

Those in attendance:

Tim Brantley, Donna Thacker, Brock Moore, Kylee Veenker, Cindy Hill, Jennifer Yeates, Shauna DeBuck, Laura Rytting, Juliet Guilott, Lynette Buck, Karen Lee, Laurie Stringer, Kelley Giles, Christy Stevenson, Kori Thomas, Neils Fugal

Election for Chair and Vice Chair:

Kelley Giles Nominated Cindy Hill for Chair

Christy Stevenson seconded the motion

All in favor Unanimous

Laura Rytting nominated Kylee Veenker as Vice Chair

Cindy Hill seconded the motion

All in favor Unanimous

Trustland reports and presentation by Principal Brantley and Donna

Goals for 2011-2012

1-Increase graduation rates

(It was mentioned that this is based on 10th grade enrollment; this is different than in the past, so in the future the numbers will be a little skewed until they have done it this way for a few years.)

Hired 2 advocates to mentor at risk students and added math aides

In the last three years our graduation rate has gone from 77.1% to 84.8%

2-Improve pass rates

An advocate was hired to help low performing students

After School programs added

Latinos in Action

3-Improve Math Rates

Reduced math class sizes

Added an AP Calculus class-Our math scores CRT score average went up 10% from 55% to 65%

4-AP Classes

Additional AP Calculus Class 97% Pass Rate

AP History 39 enrolled 21 tested 67% passed

AP Spanish 26 enrolled 9 tested 66% passed

(It was mentioned that this test is extremely difficult unless you are an ESL student)

AP German 9 enrolled 8 tested 88% passed

It was requested that we get stats on all the AP classes taught at PGHS.

How many students enrolled in the courses/how many are taking the test/how many are passing

(I believe Principal Brantley was going to follow up on this)

\$8,356 carry over from previous year was used to help pay for subs so that teachers could attend conferences and get added training.

Goals for 2012-13

- 1- Provide AP classes and track students who take AP exams (\$31,000 allocated)
- 2- Increase graduation rates by 1%/maintain 3 advocates to help students (\$35,500 allocated)
- 3- Maintain Latinos in Action (\$11,200 allocated)
- 4- Reduce Math Class sizes (\$5.600 allocated)

Collaboration Assignments (It was mentioned that this was not necessary but definitely beneficial)

Here is what assignments were last year. If you would like to change or add to your assignments please reply to this email. Monday afternoons are when most of these groups meet, schedules vary so check with the department head to see exactly when they are meeting.

PLC Assignments

Math:

Technology: Wendy Vincent

Fine Arts: Kelly Porter

Performing Arts: Laura Rytting

Counseling: Kelley Giles

Health:

English: Niels Fugal

Social Studies: Laura Rytting

P.E.: KyLee Veenker

Business: Rick Didericksen

Science: Mark Clement

Foreign Language:

FACS: Cindy Hill

Special Ed:

State DVD was watched "Touch the Future"

Meeting Adjourned

Next Meeting November 15th at 12:00

