

Desert View Site Council Agenda

October 16, 2024 @ 7:30 A.M.

Desert View, Library

Attendees: John Mospan, Jennifer Corona, Christina Mahoney, Sadie Pyburn, Jeff Tisot, Soncire Brown, Nicole Silva

Desert View Site Council Meetings are open to the public. This meeting is authorized and consistent with A.R.S. § 15-351 and § 38-431.02. Notices as required have been appropriately posted. Comments from visitors are welcome and can be shared during the parent/visitor portion of the agenda.

1) Opening Comments

a. Comments from the facilitator

b. Note-taker: Mahoney

2) Review minutes- discussed last month's minutes

3) Recurring Business

- a. School updates- Just had Fall Break and it was much needed. Over the past 3 years we have been implementing 3 new curriculums-Reading, Math, and Science. It has been a lot of work planning, learning, can be really exhausting for our staff. The break was very rejuvenating. The 2nd and 3rd quarter will be good for continuing to make interventions, support students, and hopefully see more growth. We have conferences next week and it will be good to connect with families and reflect on the 1st Quarter. We are very excited for our Trunk or Treat event and having our community here. November 8th will be our Veteran's Day Assembly.
- b. Select Employee of the Month: November-Discussed Cave, Corona, and Rocio. We are picking Corona for DV employee of the month
 - i. Consider requests for district Employee of the Month: Considering Cave
- c. Review tax credit requests
 - i. None at this time

4) New Business

- a. Identify ways to celebrate staff- Brainstorming ideas and can touch back on these-Teacher highlight or spotlight on social or announcements- teacher photo collage- think of ways to celebrate the big moments (weddings, kids, etc).
- b. Love Our Schools Day- November 2nd- we have a number of projects that we are hoping to complete. We are discussing with staff and partnerships to help- 8:30-11:00.
- c. Q1 Data Review- Looked at data from first quarter. There were grade levels that were significantly below the district, but you can see that as the kids stay with us and move up in grade levels they seem to be doing better (6th grade ahead of district in both areas). This data affirms that we need to be working on math and reading. Keep monitoring the data. 98% of our kids are doing what they should. Our number of suspensions is down. Implemented a new curriculum for behavior called Second Step. 13/14 teachers completed the required curriculum before Fall Break. There are areas that we have needs identified and we will work on building more successes. Attendance is looking really good; It is at/above last year.
- d. Next Meeting: November 13

5) Parent/member/visitor comments: None

6) Meeting adjourn: 8:16