

**MINUTES**  
**Eastmont Middle School Community Council**  
**September 19, 2018**  
**EMS Conference Room**



**Welcome: Charisse Hilton, Principal**

**Chair: Heather Isbell**

**Members:**

Bettinson	Delese	Parent
Barrus	Amy	Parent
Bryant	Amy	Parent
Davis	Stephanie	Teacher
Fullmer	Russ	Teacher
Herzog	Daniel	Parent
Hilton	Charisse	Principal
Isbell	Heather	Parent
Jolley	Jen	Parent
Taucher	Julie	Counselor

**SCC Business:**

Election of new officers:

Heather Isbell was nominated Parent Chair by Russ Fullmer 2<sup>nd</sup> by Julie, all in favor

Delese Bettinson was nominated Secretary by Amy Bryant, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jen Jolley all in favor

Appointment of new members:

Amy Barrus was appointed as new member, all in favor

Determine official Meeting time:

Meetings will continue to be held 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of the month, with exceptions in November and December. Meeting will be November 14<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 pm and the December meeting was canceled due to conflicting schedules.

Sub Committees:

Land Trust/CSIP:

Request for approval of .5 ELA teacher (aprox \$20,000)

Request for approval of 1 period for teacher mentor (approx. \$6000)

Discussion: the budget is available online at

[www.eastmontmiddle.canyonsdistrict.org](http://www.eastmontmiddle.canyonsdistrict.org).

Motion to approve by Amy Bryant, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Heather Isbell, all in favor

Cell Tower:

Request for approval of \$1000 for Dr. Hank Smith professional development

Request for approval of \$750 for Dr. Hank Smith anti-bullying assembly

Request for approval of \$300 for Todd Sylvester POM assembly

Discussion: the break-down of cell tower money as well as typical income from past year(s) will be presented at next meeting.

Motion to approve by Daniel Herzog, 2<sup>nd</sup> ?, all in favor

Principal's Report

Staffing

School Safety Discussion- School Safety is the Board's #1 Priority

Police Training August 7 and 14-  
New Police Officer: Officer Jason Hoopes  
Anti-Bullying Assembly: November 8 with Dr. Hank Smith

Review Patriot of the Month (POM) schedule\*

October 17- Sean Covey	February 27
November 28- Evelyn Everton	March 27- Teacher Talent Show?
December 12- Holiday Concert	April 24- Student Talent Show
January 30- Netzmart Presentation	May 22 <sup>nd</sup> – Todd Sylvester

\*ALL POM assemblies will now go on Facebook Live to give online access to interested individuals who may not be able to make it to the assembly during the day.

Lock Down Drill- November 20<sup>th</sup>, the school will communicate this many times to allow parents to take the necessary preparation with their children

Digital Citizenship- Ongoing by Ms. Miles, not just one day or week or month

Counselor's Report – by Julie Taucher: Visiting class rooms to encourage self-advocacy (responsibility), prepare for Reality Town Nov 13<sup>th</sup> (PTSA will take the lead and help supply volunteers), Digital Literacy and AVID strategies.

Motion to approve Counselor Actions and Reports by Delese Bettinson, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Jen Jolley, all in favor.

Faculty Report – by Russ Fullmer: Track and Field underway with race on Thursday, Intramurals will begin with chess, basketball, and soccer.

**School Climate:**

PTSA Input: by Heather Isbell: Amanda Mayfield is the President, selling lots of Spirit Gear, currently at McDonald's Night.

**Celebrations:**

Opening of a School Store to purchase items with Patriot Bucks. Donations welcome. There is approximately \$2/student (\$1476) budgeted from student allocation

Emma Moss: Teaching new Digital Literacy Class, selected from the District to train the rest of the teachers teaching new course. Discussion regarding rewarding teachers who go the extra mile.

Behavior Unit (ABS) is the model for the District.

Harry Potter Room is free for students and will be open to families for a small fee. Discussion again regarding rewarding Ms Alger and Richard for work on the escape room.

**Communication:**

Stakeholder Feedback

Motion to end the meeting by Julie Taucher, 2<sup>nd</sup> ?