

School Community Council 1/9/2019

Attendance:

Celebrations:

- Reading Plus - we have 83% of our students who use the Reading Plus Program (in the reading classes), have gone up 1-4 grade levels. Reading Plus works on comprehension and fluency reading skills. It is accessible to all West Hills students and their siblings. If interested in getting access for your student, please talk to Ms. VanderMeiden and she will put you in contact with the right person.
- Band had zero proficiency on their pre-test and ended up with 100% proficiency with their post test.
- 187 of our 9th graders passed the MOS test. We are so proud!

REMODEL:

- West Hills will be housed at Copper Hills for the summer.
- Construction will start in April. Our front teachers will be moved by March 22nd. We have 5 classes that will be displaced the remainder of the year in alternative classrooms.
- Last school board approval is on March 26th, which is why we are not starting in February as originally expressed.
- Entire school needs to be packed up. This will be a daunting task, but we are already starting so the process should be a little more manageable by Juny. Construction is scheduled to start on June 3rd.

LOGOS:

- A new logo will be put into our entry way for the remodel. We have few selections to look at. We will allow students to give their input on the logos. We will then allow our teachers and parents to give input and vote as well.
- Here are some of the logo options.



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- Reactions and Clarifications:
- fonts need tweaking
- Too heavy on current cat, but we'd want something heavy on the floor. Same logo lighter font for letterhead?
- Floor logo will be THE logo

- Nay to outlining the current cat
- like the paw print
- Paw print as the A in *wildcats*?
- Don't like how ferocious/menacing the new cat looks.
- Would like a middle school vibe (not college, not private school)
- Circle logo font looks wimpy
- VETO: bottom left and middle with trying-too-hard font

#### REGISTRATIONS:

- January 23rd: 6th to 7th Grade RAH RAH Assembly 9 AM WHMS Auditorium. 6th to 7th Grade Orientation/Pre Registration two sessions 6 PM / 7
- January 28th: 7th to 8th Grade AND 8th to 9th Grade Online registration available through February 15. WHMS Link online the main page. SRMS Link online the main page
- January 29th: Parent Night Registration help two sessions 6 PM/ 7PM WHMS Media Center
- Question: Is the 28th when they register for classes or when they register as a student at WHMS? The former. This tells us how many classes we need to offer.

#### OPEN DISCUSSION:

- What is SBG? -
  - Measuring a students' success on the target goals they are working on.
  - Student is aware of a goal. He is aware of how to reach that goal (Proficiency Scales), and he is given feedback through the process as he

reaches this goal.

- Grades are given a different point system than an A-F (although transferred into that format for report cards.) The grades are based on proficiency level of the standard (target). 1-4 scoring.
- Teachers are trained to look at the entirety of the process and not just plug in numbers.
- Motion to adjourn - Ellen Hensel motioned to adjourn. Jenny Shelton second.