

Community Council March 5, 2018

2:30 pm

Attendance: Luke Rowley (Principal), Jessie Bunker, Stacey Seegmiller, Nicole Bowler, Kim Prisbrey, Amy Holt, Mike Yardley, Brittani Jolley, Shelly Carter, Melinda Bowler

Issue - Staffing

We have lost Title 1 teacher and a half teacher

We are losing the ½ grade split and half a 3rd grade teacher

Options

- 1. Do we want to pay for a half 3rd grade teacher and possibly the art aide?
- 2. Keep the Trust Lands money the same as it is now, pay for an art teacher and set aside \$10,000 for training, technology, etc.?
- 3. Hire 3 aides, cut the training budget from \$10,000 to \$5,000, keep technology funds and art aide.

Concerns - Chromebooks are now about 4 years old, so they are starting to phase out; 2nd grade goes to the portables

Solutions for Aides

- Parents get more involved; sign up for specific times
- Elderly volunteers
- Volunteer scheduling
- Parents of older kids help younger kids
- Would high school kids be able to help?

Solutions for Classes

- Hire half a 3rd grade teacher until lunch and find a solution for the rest of the day

Vote

1. Unanimous for paying for the other 3rd grade teacher