School Community Council minutes

Cherry Creek Elementary

2020-2021

Date: Tuesday, November 10, 2020

Members:

- Kate Kubina, Parent
- Tabitha Pacheco-Parent
- Glen Mathew Bass-Parent
- Rosalee Dougal-Parent
- Amy Darrington-Principal
- Jen Baldwin-Teacher Representative
- Bethany Clark-Teacher Representative, Facilitator

Agenda Items

- Welcome-
- Safety Training Video-

Health and Safety requirements

We focus on the Trust Lands plan as well as the safety plan.

Why? To address issues at schools. We provide input for the plan that the principal prepares.

Three issues from the legislature:

- 1.) Digital citizenship
- 2.) Keeping students safe when using technology
- 3.) Positive behaviors

If councils are involved, we discuss what can we do that is meaningful.

- We (the council) look at reports and information, so we are ready to have a discussion showing us gaps of concern. We will prepare a plan and put a plan into action. These are the requirements and the law that we must complete for our school.
- Annual training needs to be provided for students each year on internet safety. Parental training materials will be given to support their children with safe internet usage.
- A safety plan is required for the school to complete and implement.

Safety areas of concern:

- Parking lots
- Drop off/ pick-up
- Getting students to and from school safely
- Playgrounds
- Teacher concerns: bullying, internet interaction (bullying online predators) support from home?

Plans should be in place before the winter recess.

• PBIS System: Behavior Plan and Reward System-

Discussion on Discipline and Referrals

- Level 1- Incidental violations (Non-Referred/Teacher Documented)
- Level 2- Minor violations (Non-Referred/ Teacher Documented)
- Level 3- Principal managed behaviors (Referred to the office)

Level 4-Illegal violations (Referred/Office Documented)

- We discussed where bullying or harassment would fall especially if it is of a sexual nature. That would be an illegal level 4 violation, the law would become involved, and the student would be suspended.
- Would the student have access to online learning at this time? Yes, they would have access now that we have online learning available.

Rewards for positive behavior:

Croc Claws

The student earns a Croc Claw and small reward when living the seven habits. We are working toward handing out three Croc Claws per child this year (1,400 school-wide Croc Claw goal this year)

The school is also handing out Croc Cash as a reward. They turn in their cash for classroom or school rewards.

Two or less tickets per term. The students will be able to participate in a school-wide reward activity.

Safe routes walking plan. We have a plan in place for the safe routes already because the plan was created during the summer.

Questions or Other Items of Business-

- Discussion about nurses who are available and substitute teachers who are available during Covid-19. There is a need for more. However,

the school district is trying to provide more substitute teachers for the district.

 Next time we meet we will write the goals for the new Trust Lands plan.

SCC Rules of Order: Cherry Creek School Community Council Rules of Order 2020-2021

- 1. Monthly meetings will generally be held the first Tuesday of each month at 4:00 pm during the school year in the conference room.
- 2. Council members are expected to be in attendance at each meeting. If circumstances do not permit attendance the council member will contact the council chairman, vice-chairman, or facilitator in advance of the meeting.
- 3. Meetings will be held to one hour whenever possible.
- 4. The council chairperson conducts the meetings.
- 5. The facilitator will prepare an agenda for each meeting after consulting with the chairman and principal.
- 6. The facilitator will post the meeting agenda and minutes from previous meeting on the school website one week in advance of the meeting.
- 7. Each council member will be given opportunity to express ideas and opinions without fear of personal criticism. Each member will treat every other member with respect and make an honest effort to understand other's points of view. The council will strive to reach consensus on decisions.
- 8. All votes will be taken as a counted vote.
- 9. Visitors will be allowed if approved by principal. Visitors will be given a maximum of 5 minutes to present.