



Payson High School
School Community Council Minutes
November 7, 2017

*RaShel Shepherd

*Tona Graff

*Carma Heimuli (PTA)

*Jesse Sorenson (NV)

**In attendance*

*Sheila Lotz

*Jason Slack

Tara Makin

Shelly Thompson

Scott Nielson

*Rachael Woolsey

*Marnae Kelly

WELCOME

Pledge of Allegiance

Jason Slack

Minutes Read and Accepted (Motion by Carma Heimuli, Seconded by RaShel Shepherd)

COMPREHENSIVE GUIDANCE

Sheila Lotz

Discussion about assembly given to students during College Application Week. The council discussed the pros and cons of making video that was shown by MTEch more visible to parents and students. Some of the pros included: discussion on topic of stackable credentials and certificate program, nice visual of pie chart demonstrating jobs concerning skilled technicians. Cons included that students need to be aware that MTECH is not an accredited program, difficulty in converting hours to credits, and length of video.

PRINCIPAL'S ITEMS

RaShel Shepherd

Dr. Shepherd discussed the reading/literacy comprehension program. This program includes:

- *Small group reading practice*
- *Benchmarking*
- *Timely Data*
- *Special Education Teacher co teaching with Regular Ed*

Mr. Sorensen discussed celebrations of term 1, which include:

- *Superintendent visit (complimentary about how engaged students were in class)*
- *242 students w/ 4.0, 864 students w/ 3.2 or higher, 960 students w/ 3.0 or higher*
- *3 pages of students w/ perfect attendance*
- *Decreased tardies by 600 in first term from last year*
- *1.6% of students receiving an I - indicating teachers willingness to work with students after the term*

TRUSTLANDS

2017-2018

Tona Graff

February - School will need to invest in Chromebooks

Ms. Graff gave an explanation of how Trustland Money is attached to each goal and how it can be spent by the school using "A Bucket Analogy", and she read through each of the goals for the 2017- 2018 school year.

OTHER ITEMS

Community Council Meeting - Tuesday, December 5th - 2:35 P.M. in Conf. Room

December meeting canceled (4 members voted no, 2 members voted yes, 4 members voted either way). This vote was conducted over email since the members wanted information about when goals needed to be submitted before they made their decision (March 23rd is the submission date).

Community Council Meeting - Tuesday, January 2nd - 2:35 P.M. in Conf. Room