaller class sizes. Appreciation was given to Lisa Dean and Martine Demers, math aides, for their help with these classes.
 - c. Bryan explained adjustments to the RTI program. There will be more interesting "Your Choice" activities, more opportunities to learn a skill, more Ascend Math, and no hang out time. Suggestion was given to include service activities. Also, ideas were given to change the name from "Your Choice."

- d. "Man of the House" will be the school play. Auditions are today, January 14th, and call backs will be tomorrow.
 - e. Auditions are now taking place for the school talent show.
4. **Counseling Report** given by Derek Winder.
- a. The 8th Grade Plan for College and Career Readiness (PCCR) meetings are in progress and will go until the middle of February.
 - b. The 9th Grade PCCRs are not pushed as hard and will be happening in April.
 - c. Meeting with 6th grade parents will be held on February 5th.
 - d. Course selection for 7th and 8th graders will be given on February 26th and 27th through the Language Arts classes.
 - e. High School counselors will be coming to work with the 9th grade course selection in March.
 - f. Counselors are taking a more active participation in RTI starting second semester. Some of their plans include: guided meditation, Kahoot games focusing on college and stress management, and helping with Ascend Math.
5. **Principal's Report.**
- a. **Student Discipline.** Joshua Stott reviewed the protocol for tardies, dress code, bullying, and office referrals. He asked for feedback from the council. The insubordination form was brought up and discussed. Bryan indicated that he has asked that all discipline end with a positive. It was mentioned that not everyone will know the discipline of specific students due to privacy policy. Parents expressed appreciation that discipline is taken on a case by case basis.
 - b. **Accreditation.** Amber Zdunich is over accreditation and will be coming back on Fridays to help. Bryan Leggat read Amber's report. The accreditation site review will be April 23rd and 24th. The review will include review of programs and data, classroom observations, interview of faculty, staff, students and parents. Bryan explained that the school's focus from the last accreditation has been on Tier 1 instruction. Students will be taking evaluations on January 22 and 23. Parent evaluation requests will be sent via email and also through Skylert the last week of January. The community council was invited to participate in the parent stakeholder meeting on April 23rd at 2 pm in the Media Center. The accreditation committee would like to have as many parents as possible be part of this group interview.
6. **Trustlands Discussion and Possible Vote.** Bryan presented a slideshow giving an overview of the current year and 2021 needs in the areas of literacy, numeracy, academic success, technology, professional development and extension opportunities. He asked the council to give other ideas for the plan indicating that the ideas need to have something to do with student growth. Lisa Dean offered the idea of students participating in Math Competitions. Patrice Shaffer will send out the slideshow with the minutes. Bryan will also ask the teachers if they have suggestions for the plan.
7. **Calendar.** Joshua Stott provided a handout with upcoming event at Joel P. Jensen Middle School including:
- a. January 17th – End 2nd quarter
 - b. January 17th – Bagels and Books, 8:30 – 9:25 a.m.
 - c. January 20th – Martin Luther King Day, no school

- d. January 21st – Grade transmittal day, no school
 - e. January 30th – Talent Show Assembly, 8:15 a.m.
 - f. February 5th – 6th Grade Parent Night, 6-8 p.m.
 - g. February 12th – Student-Led Conferences, 3:30 – 7:30 p.m.
 - h. February 13th – Student-Led Conference, 3:30 – 7:00 p.m.
 - i. February 14th – Conference Compensatory Day, no school
 - j. February 17th – President’s Day, no school
 - k. March 10th – School Community Council Meeting, 4:30 p.m.
 - l. March 10th – Choir/Orchestra Concert, 6-7 p.m.
 - m. March 12th – Band Concert, 6-7 p.m.
 - n. March 27th – Man of the house play.
8. **Opportunity for Community Comments.**
- a. Question was brought up to check with Mrs. Hanks to see if she wants to alter the day of the Man of the House play since there will be no school on March 27th.
 - b. Books may be donated for the Bagles and Books event until Thursday, January 16th. Any extra books will be saved and given out at next year’s Literacy Night.
9. **Next meeting – March 10, 2020.**
10. **Adjourn. MOTION:** Lisa Dean moved to adjourn. It was seconded and approved.

Adjourned: 5:53 p.m.