

JR Smith Community Council Agenda

Thursday, April 19, 2012.
JR Smith Conference Room
10 – 11 a.m.

Attendees: General Public, Ryan Brown, Mary Hall, Amy Tuddenham, Adrienne Clyde, Heidi Taracena, Joanie Low, Jackie Pedersen, Lynette Schiess

Discussion items

1. Review and approve minutes from March meeting.
2. Discuss when to hold election for new members:
 - a. Extend for a period of at least three consecutive school days
 - b. Commence no later than 30 days after the first day of school
 - c. The principal shall provide notice of the available community council positions to school employees, parents and guardians at least 21 days before the date that voting commences for the elections
 - i. Notice shall include:
 1. Dates and times of the elections
 2. List of council positions that are up for election
 3. Instructions for becoming a candidate for a community council position
 - d. Ballots cast in a secure ballot box
 - e. Who is up for re-election
3. Review proposed plan
4. Mrs. Schiess talks about proposed changes to SEP
5. Update on progress of moving from Targeted to School-wide Title I assistance
6. Grant writing committee discussion:
 - a. Who will the committee invite?
 - b. Who will represent the committee to do the inviting?
 - c. History: Adrienne Clyde found several foundations are willing to give teachers / schools grants. The stipulation seems to be teachers writing and submitting the grants. Is there a way a grant writing committee can ghost write these grants?

7. Reading / Literacy program.