

School Community Council
October 17, 2016 4:00pm

Attendees: Brenda Anderson, Theresa Christensen, Chelsea Lewis, Anjanette Jones, Nicci Flores, Dayna Fuhriman, Susan Carr

1. The 2015-16 SCC Chairman moved from the school boundaries so we elected new chairman and vice chairman.
 - a. Dayna Fuhriman nominated Chelsea Lewis for chairman, it was seconded by Nicci Flores and unanimously approved.
 - b. Brenda Anderson nominated Dana Fuhriman for vice chairman, it was seconded by Theresa Christensen and unanimously approved.
2. The School Community Council video: Earning for Education was viewed by the members to learn where the land trust money is generated and how it can be used. We discussed the money allows for local school control.
3. Brenda Anderson shared Westvale's Land trust budget and how it is used for our students.
 - a. Additional assistants (Kindergarten, Take home library and Computer assistant)
 - b. Funds can be used for non-food school rewards and school supplies
4. Brenda Anderson proposed using some of the funds for afterschool tutoring in January and to purchase computers for the mobile labs--the council approved both expenditures.
5. A new budget will be set and discussed in the Spring 2017 SCC meeting.
6. SCC meetings were set for the remainder of the year. They will be held in the media center.
 - a. December 8, 2016 3:30pm
 - b. March 9, 2017 3:30pm
 - c. May 4, 2017 3:30pm
7. We discussed Halloween class parties will be held on Friday, October 28, 2016. Students are permitted to wear their costumes for their parties (no masks, weapons, etc.). PTA Skate Night is also on this day and students are encouraged to wear their costumes. Monday, October 31, 2016 will be a regular school day.
8. Dayna Fuhriman asked about the lunchroom. She stated she is discovering her children are struggling to eat in enough time. Brenda Anderson shared that once students are seated they have about 15 minutes to eat. They are given 20 minutes for recess and 20 minutes for lunch.
9. We will discuss the SCC fundraiser at the next meeting in December.

Meeting was adjourned at 4:50pm.

