

## SKYLINE PTA MEETING Dec 2 2025

### Attendance:

Jenny Tempfer

Robert McDaniel

Porter Miller

Macy Peterson

Lanna Cairns

Char Christensen

Amy Johnson

Michelle Loosli

Alisha West

Pam Leimbach

Sarah Curtis

Jen Treadway

Juan Arce-Larreta

Allison Armstrong

Auschel Felt

### SBO REPORT – Macey:

- Winters Dance Dec 13 in the gym. Enter on the door by the lower soccer field. All Chaperones are set.
- Regular Volunteer – A Thank You! Only Dance Chaperones get free Dance Tickets.
- Make a Wish is Finished up. They got around \$12,000 - \$13,000

### RISE AMBASSADOR REPORT – PORTER

-February is the Next Rise Lunch

- Location will change...working with Mr. Anderson

- Teaching the Meaning of RISE to the Freshman Success Classes

### GUEST REMARKS

CHAR CHRISTENSEN - (Para for the Community of Caring Class & Exchange Manager for the American Exchange Project)

– American Exchange Project

- New Program to Skyline
- Put together to give HS Seniors to do a Domestic Exchange Experience. To spend time in a different part of the Country that is totally different from the SLC East Bench
- Civil dialogue – the world is starting to fall apart. The Hope is our Young People.
- Process of Gathering HOST Families JUNE 24 – JULY 1. Host Families need to provide a Bed, transportation and maybe find a few places outside of The Agenda. There is a Stipend for the Host Families to cover food expenses.
- If she can get 10 Host Families then Skyline can send 10 kids out to the Country. Show the Kids all about UTAH, Why we Love it
- Kids would travel to another city and spend 1 week with kids from all over. Then Kids from all over come to Skyline to spend a week here in Salt Lake City. So it's a 2 Week Commitment.
- Advertising.
- By JANUARY 28<sup>th</sup>, Interested Seniors need to fill out an Application.

- This is the Inagural Year. We're the 3<sup>rd</sup> school in UTAH to do this. American Fork and West Valley have schools. Tooele, Bicknel, Orem and more are joining.
- Jared Reynolds at the District has approved this!

JUAN – Community council receives money from Utah Trust Lands 4% to 5% Budget is around \$340,000

-49% are Special Permits meaning outside district

-205 kids on waiver fees (10% of students)

-Food Banks, there are schools were the SBO's and Athlete's Neutralize the Stigma of grabbing snacks.

-Take Leads from Administration and Parents. Find out what the Teachers need to most effectively teach the students. And find out what the Students Need.

- Each School has it's own Unique Needs. Skyline started the IB Program to keep this school.

-Skyline has a School Psychologist. There was/is a need.

-Interaction between PTSA and Community Council. Communication between the two of Needs and show how our expenditures are enhancing the educational experience for students.

-March is when CC does a Budget for the Following Year

-Meetings are 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday (Dec 17<sup>th</sup>). Anyone is Welcome

More in-depth discussion – A Portrait of Skyline!

#### SECRETARY REPORT – Approval of Minutes

-Auschel moved to approve

- Sara 2<sup>nd</sup>

-All Approve Yes

#### TREASURER REPORT – Jenny Temper

-222 Memberships. Goal is 300

-\$20,430 bank Balance

#### PRINCIPAL REPORT – Rob

- Growth vs Coast Mindset. Easy to Coast with a High Performing School. I don't work that way. We're Great but where are we missing the Mark. What can we do better. PROGRESS
- Rob met individually with every Student who received awards and Thank them for the Positive things they do!!!
- IB is an Expensive Program. Helps kids even if they don't graduate from it. AP, Concurrent, CTE
- Really want an Awareness that Each Student is Unique and we want to Add to what we're doing to help provide opportunities for each of our Students
- B Building...All the teachers move out next week.
- Cardio room will become the Band Room
- Choir will move into the Testing Center Next Week
- Drama needs to communicate with the teachers
- Loose parking by the B Building but next week they will open up more parking
- Principal has started doing FOCUS Groups. This Thursday from 8am – 9am. PTA and CC are also like Focus Groups. Programs, Policies...what can we do to make this better for ALL Students here.
- Principal goes into classes with Sub's and he asks: Tell me what's working and what's not working. Doing this Every Single Day for about 1 Month.
- Intentionality – He's Switching up the Teacher Leadership team. Switch to 3 Coalitions of Leadership.

- Once group focused on the Braoder school picture, Efficiency of systems.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> group focused on Student ie where are we not performing. How can we celebrate success for students. School Culture. How we can improve the experience. What skills do these 9<sup>th</sup> grade kids need: Communication, Self Advocacy etc. What does a 10<sup>th</sup> grader need/ie a 10<sup>th</sup> grader should have these skills.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Group – Staff. Personal Development. Happy Teachers lead to Happy Kids.
- Student Feedback – I don't like teachers who are always in a bad mood. I like teachers who care about me!!!
- Parents can excuse absences with an Email
- Starters can be made up or the teacher cannot use it against their grader. Starters are out of proficiency based. Currently a double jeopardy for being late. Getting a group to look at this and figure out a solution to the concern.
- Cell phones – teachers have good intentions but possibly bad policy around it
- Sarah – incentive for teachers to learn every name of their students & students to learn each others names
- Create a Student Coalition re Tardy and attendance policies
- Intervention – possibly everyday

## TEACHER LIAISON REPORT

### UPDATE & REFLECTIONS -

Only 16 kids participated

### LEGISLATIVE CONFERENCE: Allison

- Public School got slammed the last 2 years.
- Bill Tracker. Allison will send out messages to notify
- Bills Passed but then there is no funding
  - PTA started to advocate for children
  - Juan, throughout the year, legislatures will have meetings (interim committee meetings)
  - Legislation will pass re Charter Schools get 1<sup>st</sup> right to purchase the buildings that the district closes

### NEXT TWO MONTH OUTLOOK

-Award Season is Here –

Name of a Teacher you want Represented or Staff Member (picture and write-up)

- Battle of the Bands. Allison was in charge of Region. Rob MC'd Multiple times. Allison will follow up with Auschel
- Student Outreach Day
- Maybe day of Winters Assembly After School Dec 12th. Hand out Candy Canes and Ducks (1200). PTA at Main Exits hand out at the End of the Day. People Love You, Have a Duck
- Cahoot for Students Jan 26<sup>th</sup> at Lunch Gift Cards for the winners

Election Nominating Committee. 3 People

Nominating Committee finds people to fill the roles

Alicia – President

- Secretary – Position Filled

- Membership – Position Filled

Still need a Treasurer

Plus 10 others

Motion to Close Meeting Auschel

2<sup>nd</sup> By Sarah

Closed