

IN ATTENDANCE:

MARCH 8, 2021

Brett Beagley, Principal
Stuart Hepworth, Asst. Principal
Chey Lyman, Counselor
Chelsee Alvey, Teacher
Kip Hansen, Teacher
Devin Woolsey, Teacher
Angie Chappell, Classified
Robin Hessey, Classified
Lisa Nielson, Co-Chair
Julie Henderson, Chair
Liz Memmott, Parent
Hailey O Bray, Parent
Joelle Eyre, Parent

Lisa Nielson welcomed the council and turned the meeting over to Angie Chappell to read the minutes. Julie Henderson made a motion to accept the minutes, Lisa Nielson seconded it, and all other council members approved. Lisa Nielson then turned the meeting over to Mr. Beagley to review the Trustlands funds. He said that a Trustlands representative encouraged our school to have two goals on SSHS trustlands. SSHS did that last year, and it worked well, and so we will continue with the two goals, because pretty much everything we need to add, can fit into those goals, and have them succeed. Mr. Beagley mentioned that he thinks an estimated \$4000 will be coming to Trustlands next year.

Mrs. Lyman explained to the council about Pathways, and that SSHS has 60 students receiving 153 Pathways this year. She also told of a couple of local scholarships that will go towards these Pathways and the kids can apply for them. They are really good, \$6000, \$4000, and a \$2000 scholarship for Pathway recipients. These scholarships are funded through a few Alumni of SSHS. Lisa Nielson thought that it would be cool if any alumni could donate. They then told the council that registration will be coming up the week after spring break. It will start with the seniors, and will be done online, just like last year. Mrs. Lyman will be in the classrooms explaining how to register, and it will also be on the school website, and google.

Mr. Beagley then informed the council about the accreditation process that our school just went through. He said that it was so much work, and a long hard process that started last year. The accreditation committee met with several groups, including: administration, support staff, teachers, students, and parents. He said that they were impressed with our school, and in fact one of them said, that if she had a high school age student, she would want them to come to SSHS, and that she would also recommend SSHS for accreditation. This is something that happens every five years.

Kip Hansen thanked Mr. Beagley and Mr. Woolsey for their help with the FFA assembly. He mentioned that the FFA Sweethearts week was a partial traditional and partial virtual this year. The assembly was broadcast in real time to all classrooms, and the cake auction was on the

schools Facebook page, and it had a really great turn out. There was a donated cake, and all of the money for that one will be given to "Giving it back", and the FFA Presidency decided to donate half of the money from all cakes to "Giving it back" also. The FFA donated around \$2500-3000 to the giving it back program.

The Aspire test will be given to 9th and 10th grade students in April. Registration will start April 7th, and continue each week for consecutive grades. Junior and senior prom will be March 19th, and 20th.

Julie Henderson had a question from the community about restitution and the money that can be paid. She had a mom talk to her about the \$10 and why it would erase a truant. Mr. Beagley said that money was to take off restitution hours, not truants. The money goes into an account that helps pay for perfect attendance awards, giving it back, ect. He also mentioned that when absences go up, grades go down. The council had a lively discussion about absences, truancies, and tardies. Many questions were answered.

Liz Memmott mentioned that she was so happy that we were in school, because it was so stressful doing school at home. Mr. Beagley said that it was because of good leadership from the district and health dept. All parents complimented the school and staff on this subject.

The next meeting will be the last for the year, and it will be held on April 12th at 3:30 in the media center.