

Community Council Meeting
Minutes
November 29, 2016

1. Call to Order
Present: Anna Glazier, Valerie Donley, Bret Holmes, Kira Given, Lisa Gilstrap
a) Mr. Holmes moved that we accept the minute from the September 27, 2016 meeting, Mrs. Gilstrap seconded it. All were in favor.
2. Old Business a) review 2016-2017 Trust Land Expenditure report
-discussed expenditures to date, \$24,139 remaining in account
-discussed using budge to replace aging projectors as they go out, the new ones don't have bulbs that need to be replaced, decided to purchase reputable robotics program for younger grades K-2,
3. New Business b) begin to develop 2017-2018 Trust Land plan
- Mrs. Gilstrap discussed the desire to stay fresh and innovative- programming for younger students- classroom set of dash-dot robots \$2900 could use in the STEM rotations
-considering a programming after school club?
- Need to go to training/conferences to know what's available then make decisions that are reasonable and keep our focus. Mr. Holmes recommended going out of state for conference. Write the conference and travel into next year's plan. Possibly the ITEEAA conference in Atlanta April 12-14, 2018.
-Mrs. Gilstrap discussed the need to get the school's leadership team some of the great PLC training that is available, her capacity to pass along the information has been met, the team needs the information to continue our school's forward momentum. It will be addressed in the 2017-18 plan
-discussed Dream Box and the intent to review it annually to make sure it's the best option. Mr. Holmes suggested having students try some others and compare/contrast to Dream Box. One complaint of Dream Box is that the tutorials are difficult to follow.
4. Open Forum
- discussed a suggestion for robotics competitions- misbehaving students be disqualified in reference to some kids at our robotics tournament jumping on tables, etc. Mrs. Gilstrap will pass along to the coordinator.
-safety conversation, parking lot is still a huge concern, people driving fast and aggressively.
-how about solar flashing lights?