

(Minutes)
CVMS Community Council Meeting
November 13, 2017
3:30 in the School Library

1. **Call to Order** – *Principal Jensen*
 - a. Members Present: *Principal Jensen, Roma Brotherson, Ryan Hepworth, Jackie Weihing, Lynae Christensen, Lacey Faimalo, Brooke Peterson, Joyce Guymon, Stormee Bennett.*

2. **Pledge of Allegiance** – *Principal Jensen*

3. **Approval of previous meeting minutes** – Appendix A
 - a. Motion to approve previous meeting minutes: *Lynae, 2nd: Roma, all in favor*

4. **New Assignments at CVMS:**
 - a. Cathy Hansen works with our Spanish students to help them learn English.
 - b. Troy Suwyn is our new wrestling coach.

5. **New Business:**
 - a. **Land Trust Plan for 2018 – 2019**
 - i. Trackers (2) – Is this a good use of our funds? (*uses approx. \$20,000*)
 1. Each tracker hired with Land Trust money follows 10 students
 - ii. ALEKS / ST Math – Supplemental math program (*all students have access/ renew yearly. approx. \$2,500*)
 - iii. What ideas and suggestions will benefit our students? *Lynae inquired about Chromebooks, channel one, & a football scoreboard which Principal Jensen said cannot be purchased with Land Trust funds, monies have to be used for academic purposes only. We will look into Chromebooks.*

 - b. **6th Grade Transition** – (Roma, Jackie, Ryan)
 - i. 6th grade has struggled the most academically.
 - ii. Students are adjusting and doing well.
 (*Roma said it has been a positive experience, going great! Mrs. Jensen agreed, Jackie worked with 6th graders in her play and felt it went well. Ryan said they have a lot of energy to burn in between classes which is normal.*)

 - c. **New Intervention Classes** –
 - i. Math -
 1. Mrs. Jennings -
 - a. 7th Grade students that were behind in some basic math skills.
 - b. The class had 12 and we have had 2 test out.
 - ii. Reading -
 1. Mrs. Allred –
 - a. 6th and 7th Grade students that were behind in reading skills.
 - b. The class has 20 students. None have tested out yet, but it is possible.

d. Extensions / Interventions in Learning Strategies –

- i. 1st Session: Step Zumba, Dutch Oven Cooking, Robotics, Golf, Basketball Skills, Band / Chorus, and Drama (Halloween Plays).
Math Intervention, Language Arts Intervention, Science Intervention.
- ii. 2nd Session: Crochet, Western Reading & Movies, Engineering, Broadcasting, Tumbling, Roping, Robotics, Drama (Christmas Plays), Band / Chorus.
Math Intervention, Language Arts Intervention

e. Canyon View Instagram –

- i. canyon_view
- ii. It is used to keep students and parents informed of upcoming school events.
- iii. It is used to recognize students and school activities.

6. Follow up on Existing Programs:

a. Cougar PRIDE –

- i. Great response by students.
- ii. Positive support from sponsors.
- iii. Continue to encourage teachers to send more postcards.

b. Homework Lunch –

- i. Students with one or more F's are invited to have lunch and work on homework with the assistance of the aides.
- ii. 1st Quarter Failing Grades –
 1. 6th Grade: 7 students
 2. 7th Grade: 1 student
 3. 8th Grade: 0 students
- iii. Any student that wants or needs help with homework is always welcome.
- iv. The homework class seems to be helping.

c. Student Council – (Mr. Jensen & Mrs. Sitterud work with Student Council)

- i. Give morning announcements and lead the school in the Pledge of Allegiance
- ii. Intramural Volleyball at lunch
- iii. Sit with a new friend lunch

d. Keyless Entry –

- i. Has helped with the number of random people entering the building.
- ii. Coaches do not need keys. We set the doors to open for them.
- iii. Still some concerns.

e. CVMS Data – Mr. Hepworth

Bullying survey results:

59%- or 149 of our students have been bullied sometime.

25%-or 64 of our students say they have been bullied this year.

Where bullying takes place: at school

Type of bullying: verbal abuse=most common.

68%-students witnessed other students being bullied.

Reaction: majority helped.

52%-Told an adult.

7%-turned away like it was not their concern.

