

School Council Meeting 11/29/11  
Minutes

Meeting called to order 8:45am

Jane Peters, Bette Warner, Janice Redman, Helen Grimm, Brian Davis, Laura Haskew, Jessie Kalelkar, Kibi Bainbridge, Maggie Prickitt, Nancy Winslow, Katherine Winkler present

Approval of Minutes- motioned by Bette Warner, Seconded by Helen Grimm

Discussion of School Council Reorganization:

Maggie Prickitt-voting member with one year term  
Barbara Grandel- voting member with one year term  
Laura Haskew- voting member with two year term

Co-chair Barbara Grandel nominated by Nancy Winslow and seconded by Helen Grimm.  
Thanks to Bette Warner for serving her time.

Review of new School Council Member packets from Brian Davis.

MA Department of Education  
MA general Law Re: School Councils  
School Improvement Plan

Initiatives Updates

Intro to Nutrition Committee ideas. Next meeting 12/8/11.  
Technology on bus- review of recent changes  
Senior Reading Buddies (with Truro Public library)- continued planning update  
Annual Holiday Sing with Council on Aging, Town Hall and Seashore Point- Dec. 15, 2011

ADD and Loving It/ Race to Nowhere- Proposed combined council meeting to view. Bette Warner pursuing Race to Nowhere DVD.

Budget Review for 2012-2013. Handout from Brian Davis.

Budget increase of 7.29%. (1% increase represents \$43,000)  
Four year average budget increase of 1.657%.

Review of Cyber bullying lecture and discussion

Review of use of technology at home and in school discussion

Request for educational games/ websites to be posted on TCC website made by K. Bainbridge.

Discussion of possible use of iPads in school- pros and cons.

Discussion of Pop music during P.E. initiated by B. Warner.

General request for music of increased cultural diversity in P.E.

Next meeting scheduled for 12/19/2011

Meeting adjourned at 9:45 am