



Eastmark High School

Queen Creek Unified School District

EHS Site Council Meeting

Wednesday, October 20, 2021

Attendees

Paul Gagnon
Christine Murphy
Crystal Duncan
Debi Short
Alexa Mann
Aubrey Lindblom
Amy
Kenza
Ronda Peasel
Annette Davis
Chris Greenwood
Tammy Boley

Agenda

Call Meeting to Order:

- Aubrey Lindblom at 6:01 pm

Board Report:

- **Review Minutes:**
 1. Achievement Hour
 - Primarily for support in Math and ELA
 - Struggle this year with new data specialist, Let Mr. Gagnon know about issues
 - Lesson plans for teachers
 - based on formative assessments math one week ELA another week
 - teachers switch kids to support students for reteach
 - enrichment opportunities

- JH - Major Clarity for career and college guidance with slides and an activity in their account, 2 days a week additional math lessons, Daily Math Skills program
- HS - based on grade level, Major Clarity options, senior project, SAT prep for 9/10, Real life lesson: email etiquette, 11th grade have methodize for ACT prep, PSAT promotional PPT
- Graded on participation, reteach has opportunities to improve their grade for that subject
- exploring Ramsey Education for financial support

2. Athletics

- electronic payment only for games due to Covid, keeps cash from “walking away”
- accountability for number of people entering games

3. 2021-2022 Registration

- Teachers had to submit new course proposals, in review process currently
- New course guide approved at Nov board meeting
- Counselors go over options with students
 - 6,7 in November
 - 8-11 in January
- Need help to get parents to look at what students are signing up for and open to suggestions via email
 - Incoming 7th grade take paper home to choose classes and counselors import into Synergy
 - 7-11 current students have forms that are electronic and parents approve in a Google Form to approve course selection; use this to build a master schedule
 - Helps teachers know when contracts are released what they might be teaching next year
 - Question about 2 different family households with notifications and will look into that

4. Covid Update

- There are cases at the school, % of positivity is very low in terms of active cases, custodians are working hard to keep surfaces and rooms clean
- Communicate close contacts and are making tweaks to letter more specific to grade level

5. CAFÉ (Community and Family Engagement) Event: September 16, 2021
 - campus beautification meeting
 - beautify lobby to make more welcoming
6. Love Our Schools Day
 - October 23 in morning there will be activities for people to do
 - lobby beatification on this day
 - garden restoration, open to donations
 - Debi Short - Eastmark Firebird use colored gravel in place of plants

Motion to approve, 2nd Annette; approved

Principal Report:

- Paul Gagnon -
 - new directional cones in the parking lot for drop off
 - crossing guard starting for afternoon crossing
 - front office turnover, new staff for principal and athletic director admin assistants
 - new assistant principal
 - marketing teacher moving to computer science
 - new social studies teacher to relieve from 6/5
 - question about contact information, has been submitted to third party to update
 - new format for newsletter with flyers
 - canned food drive for family resource center holiday meals
 - future firebird night
 - veteran's day information
 - working to get counselors updated on website
 - Athletics: e-sports team, Varsity is #8 in the state, AIA sanctioned sport, scholarships available to college

Certified Staff Report:

- Chris Greenwood -
 - benchmark testing in a week for math and week and a half for English
 - [schmoop website](#) - common core as a resource for preparing for the benchmark
- Kenza
 - Foreign language to have common projects to have common grade books across department
- Duncan
 - reviews for benchmarks for math prepared by teachers

Support Staff Report:

- Debi Short -
 - Future firebird night November 4 6:30-8:00
 - course selections for incoming 7th graders, honors classes

- KMBE and JBE on Nov 12 presentations, bringing AVID students to discuss AVID program, yearbook and leadership applications given due by Nov 19
- Nov 15 SVE
- Nov 16 GPA
- Eastmark
 - Nov 17-19 to SS classes 7-8
 - Dec 6-10 HS classes
- Google Form registration for online registration
- GPA and SVE school visits to EHS coming
- Giving Tree - tags of students (anonymous) for needs for the holidays, donations for gift cards for the students, ~30 students

Student Council Report:

- NA

Old Business:

1. Bond Election: "Ballot by Mail"
 - a. Return ballot by mail no later than October 26th
 - b. Drop off ballot or vote in person no later than 7 pm on November 2nd
 - c. property valuations will increase
 - i. Dr. Strom will be asked about this and an answer will be reported
2. Love Our Schools Day: Saturday, October 23rd from 8 – 11 am
 - a. Sign Up Genius online
 - b. Opportunities: Facilities & Design, Motivational & Lettering, Teacher Appreciation
 - i. lettering for front office, gym, enter, exit, etc.
 - ii. Italian ice for volunteers toward the end of the time frame

New Business:

- Future Firebirds Night: Thursday, November 4th from 6 – 7:30 pm
 - annual kick off to registration
 - JH student council and link crew
 - no separate night for HS
 - Request: Site Council Voting Member attend
 - Annette Davis to attend
- 2021-2022 New Curriculum Review and Approval

- CNA Nursing Assisting
 - A Foundation in Caregiving text 978-1-60425-124-1
 - A Foundation in Caregiving workbook 978-1-60425-122-7
- English AP Lang & Composition:
 - Devil in the White City 978-0375725609
 - In Cold Blood 978-1617204555
- English Honors ELA 10
 - Medea 979-8547197321
- English AP Lit
 - Kite Runner 978-1594631931
- Social Studies AP World
 - AP World History Modern 978-1531129163
- Send questions to Mr. Gagnon or Mr. Greenwood about above books for next meeting to approve the books
- 2021-2022 Course Offerings: JH and HS
 - New courses (Crismon High will have some and EHS will have others)
 - Architectural Drafting
 - Automation and Robotics
 - Business Mgmt Crismon HS
 - Construction Tech Crismon HS
 - Culinary QCHS
 - Education Professions QCHS
 - Early Childhood Center EHS for in the coming year or two
 - Interior Design Crismon HS
 - Medical Assisting
 - Veterinary Assistant Crismon HS
 - Acting for Life QCHS
 - AP Art Studio All 3 Schools
 - Mens Choir All 3 schools
 - Revisions

- AP WH will be 10+
 - Honors Ancient Civ
 - AP Chem
 - AP Bio
 - Co-Ed PE 1 semester vs. 1 year
 - Team Sports: Advanced and Basic offerings
 - English and Marketing descriptions
 - Computer Science take out AP
- O JH courses for Crismon HS
- Career pathways exploration
 - Future health professionals
 - drama 2
 - journalism 2
 - PE girls 7 & 8
 - Fitness weights girls
 - advanced dance
 - guitar 2 year long
 - math lab year long remediation
 - reading lab year long remediation
 - advanced robotics (Debi additional information)

Call to Public:

Frosh team - froshsoph team is combined by AIA, programs weren't filling a full JV schedule, combined teams to allow for more ability to play

Were the Tik Tok Challenges happening? soap dispensers were damaged but those accountable were caught and offered consequences. Mesa PD put out an alert to parents as well.

Is the lunch room getting better? Some days are better than others. Table leaders to remind classmates to clean up after themselves.

Notes

Action Items

Next Meeting Agenda Items

Next meeting will be: November 17, 2021 at 6:00 pm

Motion to adjourn by Alexa second by Debi, unanimous

Meeting adjourned at: 6:54 pm