

School Council Meeting Minutes - 8/29/22

Virtual meeting called to order at 2:32pm.

Mrs. Molzhon: Welcome and thank you for being on the committee. Introductions by all: Melissa Molzhon, Katie Hansen, Matt Lersch, Kelsey Seitzberg, Michael Bernardino, Sandra Cabrera, Nadine Gray, Brissa Castillo, Patrick Cogan, Susi Votruba, Erica Hofman (joined after introductions), and Jean Kenney. Absent: Kathy McDonald.

Mrs. Molzhon went through "School Councils: Making Shared Decisions" Power Point.

First order of business: "Approval of Use of Tax Credit Monies for 2022-2023" Motion was made and seconded to approve. Approval document to be signed by all and returned to Jean.

Meeting dates reviewed. Last Mondays of the month except otherwise noted.

School Council members: We need 1 more teacher and 1 more parent. Please advise if you know of someone who would like to serve.

30th Anniversary: We had our first meeting. We have a logo and slogan: "30 Years of Rattler Pride" We are creating a website and alumni lists and will start pushing information out to Social Media. We are planning 4 big events: Homecoming, Hoopcoming, Spring Carnival, and possible Theatre production with alumni. STUGO is working on concrete NCHS letters.

Matt Lersch: Freshmen Connection: New foundational course that was approved by the Board last year. We have 3 classes with approximately 70 students. Purpose is to ease onboarding and get used to high school. Worked on with middle schools and got info on which students would benefit from the program. Some signed up on own. 2nd semester, it is dual enrollment with Rio Solado and students will get 1 college credit for free. Program was aligned with similar community credit class.

Class will hopefully ease transition to high school. Will monitor how they do compared with others who were not in school past students. Will monitor over time. Developing skills on being successful.

Sandra visited class. It was great. Loved connecting with students. More focused on being a fellow student. That kept their attention. Encouraged them to be involved and to push themselves

Matt: Older students will mentor younger students. Junior and Seniors will go into classes of underclassmen. Creating community building experience. Using Rattler Crew to help. Hoping for a successful first year and ultimately successful four years.

Katie Hansen: Flex: Implementing new program every Tuesday and Thursday. Classes are 7 minutes shorter. 40 minutes for students to do site based activities like study skills, SEL activities, travel to other teachers. Later will include clubs and activities. Used to get support needed: ACT, college and career; all during school day. Program will be rolled out tomorrow during staff meeting. Helps students move towards whatever their goal is.

Student report: Busy with STUGO activities: making posters and getting ready for first assembly on Friday. Also the first football game. Everyone is excited for football and all sports' seasons. Also for spirit days.

Blood drive on 9/21. Need help with getting broader off campus community members involved.

Mrs. Molzhon: We had lots of spirit last week. Good job with NCHS community. Social Media is looking good. Had all Freshmen link into Snake Zone during Freshmen meetings.

UPC: No report. First meeting was mostly going over budget.

Mrs. Molzhon: We had an amazing start to the year. It's night and day compared to last year. Looking forward to a year of learning. Friday is first football game and tomorrow is first volleyball game.

Meeting adjourned at 3:05pm