

**Jordan High School Community Council Agenda**  
**Thursday, September 6, 2018**  
**6:00 p.m. Centennial Room**

- 1) Welcome and Introductions Randy Johnson
- a) Attendees: Randy Johnson, Bryn Cook, Mallory Record, Marian Gladbach, Laurel Harris, Rebecca Cowdell, Ryan Durant, Chris Gardner, Scott Lloyd, Troy Tait, Amy Bryant, Denice Hyer, Pam, Wendy Dau, Melissa Baker,
  - b) Nominations for President - Randy Johnson; Vice Chair - Rebecca Cowdell; council voted on each position separately. Vote was unanimous in support of both individuals.
  - c) Minutes from May meeting - minutes approved unanimously.

2) State of the School

- a) Successes Wendy Dau
- i) Senior Exit Survey Data - all graduating seniors - question examples:  
How well did school prepare you? Did you feel safe at school? Etc. 92% response rate - highest in District -  
85% of students feel like they have an adult they can go to  
Still have 15% of students who do not have an adult they can go to  
54% of seniors believe that students are free from bullying and harassment
  - ii) AP Data
    - Overall School Passage Rate 62%
    - Going to pull data on number of students enrolled in comparison to number of students taking the test.
    - Different factors go into the passage rate of different tests - ie Calc vs AP History
    - Concurrent Enrollment more attractive option - guaranteed credit
    - AP Classes are more rigorous , colleges can decide how/if they accept the credit
    - Want kids to feel safe to take the challenge of taking an AP Course

Suggestions

- Teachers who do reviews want students to pass.
- If students knew teachers had their backs, help students maintain GPA with more rigor, more students would take courses.

- How many students take AP courses 9th grade and then do not take classes after their freshman year? This is question that we need to answer.

b) Challenges

i) Mental Health of Students

- Many students have anxiety
- Many students have reduced schedules due to their anxiety
- 2 Social Workers
- Extra Counselor
- Full time Psychologist
- Social workers are starting groups to help students manage anxiety

ii) Respect for One Another

- Students self report that students do not show respect for one another at school, particularly in unsupervised areas.
- Students are having to complete online modules for different behavior rather than just being sent to the office. Students have to do a reflection and be re-introduced to class.
- New rules - Fines assessed to students for fighting, drugs, weapons.
- Canyons Family Center created classes for students who engage in such behavior
- Consideration will be taken when students are actively trying to remove themselves from the situation - Fight as opposed to someone who retaliates.

iii) "It's Good Enough" Mentality

- Need more school spirit
- What motivates students to attend events?
- Ask kids, what would make it more exciting for them to attend events?
  - Picking random kids - what are your thoughts on how to get involved ? Make it more more personal, make them feel like we care about them.
  - Representative from all clubs

SCC Led - finding students and helping them get involved; Wendy will work with Troy to plan a lunch with SCC to figure out what we can do to get more kids involved in school activities and to help them feel more connected to the school.

Students of less popular sports don't feel the need to support sports when those athletes do not support their sport

Other teams should do service for other teams or other groups/clubs in the school.

Need to learn that everyone is the same. We are ALL Beetdiggers

Incorporate PBIS for kids attending events

Punch Card - attend a school event rather than going to Attendance School

Need to be more aware as a faculty when students do good things.

Recognizing students who are not always persons who get recognized.

Random Act - Pass it on

JHS Shoutouts

- c) Trust Lands Plan & Budget 2018-2019
  - Psychologist is not being billed out of Land Trusts - needs to be fixed
  - Will keep running total
  - Some money will be pulled for Read 180- \$66,000 for program. - pull about \$25k from Trust Lands budget.
  - Several students have tested out of Reading.
  - ELD and AVID funded through Trust Lands
  - ½ of Counselor funded through Trust Lands
  
- d) School Safety Plan:
  - i) Fire Drill occurred earlier this week.
  - ii) In November, we will focus on lockdown and shelter in place, and staff will be specifically trained in September on what to do if an active shooter is in the building.
  
- 3) Spring Play Approval
  - Chris Gardner and Scott Lloyd volunteered to read play.
  - Expectation - Read play, review content, report on whether you would recommend play.
  - Not on District Approved List - going through process to get approved.
  
- 4) SCC Training Dates (Handout given)
  - SCC 101 - New Members
  - Other members take other course
  - Required for Randy and Wendy
  - Recommend going
  
- 5) Meeting Schedule for 2018-2019 (Handout given)
  - 6pm Start time is ok,

No meeting in December

2 meetings in March - Finalize Land Trust Plan - Skip meeting in April

6) Parent Questions and/or Concerns

Mallory Record motion to adjourn.

All in favor.