

**JPJMS School Community Council Meeting Agenda**  
**November 10, 2020**  
**4:30 p.m.**

Welcome

Minutes from previous meeting (September 15) approved via email

Celebrations and Latest News

Counseling

Principal's Report:      Covid Update  
   Accreditation

Calendar

Opportunity for Community Comments

Next meeting – January 12

Adjourn

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**Those in attendance:** Jimmy Anderson, Shanna Anderson (Chair), Andrea Banks, Kira Hansen, Anjanette Jones, Elizabeth LeFevre, Nicole Simister, Tiffany Southworth (Vice-Chair), Barbara Young, Diane, Erin Brown, Jody DeLand, Abby Hart, Bryan Leggat, Tarri Madlung, Patrice Shaffer, and Joshua Stott.

**Call to Order at 4:35 p.m. by Shanna Anderson via Zoom**

1. **Welcome** by Shanna Anderson
2. **Minutes from previous meeting (September 15) approved via email.** There are 18 voting members of the council; 14 approved the minutes and 4 offered no response.
3. **Celebrations and Latest News by Bryan Leggat:**
  - a. Accreditation is almost done. Parents and Stakeholders will meet on November 11<sup>th</sup> and 9:20 a.m.
  - b. Shaoming Chen was given an Honored Staff Member award on Friday, November 6<sup>th</sup>. We applaud the efforts of all the custodial staff.
  - c. The school is now fully carpeted.
  - d. Our Panther of the Quarter Assembly will be held virtually in each classroom.
  - e. We celebrate the school counselors for their work shuffling student schedules at the quarter.
  - f. We celebrate exceptional students for their willingness to wear their masks and their flexibility when being quarantined. Students have been behaving very well.
  - g. We celebrate teachers and all they are trying to do to stay positive amid Covid challenges. Morale in education is low throughout the world.

**4. Counseling report by Erin Brown:**

- a. Counselors are prepping for their site review that will be coming up on December 17<sup>th</sup>.
- b. Counselors are working on 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Credit Recovery.
- c. The counselors are starting the 8<sup>th</sup> Grade PCCR's at the end of the month. Students will meet with counselors for 30 minutes. These meetings will take place during the day and on a couple of evenings. Parents are invited to attend. Question was asked on how counselors will be contacting online students for their PCCR's. Counselors are working out the details.
- d. Schedule changes will be made again at the beginning of 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter. Last quarter the counselors were able to accommodate all the students who wanted to change from online to in-school and vice versa.
- e. Bryan Leggat mentioned that our attendance rate is very low. Some parents who missed signing up their students for online school are choosing to keep their students home and having them work online. Mr. Leggat encourages those parents to have their students come in on Fridays to take tests, work on projects and get needed help.

**5. Principal's Report:**

- a. **Covid Update** was given by Joshua Stott.
  - i. There has been a lot of success at preventing quarantines because parents are keeping kids home when they are sick. It will become more difficult in winter.
  - ii. There have been 41 positive confirmed cases for this whole year. Not all have been at school; 381 students have been quarantined. Some more than 2 or 3 times.
  - iii. Appreciate the help of parents with their quarantined students.
  - iv. Having the students 1:1 with Chromebooks has helped. Thanks given to the School Community Council for the funding to get Chromebooks.
  - v. Joshua reviewed change in procedures for students to return to school.
  - vi. The School Board is meeting tonight to discuss middle schools closing because of Covid spike.
  - vii. Tiffany Southworth would like to know how teachers feel about closing school.
  - viii. Bryan Leggat asked for parent feedback on closing school. Discussion was held with many ideas including staying in school, keeping on current class schedule and taking roll if have to go online, and many others.
  - ix. Idea was given to have hot spots for students to have internet access. Bryan Leggat said he would contact West Jordan Middle School to see how their hot spots are working.
  - x. Bryan mentioned that if school goes online, he would like the teachers and students to have interaction. He would ask the support staff to help encourage students who are not logging in.

- b. **Accreditation.** We will know by Thursday on Accreditation.

6. **Calendar.** Joshua Stott sent email with school calendar dates. He asked to take note of Panther of Quarter Assembly, 2<sup>nd</sup> Picture Retake Day, Thanksgiving break, December Midterms, Panther Express, and It's a Wonderful Life radio presentation. We do not know about the Fine Art assembly.

7. **Opportunity for Community Comments.** Parents commented they keep their children home if they just say they are not feeling well that day. Mr. Leggat mentioned he would support students staying home.
8. **Next meeting – January 12, 2021**
9. **Adjourn. MOTION:** Andrea Banks moved “To adjourn the meeting.” It was seconded and approved.

**Adjourned 5:35 p.m.**