

## 12/20/2022 Community Council Minutes

Motion to approve November minutes: Natali Button, Second: Lexie Little

In attendance:

Kacie Troy  
April Riddle  
Lexie Little  
Natali Button  
Josh Porter  
Tiffany Unsworth  
Trevor Stewart  
Chad Castagno  
Kylie Shepherd

We are nearing end of term. Over the break, Basketball and Wrestling will have events.

The wrestling team is gaining momentum and has had successful competitions. They beat Enterprise for the first time in 5 years, and we have two female wrestlers who compete if they have female opponents. The basketball teams are having very successful seasons as well.

On the upcoming data day, teachers will be receiving First Aid training, including how to stop bleeds. It is greatly hoped they will never have occasion to use such training.

KHS students raised a wonderful sum of a whopping \$6,190.00 for Sub for Santa this year. This was done through an auction (led for the first time by a student, Max Kartchner), a boys volleyball tournament, and class competitions.

A vet tech class will be guided by Sam LeFevre, and Best Friends will host students willing to learn.

The River Trip will happen in the end of May, beginning of June. Of the 17 spots available, 6 are claimed. Students must qualify via GPA/conduct. Teachers who are slated to chaperone: Walker, Baird, Yates.

Christmas concerts have gone extremely well, with Xpress hosting its first dinner concert, led by students, and Mrs. Terry's Christmas concert, featuring alumni joining in the choir. Condolences were expressed for Mrs. Terry at the passing of her mother.

The drill team took 2nd in their recent competition, just under South Sevier. Coach Stewart feels it is good for them to be in this position as they prepare for state.

A new video board will be installed in the gym. It was purchased through donated funds and will highlight sponsors, student achievements, and engage the crowd.

The annoying sound from the scoreboard has been fixed, and attendees will be grateful.

The CTE pathways program allows students to study a particular field (such as welding) in depth, starting as early as their freshman year. If they take certain courses through their High School career, they are presented with a certificate in that field that can be advantageous in future studies or in applying for jobs.

New offerings are being presented to the students through Utah Tech, such as Graphic Design and Criminal Justice courses. If local members of the community are known to have a specialty and are willing to teach students, they would be welcome and needed. Students are given college credit for some courses. Mark Khunel sp? has taught Film Production, Colter Davis is teaching Geology, and students may also take Culinary Arts, Sports Medicine, and Cosmetology classes, thanks to local specialists.

Teachers strive to give positive feedback to parents and students, with a goal of sending 5 postcards a month to recognize personally the good that they see in students.

The next Parent Teacher conference is scheduled for March. A discussion was held as to how to motivate parents to come. One idea was to invite the team of teachers to focus together on one student at a time and invite parents to counsel with the team.

The idea of creating some Teacher Appreciation events was brought up, but it was decided that such events should not be in conjunction with Parent Teacher conferences, as no one wants to bring brownies only to be told their student is failing.

It must be mentioned here in these notes that 20 (actually 15 people) will read that High School Teachers work very hard. Plans to acknowledge that work must come from parents, and so such will be done.

An electronic roster is now available for scanning at the sporting events. It has not been used widely as yet, but do not be disheartened, those who worked to create such a digital work of art. Cowboys may just be slow at getting on a new horse.

Motion to adjourn: Lexie Little  
Second: Josh Porter

Post meeting discussion:

The UHSAA has released new potential divisions for competition. Those divisions have yet to be finalized