

SCC Meeting: Thursday, March 10th

Review of minutes - Approval of minutes as given in email

Gary Twitchell reviewed the March 7 professional development day. Thanks to Angela Webb for bringing parents. Parents were pleased with the groups' presentations.

Gary Twitchell brought up the question if we need representation from each of the elementary schools. The guidelines are that positions can't be limited by geographic area. We don't want more than the number of elementary schools, so there would be 12 positions, with 8 up for reelection.

Motion was made to cap the number of community members on SCC at 12. Motion carried.

Gary Twitchell stated that Trustland budget was bigger than expected.

\$90,000.00 for salaries and benefits. This includes buying preps, hiring trackers, credit recovery and money for professional development.

\$5,000 for supplies: mainly ACT prep supplies

\$74,000.00 on equipment.

Westlake has hired 5 interns. 1 in Art, Maria Dortch. 1 in Spanish, Halle Graves. 1 in Social Studies, Megan Fuller. 1 in English, Harley Moody - also coaches cross country. 1 in physics - not yet hired, still waiting on what Bennion is doing.

We did not hire a counseling intern, we took a "RIS" reduction in staff - from Summit. Jared Lanbatter.

We posted positions for all our staff who were on a 1-year contract and interns. We will be hiring the best person for the job - regardless if in-house or not.

4 PE

1 SPED - Self Contained

1 Art

1 Physics

1 Chemistry

1 Biology

3 Math

.5 French

1 Spanish

1 Chinese

3 Social Studies

1 Sport Psych

1 Robotics

1 English

The cabinet approved 2 10-room satellites

Items from members:

We have really great student body. During the last couple of weeks at competitions, our crowd was great. Also thanks for getting buses for the students to go up.

Musical is coming up at the end of the month. Suessical the musical - it will be great for kids. Last weekend in March

What is the possibility of changing the dates of prom and the location? Mr. Twitchell explained the reason for the state capital is the size of the venue. We need a large space. We did ask student council to push back the date. If we can't move the date, perhaps make sweethearts not formal, or move sweethearts earlier.

Concern on math teachers - on the upper levels. Students are choosing not to take certain math classes because of the teachers. Suggestion was made to have more teachers teach those classes to give students more choices.

Also a concern over the tightening of budgets for some of the clubs or organizations. Mr. Twitchell explained that many organizations have spent into the red. That will no longer be allowed. Money can't be spent until it is there.

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