CENTENNIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL

COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING

OCTOBER 26, 2015

THE CENTENNIAL MIDDLE SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL MET ON MONDAY

OCTOBER 26, 2015 AT 12:10 P.M. IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE CONFERENCE RM.

THE FOLLOWING COUNCIL MEMBERS WERE IN ATTENDANCE:

Gaye Gibbs, Principal Matthew Rittmanic, Parent

Katie Geary, Chairman Rhonda Wall, Parent

Erin Radandt, Vice Chairman

(Kami Su Bird-PTA President was also in attendance, as was Linda Freeze-taking minutes.)

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1) Technology from District Office: J P Pontious from the District Office presented helpful information about the House Bill 213 Safe Technology Utilization and Digital Citizenship in Public Schools. The Community Council is responsible for two things:

A-They are responsible to understand what filtering systems and configurations are in place on school and district devices that connect to the internet and provide feedback and recommendations to the administration about the systems and configurations, as necessary.

B-In addition, they are to provide education for students and parents about safe technology use, including appropriate, responsible, secure and healthy best practices. The council is responsible to see that timely education is provided and to engage in an ongoing conversation with district administrators of technology.

A long discussion went from there explaining these two responsibilities and various ways to accomplish the responsibilities of the community council concerning technology. Council members decided the possibility of a Parent's Technology Night with the District Tech people helping, sending out helpful information thru emails, and informing parents about Net Smart.

(J P emailed a copy of House Bill 213 to Gaye Gibbs. If anyone wants a copy, please let me know and I will get you one.)

2) Notes from District Community Council Meeting: Katie Geary handed out to everyone a handout with her notes from the meeting. At the meeting, they discussed setting 'smart goals'. Goals must be academically oriented. This year's council is planning the spending for next year and seeing that last year's plan is being implemented.

There are 4 changes for this year: 1-No Progress Report required. Final Report is required.

2-No longer have to show videos.

3-State School Board has set broad categories of how the

money can't be spent.

4-Safe Technology: Digital Citizenship

3) Final Trustland Report 2014-2015: Gaye gave everyone a copy of this report. She asked everyone to look it over. It looked like it had been well edited.

4) Goals for the future: Since the time was gone, we will go over these in the next meeting.

Next meeting: Monday Nov.23,2015 12:10 p.m.