

## Minutes from Kellond School Council Meeting

The Kellond School Council met in regular session on Tuesday, September 7, 2021.

The meeting was held via zoom

School Site Council **Members present:** Brenda Meneguín, Charlie Danella, Chelsea Bruce, Jennifer Dalton, Katharine North, Jenna Korsmo, Elizabeth Mendoza, Crystal Mendoza Dave Dominguez, and Brandi Green

The meeting was **called to order** at 5:15 p.m. by Charlie Danella, School Council facilitator.

- I. **Minutes from last School Council meeting** (August) were reviewed and approved as is.
- II. Call to the audience – Call to the audience was done.
- III. Reports
  - a. **Principal Report** – Brenda Meneguín gave Principal Report.
    - Still seeking Exceptional Education TAs. We only have 4 in our self contained Autism classroom but we need 6.
    - Pretest for TUSD benchmarks were taken already this year. Our pretests were above district averages in both ELA and Math across all grade levels.
    - Title 1 budgets to target supports as well as family engagement kids that are hands on for K-3 in both math and ELA.
    - ESSER funds we are moving forward to plan for tutoring and family nights for supports for families.
    - SEL training and conferences and other resources for teachers to implement and to be trained to allow for ongoing benefits for our students even after the ESSER funds run out.
    - Tax Credit undesignated funds
    - PBIS tours classes with their teacher reviewing expectations around the campus.
    - Meet and greet was successful:469 signed in for attendance.
    - Open House: 186 of our families signed in, but more attended.
    - Picture day is September 24
    - Garden Club is having a Saturday workday on September 25th.

- Grading day is on October 8th and is followed by Fall Break.

### **B. PTO Update**

- Second meeting Sep 7 at 6pm.
- Officially started the Cougar Calendar Fundraiser on 8/30. Hopefully all the teachers have passed out their calendars by now.
- First Cougars Night Out event at Wildkatz on 9/22, we will earn 20% of the sales from 3-8. We will be sending home reminder flyers for the kiddos. We are also in the process of updating our bylaws. A link to review the bylaws was posted on our social media sites and we will be reviewing changes and voting on approval at tonight's meeting.

**C. Student Council** - Will be sending out info early to mid Sept to classrooms to sign up for positions. Katharine North will be running student council this year. A report will be available at the next meeting.

- IV. Action Items** Principal Meneguín: Proposed moving \$6,000.00 from undesignated and designating it coaches and sponsors for clubs and sports.

Elizabeth Mendoza moved, and Jenna Korsmo seconded. Approved unanimously.

### **V. Discussion/information items**

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Suggestions:

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- Any presentations should be fun as well to get families to come back to school after the school day- Jenna Korsmo.
- Dave Dominguez- Movie Nights might help students to settle in more socially now that we are back to school.

### **VI. VII. New items for the next meeting's agenda**

None mentioned

- VII. Adjournment:** Chelsea Bruce motioned to adjourn; Jennifer Dalton seconded. Meeting adjourned at 5:42 p.m.

**VIII. Next meeting:** October 5, 2021, 5:00 p.m.

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