

Woods Cross High School Community Council

Meeting Minutes from January 11, 2023

Woods Cross High School held its Community Council Meeting January 11, 2023, at 2:30 p.m. This meeting was held in person and via zoom.

Members in attendance were Deanne Kapetanov, Tess Larsen, Melissa Atwood, Jack Hattaway, Suzette Jackson, and Kristi Burgess. Kelly Jones and Julie Keddington were on Zoom.

Charlotte Ita'aheau, Jay Ertman, Cassandra Judd and Connie Bolkeim were absent. Also, in attendance were Char Mills, Amy Williams, Liam Hendricksen and Christy Perkins.

Agenda Items Discussed:

1. Student Body President Report: Wildcat wishes we provided for 180 people. Lunch activities, inclusion week, etc.
2. Jack Hattaway motioned to approve December 7, 2022, minutes; Tess Larsen seconded the motion. The minutes for December were approved.
3. Jack Hattaway motioned to approve revised Rules of Order and Procedure; Melissa Atwood seconded the motion. The revised Rules of Order and Procedure were approved.
4. Replace Current Council Members. Iliana Clift has resigned. We will replace her with Shauna Hardy or Jennifer Coleman. Deanne Kapetanov motioned and Jack Hattaway second.
5. Student Data: Deanne Kapetanov discussed the school report card and explained how grades are figured. Achievement shows typical progress, Growth and Postsecondary Readiness show exemplary. English Learner Progress shows critical needs. ELL students take WIDA. We are working on increasing the buy-in from students for this test so that what they know will reflect in their test scores. More specific data and needs will be discussed at the next meeting.
6. The 2023 plan was to allocate one FTE (teacher) using LAND trust monies. Because the school had access to federal covid relief money, one-half FTE was covered, leaving additional money in LAND trust if we do not spend it. The provision in the plan accounts for extra money to be used to support existing goals. Tim Wilson, School Technology Specialist, attended the meeting to request that some of the extra money could be spent on technology for teachers and students for this year. There was discussion about using the appropriate amount to leave a balance less than 10%. Jack Hattaway motioned to use \$20,000 for technology for this year, and Suzette Jackson seconded. The motion was approved.
7. Teen Wellness Center Ribbon Cutting is February 7, 3:00 pm

8. Book Review report by Kelly Jones: We need to let parents and teachers know how to volunteer to be on the Sensitive Materials Review Committees at both the school and district level. Deanne Kapetanov will send a reminder to parents and staff.
9. Principal Report: Thank you to all who supported Wildcat Wishes! End of semester is Friday, and third term begins January 18. Preparing for next year's course requests. Faculty are looking at their programs/data to assess needs that can be addressed with Land Trust funds. Visit by Taiwanese Yong Ping High School principal and students Jan. 30 – Feb. 6.
10. Comprehensive Guidance Report: The counselors have worked on class changes, balancing classes, and hallway activities. They are preparing for Jr ACT (March 7), Course Requests (Jan 23-26), Higher Ed Day (Feb 6) and Sophomore Orientation (March 13).
11. PTSA Report: Emergency Buckets for classrooms are almost done. They had a good turnout of students to help.

Motioned to adjourn by Jack Hattaway; Tess Larsen seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned at 3:45 pm. Next meeting will be held February 1, 2023, at 2:30 pm at Woods Cross High School Conference room and via zoom.