School Community Council Noon September 10, 2013

Attending: Darla Baker, Cristie Wood, Miriam Erickson, Jennifer Batchler Mike Bearden, William Shupe, Saori Barlow, Doug Webb, Margie Holt, LaDawn Edwards

- 1. Responsibilities law is in back of binder for each member. Nominations filled all the seats for SCC. Thanks to all who are serving on this council. Trustland money is to go the highest academic area of need. Minutes, will be on the web as well as the agenda. Recordings are no longer necessary, but minutes will be posted. Mike is co-chair and will run the meetings until a chair is determined by this council. We also are involved in the safe walking paths.
- 2. Budgets are passed in the spring. Mr. Webb passed out the approved budget and went over the numbers for the tentative budget. Read 180 is per student pricing. We want to continue with our goal of reducing F's. Math Lab, guided studies for homework help. Read 180 cost of teacher is more than anticipated. There are Read 180 classes at Oak Canyon. Software did cost more than anticipated. English aides have been added as well as math aide for all grade enrichment. Money that is not spent should roll over year to year. However, the legislature will look to see if the school is not using the money that is granted. Motion to approve the budget was given and approved by every member in the room.
- Grade Oak Canyon received a B. The grading process was reviewed and explained. Please click here for diagram. Our school was high in proficiency. Growth will be our focus. Scatter chart was displayed to show each student at Oak Canyon and where they fall as far as growth is concerned. Above 160 shows proficiency. We are concerned about our students are not proficient and not growing.
- 4. Double dosing we work with the elementary schools to pull students who may be struggling with math. We also add students who we see are having trouble with math as well. Counseling does in fact look at all students who are not proficient in each of the core areas. We have double classes for all grades. Do we need to look at double dosing for science due to proficiency grades. We are looking to reduce class numbers in our science classes. With the Valley View numbers increasing, next year will be able to balance the FTE numbers.
- 5. Nomination of chair person LaDawn Edwards was nominated and approved by the council.
- 6. Video link was given for training. DVD's are available if members do not have access to the internet.
- 7. Counseling department did get approval to use SCC as the advisory council for their department. Dates will be provided in the future.
- 8. It was proposed that we have sub-committees developed. Safety and stake holder report would be two optional committees that would be helpful to Oak Canyon.
- 9. Trees were removed