

Minutes of the Corner Canyon High School Community Council Meeting held October 6, 2016, in the Administrative Conference Room.

Present: Malisa Bowen, Heather Burton, Kelli Davey, Donna Dawson, Wayne Dittmore, Daniela Dulger, Bruce Eschler – Asst. Principal, Heidi Grimshaw, Darrell Jensen – Principal, Melanie Knaphus, Kimberly Miller, Kathryn Myers, Robin Perry, Brenda Staples, Cherstyn Stockwell, and Jan Williams.

Excused: Susan Edwards, Kristin Kelly, Lisa McDonald, Britt Thompson, and Amy Zaharis.

Staff: Allyson Hanks - Counselor and Kathy Hilton

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I. Welcome

Heather Burton – Chair, called the meeting to order at 5:03PM. She welcomed and thanked the members for taking the time to attend the meeting.

II. SCC Business

a. Review of the Minutes – Kathy Hilton

The minutes were review by the SCC.

Motion: Wayne Dittmore made the motion to accept the minutes of September 15, 2016. The motion was seconded by Kimberly Miller.

Vote: 16 – 0

III. Counseling Corner – Allyson Hanks

Allyson Hanks handed out a copy of the “Senior Silver Star” to each of the SCC members. She explained that this was handed out to all seniors in their English class with announcements and information for the students and their parents. “Free Application for Federal Student Aid,” (FAFSA) is one of the items discussed in the newsletter. This is an application which needs to be submitted so students may apply for money to pay for college. It is very important that all seniors fill out this form even if you have a full ride scholarship. It may help cover unexpected expenses.

The Career Fair will be held October 7, 2016. The students will go to their first period class and they will have 3 speakers rotate through each classroom. If the teacher requested a speaker which would apply to their field of study, WBL (Work Base Learning) coordinator tried to accommodate their request.

College Night will be held for sophomores and juniors on November 10, 2016. University of Utah will have a presenter, an admissions counselor, to give an insider’s perspective on what you need to know as you look toward your future and make choices for college; also a representative from Regents will make a presentation on how to prepare to receive the Regents Scholarship.

Utah College Application Week (UCAW) is November 7-11, 2016. All seniors will have the

opportunity to complete a college application during the school day. Please remind your students of this event.

IV. Principal / Vice Principal Items –

a. Trust Lands Reports – Bruce Eschler

Bruce Eschler handed out a CCHS SCC Land Trust Expense 2015 – 2016 Review. He went over the handout and answered questions. A parent asked about the CREW program and if this program was of benefit to our students. Mr. Eschler informed the SCC that all students have improved at least 6% and some as much as 30% with the help of the CREW Program. He also informed the SCC that the school Trust Land Budget will have approximately \$25,000.00 more for the school year 2016 -2017.

V. SCC Discussion Items (if time allows)

a. Honor Cords – Kathryn Myers

Kathryn was concerned with the many different requirements for Honor Cords at CCHS. She was concerned that many of the honor cord requirements are very obtainable, yet some honor cord requirements are only obtainable for a few students. Mr. Jensen said he would look over the different requirements for all of the honor cords offered to students and discuss the requirements with the advisors.

b. Jostens Assemblies – Heather Burton

Heather was concerned about the Jostens meeting held with students. If the parents were in attendance they asked the students to move as a group to an area in the auditorium away from their parents and gave presentations to the students and parents separately. She feels Jostens has a captive audience and they use a high pressure sales pitch. The SCC discussed her concerns and many parents felt the same way. The parents would like the process streamlined and suggested a sky alert be sent out to parent with a web site parents could order their student's cap and gown, and any extra items they or their student may wish to purchase.

c. Status of Subcommittee on Building Capacity and Enrollment

Heather asked the SCC if there was a need for this subcommittee. Was the purpose and goal of the committee still a concern? The SCC discussed the pros and cons of having the committee and if there a need at this time for the committee. After much discussion motion was made.

Motion: Kimberly Miller made the motion to table the committee for 3 months and then discuss if the Committee was still needed at that time. The motion was seconded by Daniela Dulger.

Vote: 15 – Yes

1 – Opposed (Donna Dawson)

VI. Adjourn by 6:00pm – Next Meeting: Thursday, November 3, 2016 @ 5:00pm

Motion: Robyn Perry made the motion to adjourn. Kathryn Myers seconded the motion.

Vote: 16 – 0

Meeting adjourned at 6:00pm.

