

JPJMS School Community Council Meeting Agenda 2/6/2024

In attendance:

Topics to discuss/review:

- Welcome
- JPJ Celebrations: Community center. PCCRs. 6th grade Rah Rah.
- JPJ News/Notes
 - Review year-to-date budget
 - Participate in an academic data discussion in relation to the current School LAND
 Trust Plan implementation and decide the academic needs to be addressed in
 the upcoming school year
 - Make recommendations to the principal about the Teacher and Student Success Act Plan (TSSA)
 - Internet safety assembly update
 - JPJ values
- Counselor's Report
- Community Comments:
- Calendar/Future meeting dates:

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In attendance: Jimmy Anderson, Shanna Anderson (Chair), Milly Astwood, Robert Briggs-Woodliff, Barbie Curtis, Lisa Dean, Kira Hansen (Vice-Chair), Cynthia Horrocks, Aaron Hunter (Principal), Karen Moore, Patrice Shaffer (Secretary) and Barbara Young.

Minutes. There are six voting members of the JPJMS School Community Council. All six approved the minutes of the JPJMS School Community Council Meeting held December 5, 2023.

Called to Order 4:30 p.m.



Topics to discuss/review:

1. **Welcome.** Everyone answered the question, "If you play a musical instrument, what one is it? If not, what instrument would you like to play?

2. JPJ Celebrations:

- a. Community Center. The Community Center is slowly filling the English classes. Wednesday nights is the most attended. Have had requests for classes on how to get a driver's license, birth certificates and citizenship. Will build the program on the needs of those attending.
- b. **PCCRs** were completed differently this year and liked the new structure. Student school registration was completed within a week. Sessions were completed during the day and in the evening. Slightly more parents participated this year than before.
- c. **6**th **Grade Rah Rah.** Had 6th grade students attend the school. Counselors also met with students at their school to help them register online. Parent Night was well attended.
- d. **JPJ Birthday Bash**. Karen Moore explained that the Birthday Bash will be held February 15th. Two magicians will be performing along with students. Each department will run games and provide prizes. JATC will be doing hair and nails. Police and Fire Department will attend. There will be free hotdogs and birthday cake. They will be having an 80's theme.

3. JPJ News/Notes

- a. Review year-to-date budget. Aaron Hunter reviewed the budget. A copy of the budget is located at the end of the agenda. There will be a possible \$2,000-\$3,000 surplus. Discussed needs of school and will finalize the budget at the next meeting.
- b. Participate in an academic data discussion in relation to the current School Land Trust Plan implementation and decide the academic needs to be addressed in the upcoming school year. Handout provided on Reading Plus Data. This program is helping students continue to make gains. Students will take their last benchmark in April. Discussed TSI (Targeted School Improvement) and felt the focus needs to be better support of the SPED, multilingual, multi-race and Hispanic/Latino sub groups. Cynthia Horrocks explained and led discussion on new Math Curriculum. The three math aides have been a big help. Discussed new efforts to improve vocabulary and using academic language. Will start focusing on two words a week. The ML aides have also been a big help.



- c. Make recommendations to the principal about the Teacher and Student Success Act Plan (TSSA). Aaron Hunter explained the three aspects of TSSA: academic coaching for teachers (currently have 2 coaches), professional development opportunities for teachers, and use of technology at school (i.e. Edficiency, Edgenuity, and chromebooks). He explained that Land Trust goals need to be specific while the TSSA goals can be looser. Aaron Hunter will send out an email threat that council members can respond to with TSSA budget ideas.
- d. Internet safety assembly update. Milly Astwood provided three handouts with Internet Safety information. She led discussion concerning what council members thought would be most important to cover in the assembly. She asked council members to let her know if they have any questions or ideas. The Internet Safety Assembly will be held February 22nd. An idea was given to have a student focus group preview the assembly. Suggestion was given to have the Administration hand out any swag.
- e. **JPJ values**. The finalized JPJ Values are: **Relationships** (we build, we repair, we maintain), **Learning** (we all can learn, we all are curious, we all can grow), **Perseverance** (we see it through).
- 4. Counselor's Report. Robert Briggs-Woodliff provided copies of the Counselor Newsletter (Issue 8 February 2024). He mentioned 6th & 8th grade PCCRs along with 7th grade course selection. He mentioned the counselors are trying to increase the SEL (social and emotion learning) by proving some after school social programs. Handout provided about the after-school soccer program starting Wednesday. They are looking at competing with West Jordan Middle School. Counselor Rob also mentioned they could use more adults to help. A suggestion was given to have Counselor Rob create a Google Doc that can be shared so parents can volunteer to help and sign up to provide other needed help. He mentioned that intermural basketball has been going well.
- 5. **Community Comments:** Lisa Dean mentioned the school board is looking at ideas for a district-wide cell phone policy. They are currently in a data gathering process. If you have suggestions, please send an email to your school board representative. Lisa is the school board member for our area.
- 6. Calendar/Future meeting dates:
 - a. February 8 Talent Show
 - b. February 13 Virtual Parent Teacher Conferences
 - c. February $15 3^{rd}$ quarter midterms
 - d. February 15 JPJMS 40th Birthday Bash
 - e. February 16 & 19 No School



- f. February 22 Internet Safety Assembly
- g. March 5 NAEP Testing
- h. March 8 Failing Notices
- i. March 12 Next Community Council Meeting

MOTION: Aaron Hunter motioned that meeting be adjourned. It was seconded and approved unanimously.

Adjourned 5:45 p.m.



Goal 1	Improve overall literacy of the school. Each student will rise literacy level by 1 grade level by the end of 2023-2024 school year. Improve achievement (schoolwide) of overall proficiency level in reading.	Planned expenditures: \$12,500 Renew Reading Plus software (\$12,500)
Goal 2	Students will average a 3 proficiency for the 2023-2024 school year. Students who do not average a 3 will and receive failing grades will recover their credit in credit recovery class (at a 75% rate).	Planned Expenditures: \$33,500 Intervention Assistants (1 @ \$12,500) Full-time Academic Assistant (1 @ \$26,000) Teacher Stipend (\$5,000)
Goal 3	Support and improve student proficiency rate and mastery in Math courses.	Planned Expenditures: \$20,000 Math Intervention Assistants or Math Aides (2 @ \$10,000 each; \$20,000 tot.)
Goal 4	Implement Research-based, Data-driven, Middle Level Best Practices.	Planned Expenditures: \$23,000 Fund Local & National Conference Admissions (est. \$6,000) Pay for substitutes for teachers (est. \$17,000)
Goal 5	Improve the services and support for our Multi Language Learners.	Planned Expenditures: \$24,000 1 ELD aide @ 25 hrs \$14,500; 1 ELD aide @ 17 hrs \$9,500.
		Expenditure Total: \$113,000 Estimated Budget: \$114,756.93