

Tanque Verde Elementary School

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Tanque Verde Elementary School Site Council September 16th, 2024 3:00 pm Call to order

Members Present: Amy Tometich, Alexis Moyer, Emma Batty, Kay Miller, Debora DeLong, Alyana Diep, Walter Seaman, Michael Nunes, Anne Marie Karel

Guests: Rebecca Fields, Christina Donithan

Agenda:

- I. Approval of Minutes- Michael Nunes Motioned to approve. Kay Miller seconded with corrections noted by Debora. All in favor.
- II. Approval of the Agenda- Alexis Moyer motioned to approve. Michael Nunes seconded. All in favor.
- III. Reports
 - a. Principal's Report-
 - Open house changes were well received. Parents were happy that it was casual and they did not have to worry about childcare. Teachers were happy that they could connect better.
 - Make a difference day is coming November 2 from 8am-10am. Mrs. Batty met with faith-based community members at the district recently to collaborate. Ideas for campus projects are welcome. We are looking for simple projects.
 - Parent-teacher conferences will happen next week.
 - b. Treasury Report- Nothing to report at this time.
 - c. PTG Report-
 - Volunteer attendance was very good for August. Book Fair and Vision/Hearing testing sign-ups filled quickly.
 - Great turnout for Skate country night with both staff and students.
 - We are still in need of volunteers for Fall Festival. Online ticket sales have started of strong. In-person sales will start this Wednesday through the 25th.
 - d. Student Council Report
 - Officer elections were held on September 4th. Over 300 students 3rd-6th grade voted. We also have 23 grade representatives.
 - Talent show will be on November 22 in the evening. The students are very excited to set this up. Judges are needed-hoping for staff and PTG members.
 - In the process of planning Spirit Days. Anything but a backpack day is on September 26th.



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- Very excited to work with Jimmy Hart to create an RAI (Respect, Affirmation, and Inclusion) club. StuCo members are offering to have meetings separate from existing StuCo meeting days.
- It has been decided that elections for next school year will happen at the end of this school year. Hopefully, this will make the process smoother and ease the beginning of the year burden.
- IV. Discussion Items- Next month we will invite Shannon Pacheco to present on library changes and share images of the new bences at the school entrance.
- V. Call to the Audience-
 - Debora DeLong- The school did a great job for Patriot Day. It was great to see the helicopter fly-over and hear the band. She will be offering her driveway for Fall Festival ticket sales this year.
- VI. Action Items
 - a. 4th Grade Request- Transportation costs only to Sabino Canyon. Donithan/Walker on 2/10/25 and Nunes/Tometich on 2/11/25. One bus for each group. Anne Marie Karel motioned to approve. Debora DeLong seconded. All in favor.
- VII. Adjournment at 3:17pm

Next Meeting: Monday, October 21st, 2024

Upcoming Meetings: 11/18/2024, 12/16/2024, 01/13/2025, 02/17/2025, 03/17/2025, 04/21/2025, 05/19/2025