



School Community Council Meeting Minutes
November 17, 2016

In Attendance:

Lisa Gallagher	Heather Morgan	Amber Bonner
Kara Edwards	Ryan Nield	Amy Mullins
Jose Carrillo	Misty Purser	Lynne Mower
Marie Pavich	Rachel Hoffman	Jaime Ward
Sherry Kramer		

Excused: Mark Whitaker, Michelle Bagley, Ryan Nield, Joyce Harrison

SCC Co-Chair Lisa Gallagher conducted the meeting and welcomed the committee members. A motion was made by Kara Edwards to approve the minutes from the October SCC meeting. The motion was seconded by Amber Bonner; all were in favor and the motion was unanimously carried.

The Trustlands Final Report has been completed and submitted to the state. Things are going very well, and although our test score data is down a little from last year, Mountain Ridge is still ranked among the top 5 junior high schools. It is important to remember that this data is a snapshot of how the school is doing, and just one part of the whole picture. Our data, as well as data from all Utah schools, can be accessed at the USOE website. A link will be emailed out to SCC members as soon as possible.

The Counseling Department recently sponsored a Multi-Cultural Week that was a huge success. It was terrific to see how proud our students were to share their culture and customs. The celebration helped to foster a spirit of cooperation and community with students.

SCC Co-Chair Heather Morgan offered a handout to those interested members of the internet safety lesson that Mrs. Brande teaches to our students.

SCC Member Amber Bonner asked the members to consider being a part of next year's MRJH PTSA executive board, and to reach out to friends and colleagues, as well.

The members were thanked for their attendance and participation. Member who have items they wish added to next month's agenda, please email them to Mr. Whitaker, Heather Morgan, Lisa Gallagher, or Shelly May. With no further business to conduct, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 1:55 p.m. until the next regularly scheduled SCC meeting on Thursday, January 19, 2017 at 1:30 p.m. in the Mountain Ridge Junior High Media Center.