



Canyon Ridge School
Site Council Meeting Minutes
August 31, 2020
Meeting One via ZOOM

1. Introduction of members and election of the council chair

Elected Site Council members for this academic year: Michele Caruso, Ann Mitchell, Melissa Bennett, Christopher Raso, Andrew Griesel, Jill Hoppe. All members were present except Melissa Bennett. She voted on materials remotely. Principal Jill Hoppe nominated Christopher Raso to serve as Site Council Chair. The council voted unanimously in support of the motion. Raso thanked the council for their support and proceeded with the agenda.

2. Discussion and adoption of by-laws and collaborative norms

Proposed Site Council by laws were adopted as written and will appear on the Canyon Ridge website by September 2, 2020.

3. Balance of tax expenditures by category

**School May Designate \$ 10,428.56
Athletics \$ 4,434.06
Fine Arts \$ 5,494.74
Enrichment \$ 4,746.00**

C. Raso stated that these balances reflected current circumstances as of September 1, 2020. The numbers are aligned with balances posted in our last meeting and minus encumbrances and purchasers since that time.

4. “Virtual options” for a revised teacher compensation policy

After much discussion the Site Council concurred that our annual teacher compensation policy should be revised to include options for virtual OR in- person extra -curricular activities. M. Caruso discussed the need to ensure that a back plan be provided by teachers; just in case in-person activities must revert back to remote learning and on line instruction. J. Hoppe and A. Griesel agreed with this idea and added that the district will need to be consulted regarding the scope of activities that will be allowed this year; due to Covid-19 concerns. Additionally, the Chair will submit a proposed revision to all members by September 2, 2020.

The council voted unanimously to adopt the tax credit application form.

5. Suggestions regarding fundraising and donations

Ann Mitchell stated a concern that social distancing and pandemic concerns could limit distribution of in- person tax credit forms this academic year. She suggested that some type of on-line or video based advertisement should be employed to boost tax credit donations this year. The chair will inquire regarding the possibility of posting the tax credit form on teacher sites, Schoology and producing a brief Dysart video to highlight CR Site Council efforts and funding

6. Call to the public for questions and comments

No additional questions were offered and the Site Council adjourned after thirty-five minutes of deliberations.

Meetings Minutes by
Christopher Raso
September 2, 2020