

Nevada Union High School Site Council Agenda Approved Minutes  
Thursday, December 8, 2016  
Library Conference Room  
4:00 p.m.

Attending: Andy Burton, Megan Ross, Sherry Chargin, Alicia Brott, Katie Alling, Juney Bedayn, Nolan Clark, Nathan Potter, Nick Sims, Betsy Swann, Dan Frisella, Kelly Rhoden, June Gilfillan Tina Phillips, Kelly Rhoden

Welcome: Junie Bedayn, Chairperson

1. PUBLIC MEETING

- A. Call to Order 4:03
- B. Agenda (Consent Approval)
- C. Minutes of the November 10th, 2016 meeting - N Potter moved to approve, A Burton seconded. All consented.

2. PUBLIC FORUM

Invitation to members of the public to address the School Site Council with issues not on the agenda (non-action items which may be added to future agendas) - No members of the public present.

3. REPORTS

A. Students (student council, non-action item) - 8th grade visit went well, as did the Blood Drive last week and the canned food drive. Currently there is an Adopt-a-Family drive taking place. Eco NU talked to the District Facility Director about more hydration stations and getting more of those. Katie Alling recommended one be put in place outside the Ag. Shop.

B. Principal (non-action item) - Health Kids Survey is out and about and hopefully parents are taking that. Students have already taken the survey. Teachers also are being encouraged to take it. Ag. dept took on a Forestry Challenge event in Shasta and NU took first place and take first place in the pacing challenge as well. Small groups/department chairs worked on the WASC school goals plan last week. There were nine students that came to the NU Parent Club to talk about programs and clubs they were involved with. It was great to have those 8th grade parents and current high school parents hear what the students have to say. Chris McCombs was nominated and was one of one hundred students who won the honor of a student who had extensive behavior problems and has improved dramatically. This award was given by the Placer County Sheriff's Department.

C. WASC (Western Association of Schools and Colleges - non-action item) Alicia Brott: A lot of great brainstorming and sifting through information from the WASC subcommittees and made some recommendations for school goals. It was presented to the staff at the staff meeting yesterday and teachers were able to comment on the goals, offer revisions and suggest additional actions.

D. Site Council Survey Sub-Committee - Dan Frisella: Four people attended the morning meeting and looked at an existing survey being used with 12th graders. The survey is called Monitoring Youth. We discussed using the same components, items with our 10th graders. It will be necessary to embed some definitions (ie., instruction) so students are more informed when they are making their choices. Andy Burton suggested will drill down terms like "engagement".

4. Comments from Council members and public  
Alicia asked if there is any consideration for receiving REMIND app for receiving messages in lieu of getting the all-call. Discussion ensued about how many ways families are already receiving messages.
5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
  - A. Transition to a combined review process of WASC and Site Goals
6. NEW BUSINESS
  - A. Matching and revising Site Goals with Proposed New WASC goals - see above
  - B. Report Revisions
  - C. Outline Recommendations - Task is to look at the existing WASC plan and the proposed Schoolwide Action Plan and find the parallels or matching goals. Groups worked on aligning Schoolwide Action Plan goals and action with the online WASC goals and actions. Each one of five groups reported on what their recommendations were for revisions or additions. Goal 1 had one suggested addition. No additions or revisions to Goal 2. Goal 3 a revision to Task 2 was recommended. Goal 4 revisions and additions recommended included a revision to Task 2 to include examples. In general define PLC. Task 9 needs to be reworded. Task 10 added some additional clarity. Task 12 make an addition to the end of the task. Goal 5 group revised the main goal to increase clarity. Task 2 added some clarity. Task 4 some change in verbiage. Task 5 some revisions to text as well.

Health and well-being is an area of significant concern to all member of site council. Concerns about social media and concerns about confidentiality were discussed. Students don't have the ability to change their passwords.

Motion made to recommend revisions to the WASC document as noted above and in handwritten documents.

7. CLOSING
  - A. Confirm January 12, 2017 Meeting
  - B. Future agenda items
8. ADJOURNMENT - 5:40 p.m.