

Community Council Minutes **September 18, 2014**

Those in Attendance:

Jennifer Christiansen
Tammy Hulet
Suzy Gatherum
Summer Tremelling
Jared Whittaker
Conrad Aitken

Items Discussed:

- Introductions and Review Minutes
- Teachers like late start. Collaboration is successful
- Working parents still having a hard time/or kids aren't getting enough done in 30 minutes on Wed. Teachers need to adjust accordingly. Mr. Aitken will monitor attendance on Wednesday; has it increased or decreased? Look into higher learning for honors classes, i.e. science, history. Mr. Aitken will continue to give parents feedback on late start.
- Budget – over last year. Mr. Aitken will review line by line.
- We are charter members of LEGO budget.
- Future discussion on early start bus on Wednesday.

Chrome books: School has five chrome book sets, two laptop labs, three desktop labs. Do we purchase on or two chrome book sets?

- Mr. Aitken will look into Horace Mann or other grants, i.e. 100% for kids at credit union.
- How much technology is too much? Balance between technology and writing.
- Two sets this year is the goal. Ideal setting is one set a classroom.

Other items:

- Next year looking into purchasing math books for common core.
- Watch "Field of Dreams"