

ELHS Parent Council Meeting Minutes

Committee/Meeting Name	ELHS Parent Council				
Date	1-25-18	Starting Time	6:30 pm	Ending Time	7:00 pm
Location	ELHS HUB			Recorder	Tom Meyer
Members Present	Heidi Dempsey, Michelle Lane, Andy Wells, Tom Meyer, Wendy Rowan, Sherrie Baidoon, Nelson Ng, Abe Yue Huang, Lynette Long, Ramo 00 na Byrd-Pope , Tracey Hampton-Yarborough, Bill Diedrich, Ellen Ives, Lisa Ruskowski, Nancy Artman, Byron Lane, Terah Chambers				

Topics	Discussion, Information	Action to be Taken, Decision, Recommendation, Timeline
Agenda	The agenda was presented by Ellen Ives.	The agenda was approved as submitted.
Minutes	The minutes of the 11-14-17 were submitted by Tom Meyer.	The minutes were approved as submitted.
Administrative Update	Principal Andy Wells made a few brief remarks, reminding the group that he was giving a State of the School presentation at the end of the business meeting.	

Report from School Board	Board Member Terah Chambers told the Council that construction on Red Cedar school would start in February. She also advised that a new Science curriculum is being implemented at the High School. She said that the curriculum has been worked on for several years and will be rolled out for the 9th grade next year then sequentially through the remaining grades. Terah said that the new curriculum puts an emphasis on “doing” and encourages collaborative learning.	The grant request was unanimously approved.
Financial Update	No financial update was presented.	
Teacher Grant	Linda Wychers-Caldwell presented a teacher grant from Ms. Moore. The grant requested funds to present the movie “The Mask You Live In”.	
Wrap Up	Ellen Ives again advised that persons were need to be on the Board next year.	
Adjournment	The meeting was adjourned at 7:00 pm and followed by Principal Wells’ State of the School presentation.	
Next Meeting	The Council’s next meeting will by at 6:30 on Tuesday, February 13th. That business meeting will be followed by a program:” Implicit Bias and Microaggressions: Everything You Wanted to Know but Were Afraid to Ask”	

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