

## **Spring Creek Middle School Community Council Meeting Minutes**

### **February 12, 2025**

**Members in Attendance:** Camaron Ortiz, Andrew Rasmussen, Amy Jackson, Miriam Karbasi, Blair Powell, Thayne Weston, and Jonathan Marchant.

**Others:** Randall Bagley, Andy Lund, and Connie Naylor.

**Conducting:** Camaron Ortiz

The meeting was started with a welcome and review of the upcoming calendar.

#### **School Calendar:**

- 2/10 – 2/14 - HELP Week (Kindness & Service)
- 2/11 - 8th Grade Registration Presentation (7th Grade Science classes)
- 2/12 - Special Olympics Basketball (9:00 AM – 12:00 PM)
- 2/13 - 9th Grade Registration Presentation (8th Grade Science classes)
- 2/17 - President's Day (No School)
- 2/19 - Talent Show (Adjusted Assembly Schedule)
- 2/20 - Art Show Open House (6:00 PM – 8:00 PM)
- 2/25 - 7th Grade "No Tardy" Party
- 2/26 - 8th Grade "No Tardy" Party
- 2/25 - Choir Concert (6:00 PM)
- 2/27 - Last Day of 2nd Trimester
- 2/27 - Orchestra Concert (6:00 PM Green Canyon High School)
- 2/28 - Trimester Transition Day (No School for Students)
- 3/3 - 3/7 - Inclusion Week
- 3/5 - Be the Difference Assembly
- 3/7 - Report Cards Handed Out
- 3/7 - Battle of the Books Competition Assembly
- 3/10 - 3/12 - 6th Grade School Tours
- 3/12 - Young Writers & Artists Fest @ USU
- 3/12 - Next School Community Council Meeting

#### **District Items:**

Randall Bagley shared the "New Schools Timeline Proposal". New School Principals for 26-27 will be named in the next couple months.

#### **Construction Updates:**

- Hyde Park's middle school:
  - Many of the walls are up, and all floor slabs have been poured for the second floor. The drywall framing is done, and our electricians are beginning their work. We are currently two months ahead of schedule!
- Nibley's middle school:
  - The north wall is complete, and the front walls are progressing. The second floor steel decking and structural support insertions are underway. The kitchen slabs have been poured, and other second-floor components are beginning installment.

**Changes in School Fees:** Randall informed the committee that the state has passed a law where schools cannot charge for certain fees. The district has to figure out how to absorb the funding. More information will be provided at a later date.

#### **School Items:**

##### **PBIS and SOAR, Jonathan Marchant**

Jonathan presented a slide presentation showing PBIS, (Positive Behavior Intervention & Support). SOAR, (Self Control, On Task, Achievement, & Respect). This is a pyramid management system in which the focus is on positive reinforcement for students.

### **Be the Difference, Blair Powell**

Blair shared how the students receive SOAR cards during the trimester for positive actions. Every trimester they have a reward and assembly. This assembly focuses on kindness, being the difference, and positivity. He expressed how SOAR learning and behavior are intertwined.

### **Trustlands, Blair Powell**

Principal Powell, handed out the "Proposal for 2024-25 Trustlands Plan".

Looking at the data, improvement could be better. There were conversations between council members with suggestions. **All Items were tabled until the next meeting.** Camaron Ortiz suggested the council move to online collaboration.

Greatest Need

ELA Proficiency

Growth of Lowest 25%

Progress of English Language Learners

Plan Draft Proposal

Safe Technology & Digital Citizenship:

Other Items:

Meeting adjourned.