



**Anderson Valley Elementary School
School Site Council
Meeting Agenda /Minutes**
Date **Wednesday, March 10, 2021**
Time: **3:30**
Location: Google Meeting
<https://meet.google.com/xza-zqaq-qij>

SSC Members
Teacher: Carolyn Livingston
School Staff: Vanessa Spacek (Recording Secretary)
Parents: Sam Inman (Chairperson), Kristin San Miguel, Anya Farquhar
Administrator: Sid Frazer (Co-Chairperson)

Item	Item Action/Information	Minutes
Welcome	Call to Order and sign-in	Attendees: Sid Frazer, Sam Inman, Anya Farquhar, Vanessa Spacek, Carolyn Livingston, Kristin San Miguel, Wynne Crisman
Approve minutes <i>(Action)</i>	2/10/2021 Agenda	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Any motions to approve the meeting minutes. Sid seconds the motion.
SPSA (Single Plan for Student Achievement) <i>(Informational)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● SPSA/Expenditure Summary ● Current Use of SPSA (Sid) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Anya asken what some of Sid's concerns about the SPSA plan are? - Sid's concerns: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - English Learners - there is an achievement gap. With distance learning the gap will grow. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Anya asked How the achievement gap for english learners is addressed in the SPSA plan. - Sid stated that some schools will have to address how they will address the achievement plan. - How do we see more measurable results at the elementary level? - Do we have a specific plan for targeted instruction to improve this? - What is our plan for next year? - The goal is to have more parent input for the direction of the school. - This should be an action plan. - Sam had some questions about the 3rd grade class from 2018. Has their performance improved? Sid stated that

		<p>testing was not done last year. We don't know if it will be completed this year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The assessments help us to assess where students are and what improvements that can be made. - How can the site council be a more direct voice in the action plan for increasing student achievement? - Sid makes a motion to approve the plan, Anya seconded the plan. - All members present approved the SPSA plan. - Kristin does not have any objection to the SPSA plan.
<p>Playground structure <i>(Informational)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Waiting for an updated quote ● Finalizing funding sources <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Fac. Maintenance/Extended Learning 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sid gave an update on the Playground structure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Progress is being made. - Sid met with Leigh to go over funding. - Sid met with the head of facilities at MCOE. He is supporting Sid and making sure everything is moving forward correctly. - He has also met with the Playground equipment company. - The goal is that the structure will be done for the reopening of school next year. - Sam asked where the money for the playground was coming from? - It is a combination of things. The facilities budget, ASP and a grant. Sid will also be talking to the PTAV. Funding seems to be taken care of.
<p>New Superintendent Search Update <i>(Informational)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sid or Kristen? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Louise, new superintendent. She has a background in special ed. She is currently a Principal and vice superintendent. - We would like to invite her to our next meeting.
<p>New district website <i>(Informational)</i></p>	<p>https://www.avpanthers.org</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Website is live 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Wynne gave an update on the website. It is live. - We still need MCOE to move our DNS to the new site. - The elementary does have an announcements section on our home / welcome page. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Currently we are just adding monthly updates. The announcements are currently school calendar and event reminders. - Anya asked Is the website being translated?

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Are their plans to translate the website? - Wynne expressed that it is difficult to use Google translate so we should explore other solutions. - Sam asked if there is a plug in for translation on the new website. - Wynne answered that there is a menu plug in for translation, but not a full translation. - Anya asked if Wynne could turn on Metrix. So that he could gage the usability of the website. How people are using the site. <p>- Sid suggested asking spanish speaking parents how they utilize technology and the website.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Is Aeries translated? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No it is translated through your browser. <p>- Sam asked if the announcements could be linked.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Yes they can be linked. - It is just hard to keep the website updated. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We can link to a google calendar. - We can also link to a blog. -
<p>Newsletter Proposal</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Review proposal for district-wide newsletter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Anya is working on starting a school wide newsletter. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - This is a continuation of a project she started in 2019. - She would also like to link it to the website. Or advertise the website in the News letter. - Kristin mentioned that we should also get in touch with the radio station. They have a program where they talk about Ukiah Schools. Can we figure out how to get information to the Radio station about Ander - Can student photos be used in the school newsletter? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - This will need to be further investigated. - Anya expressed that all the websites and communication be cohesive and work together.

<p>Art/Music in the school (discussion)</p>		<p>Arts - How do we as school site council members bring this to the school?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Louise, our new superintendent said that she has experience getting grants for art, etc... - Sam said that even when we had someone paid by a grant it was up to teachers to bring them into the classroom. - Anya feels that it is very important to have music and Art in the classroom. - Sid expressed the need to higher a teacher with credentials to teach Art. So that they can develop a curriculum. - Carolyn <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Expressed an idea to train the teachers to teach art and music. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - They could block out time to teach art and music. - They need training and curriculum resources. -
<p>Orientation to SSC #5 (Informational)</p>	<p>San Diego Unified (G-Slides)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Review slides 27-34 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Title I Funds ○ Local Control Funding Formula 	<p>-</p>
<p>Parent Involvement Policy</p>	<p>Aeries, Website, and other methods of engaging parents.</p>	
<p>School Board vote on Bylaws</p>	<p>SID: It has been determined that our district policies do not require a board vote to pass site council bylaws. Therefore the bylaws are</p>	<p>-</p>
<p>School Reopening Plan</p>		<p>Covid Safety plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - This plan has to be approved by the School board, CDE and Mendocino County Health. - They have all approved and the plan will be implemented when the school reopened. - Sid gave an overview of the parent letter he is sending home. - Some of the information and procedures will be introduced

		by teachers on the first day.
		-Sam closed the meeting at 5:45pm.
Next/Future Meeting	Date: Wednesday, April 14, 2021 Agenda Items <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Continue SSC orientation (members preview prior) ● Covid Safety Plan ● Parent Involvement Policy ● Arts in School 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Invite Louise, the new superintendent, to our next meeting. - Covid Safety plan -
Member Reference/ Resources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Function and Operation of School Site Councils (Sonoma County Office of Ed.) ● How Do SchoolSite Councils Work? (Ed100) ● Where is California's Education Budget Headed? ● Member shared folder ● AVES Bylaws ● SPSA/Expenditure Summary 	

Meeting Dates: Oct 14th, Oct. 28th, Nov 10th, Dec. 9th, Jan. 13th, Feb. 10th, March 10th, April 14th, May 12th, June 9th