

Pioneer Middle School  
School Council Meeting Minutes  
Monday, June 7th, 2021

In attendance: Patrick Wilbur, Lucas Brown, Kim Rogers, Heidi Hetherington, Lacey Brown, Nicole Heath, Cristy Whalen, Laura Henning

1. Call to order at 7:02
2. Additions to the agenda  
-No new additions
3. Approval of previous minutes (May 3rd, 2021)  
- Nicole approved the minutes
4. Reports

Trustee (Heidi Hetherington)

- The board approved:
  - locally created courses
  - the three year education plan
  - spring budget
- April was a hard month for covid, 29 cases in the division were reported

Principal (Patrick Wilbur)

- Mr. Brown and Mr. Whitecotton both did a wonderful job filling in for Mr. Wilbur while he quarantined
- Finances: 10, 000 left to round out the year which helps us to purchase some supplies (remainder put aside for playground equipment) for next year. Will carry 5,000 forward as a buffer for next year.
- Projecting 300 students next year which is down about 20 students. Things are getting tighter every year.
- Preparations for next year have begun. The at-home learning program will continue on a limited basis next year. The school education plan for next year has been completed. There will be a focus on growing the culture of learning. A couple of the strategies will be: Career planning and goal setting. Also an emphasis on 'Kindness matters'.
- Expressing appreciation to Kim Rogers for being parent council president and building up the parent council. Her youngest will be moving to the highschool next year so we will have a new president next year.

Teacher (Tracy Schweder)

-not able to attend

Chair (Kim Rogers)

- Two surveys have been sent out for parents:
  - School council satisfaction survey-Kim completed

-Parent survey on schooling and covid

- Four years have gone by quickly and it's been a pleasure serving on parent council

5. Old business

- Mission statement building will be carried over to the beginning of next year
- September meeting will be run by Laura until elections are held

6. Next meeting will be in September 2021

7. Adjournment: 7:20