13%-25 students helped the bully.

Who would students tell about bullying-1st-Principal Jensen

2nd-parent or guardian

3rd- Roma

4th-teacher.

5th-friend

72%-or 181 of our students know what to do if they are bullied.

30%-are not sure how to act if they are being bullied.

Bullying decreases students get older.

Student Survey (given state-wide)

Have you used Utahfutures.org as a resource?

88.4% said, yes, they want to increase usage of Utahfutures.org

Are you able to schedule an appointment with your school counselor?

42% said, yes. 69% of parents said, yes.

When counselors make classroom presentations, which topics do you feel are most valuable?

Study skills-- students: 71% parents: 92%

Scholarship/financial aid--students:70% parents: 84%

College/Career info--students:67% parents: 100%

Self-esteem/self-confidence--students: 66% parents: 76%

ACT/SAT--students: 66% parents:100%

Relationships--students:61% parents: 84%

Suicide prevention--students:60% parents:84%

Internet safety--students: 60% parents: 72%

Stress Management--students: 50% parents: 92%

7. Extracurricular Update:

- a. Volleyball – League and Tournament Champs
- b. JV Volleyball – League Champs, 2nd in Tournament
- c. Dutch Oven Cook-off
- d. Ryan Stream Assembly – Very Great
- e. Combined Chorus Concert - Amazing
- f. Red Ribbon Week
- g. Halloween Plays
- h. Top Cat Party
- i. Wrestling
 - i. 2 wins so far – Mont Harmon and Helper
- j. Girls Basketball Tryouts
- k. Veteran’s Day Assembly

8. Input or Concerns:

Lacey: Attendance Policy; Do school activities count against participation points? Principal Jensen said they should not, the policy has changed, we can look at it.

Stormee: Do we have a buddy system in place? Principal Jensen said there is effort being made to assist in this process and shared examples. The student council members are getting involved as well, they just recently tried “sit with a new friend at lunch”

Joyce: Parent teacher Conference: Is it better for student to come with parents? It depends on the needs of the child. Principal Jensen said it is very beneficial for parents to attend regardless of

student's current grades. Mrs. Weighing prefers having the student come with the parent so everyone communicates together.

Extensions/Interventions in Learning Strategies suggestions; (These sessions are 6 weeks long during 8th hour with approx. 24 students)

Stormee: Soccer-planned for the spring.

Lanae: Cooking- dutch oven was a success.

Stormee: Helping others/kindness- Mr. Hepworth

Stormee: Home Health

Joyce: Clogging

Jackie: Social dance

Principal Jensen: Guitar lessons

Upcoming Events

November 6 – 8	CV Girls Basketball Tryouts at 6 am
November 7	Spy Hop Assembly at 2:15
November 9	Wrestling – Helper at CV at 3:30
November 10	Veteran’s Day Assembly at 11 am – Thank you Megan
November 13	Community Council at 3:30 in the Library
November 15	LaCaille Field Trip – FACS Club 8:15 – 4:30
November 15	CV Girls Basketball – Red & White Game at 6:30
November 16	Wrestling – San Rafael at CV @ 2:00 (We will get out to watch)
November 17	CV Girls Basketball Party at 5 pm
November 21	Wrestling – MH at CV @ 3:30
November 22	½ Day of School
November 23 – 24	No School – Thanksgiving Break
November 30	Wrestling – CV at Helper @ 3:30
December 4	½ Day for Students – Full Day for Teachers PLC
December 6	½ Day of School – Mid Term
December 7	Wrestling – CV at SR @ 1:30
December 11	Chorus Concert at EHS @ 7 pm
December 13	Wrestling Tournament at San Rafael
December 14	Christmas Band Concert at CVMS at 6:30 pm
December 20	Drama Performance for Parents at 6 pm
December 21	Drama Performance for School
December 21	½ Day of School
December 22 – Jan 1	No School – Christmas Break
January 2	School resumes
January 11	Basketball vs Green River
January 12	End of 2 nd Term – No School for Students – Full Day for Teachers PLC

Upcoming Community Council Meetings:

Monday, January 29, 2018 at 4:00 in the library

Monday, April 16, 2018 at 3:30 in the library

Motion to close made by Jackie, 2nd by Brooke with all in favor.