

Nevada Union High School Site Council Minutes-Unapproved
Thursday, November 12, 2020
4:00 p.m.

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Welcome: Kelly Rhoden, Principal

Minutes: Katie Alling

1. PUBLIC MEETING

A. Call to Order 4:04 by Kelly Rhoden

- i. Select volunteer secretary **for today-** Katie Alling
- ii. Introduce ourselves

B. Agenda (Consent Approval) K.Bardsley made the motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Nino Herrera. Motion carried.

C. [Minutes of the meeting: 9/17/2020](#) Nino made the motion to approve seconded B. Sanders motion passed.

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)

3. REPORTS

A. Students (student council, non-action item) Bryce gave a student report- Drive in movie was held. Looking at bigger screen and continue this event after COVID19. Student gifts have arrived, will be passed out next week- includes water bottle and masks.

B. Principal (non-action item) Principal Rhoden also attended movie- and students seemed to really enjoy it. A few issues with COVID19 and limited quarantine, but students are doing a good job with requirements. County is going into red next week, but we are still on. Worries about holidays and more exposure. There is some relief with being in a better rhythm after a start that was chaotic with fires and power outages.

C. WASC (Western Association of Schools and Colleges - non-action item) Passed our three year review. Continuing to work on action plan, but taking it at a modified (slower) pace due to all the extra COVID work. Rhoden is confident in the work we have been doing and that we will be on target at the next visit.

4. COMMENTS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS- None.

5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. Election Results:

Voting: September 23, 2020 @ back to school night

Results: September 24th Four parents volunteered to fill the four spots.
New parents, Karen, Nino. Returning parents Penny and Melissa.
Students: Emily, Patrick, Bryce and Katie.

6. NEW BUSINESS (Voting Items)

A. Elections for Site Council

Nominations were made, slate was presented as a whole and voted on-passed.

- Chair Katie LaValley
- Co-Chair Emily Bedell
- Secretary Patrick Farrell
- Parliamentarian Katie Alling

B. Amendment approval to SPSA report- Title I budget presented for both 2019/2020 and 2020/2021. Nevada Union has over 400 students that qualify as Title I- criteria based on Math and English scores and placement. Auditors wish to see the site council budget documented within the SPSA report. NU Site has full control over the Title I budget. Title I money is used for support personnel, a tutoring program, administrative, homeless youth.

- a. It was moved by Katie Alling and seconded by Melissa to endorse the action of integrating the 2019-2020 Title I budget into the SPSA Report. Passed via voice vote.

C. Parent Engagement Policy Development

- a. <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1VTyXCJnxGVv5xuskpoMibSqwKqxp2cmh/view?usp=sharing>

The Title I parent engagement document was presented to the council, ideas to include: be sure to include a zoom option as well as in person to increase parent attendance. Phone, email and paper invitations are already in place. An idea was suggested to include a parent/student survey to discover how effective the services are meeting their needs. Also a texting option with push notifications may be very useful since many of these families are struggling with internet connection. The discussion became focused on how school is going on distance learning in order to apply the perspective to Title I students.

6. CLOSING

- A. Next meeting date set for Thursday, December 10, 2020 (4:00 - 5:30 PM)

7. ADJOURNMENT 5:29pm