

Quail Run School Site Council 3/4/2020 Meeting Notes:

Called to order at 3:03. Approval of minutes from February

Budget snapshot: looking at Budget supplies: Site funds: General supplies need to be separated out at the office level versus general level. It was a best guess as it is a new procedure. Looking at decreasing and increasing grade level funds. These funds go back to district if we don't use it.

Principal's report: family first week will be during conference week. Working on letter to get sent out when completed. Activities throughout the week for families. Any of the schools can go to any activities at any of the schools.

Board presentation by Mimi on March 24th. All invited. What our programs are here, test scores, etc. This year the focus is Socio-emotional growth. Montair brought their mascot. We will wear our heart shirts or spirit wear to that meeting. Classified employee of the year for Andy. He will be honored at the board meeting.

Going to Japanese American Museum on April 25th and all are welcome. We'll be there at 10:30 prior to it opening to the whole staff.

Courageous Conversations tomorrow night as well.

School Plan for Student Achievement: What's the plan for new staff? Doing similar PD to help support new staff. Absenteeism: how is that going? It's being addressed at the district level. Not only is it ok for kiddos to miss so much, but it is a financial burden to the district. Push to recoup money from people going on vacation. Push for reminding parents kids need to be in school. Also identifying which kids are regularly absent or tardy. Why does the state take away money for each absent kid, when the classroom work doesn't change, and in fact teachers do more work making up the missed learning for those students.

Goal 2: about math and students with disabilities: what's new? Smart goals around items, this year around the CAASP scores, and identifying where the big gaps are. Sending paras to do more with math manipulatives to work with small groups. 2nd grade trained as well. Third grade also had Math TSA come to help with training. Stable Paras from the district.

Question about the starred scores from 17-18 years on the ELPAC scores because the amounts don't add up to 100%. Mimi is contacting the coordinator to help.

Motion for approval for SPSA? Joan makes a motion to approve it, and Dawn seconds. All agree to approve.

Public Comment: Mr. Bennett. Have parents complained about the lack of nurses or councilors or is it just the union asking for it. Mimi says she doesn't think parents have the awareness to know to ask or to speak up about it. Why are parents being by passed in this discussion. Parents at the mercy of two groups battling it out. Parents feel that district communication is confusing, redundant, frequent and very one way. PTA council says they need to stay neutral.

Coronavirus news? No news yet about what further moves for the contra costa case. If parents want to keep their kids home it'll be considered an excused absence, but to email Mimi for her to respond.

Meeting Adjourned: 3:55 Next Meeting April 15th? Agreed.