

Sage Creek Elementary

Community Council

Meeting Minutes

January 2, 2018

In attendance were the following members: Mrs. Alison Hansen, Mrs. Leslie Ewell, Kelli Giles, Sydney Condie, Ashlee Clark and Stacy Uriona. Digital Coach Pam Turley from the District office joined the meeting as a special guest. Mr. Dewey Houston and Julie Graves were both absent.

Ms. Pam Turley, Digital Coach from Nebo District, presented and answered questions regarding Internet Safety. The Web filter is managed at the district level where it is decided by categories on what to block. There is a G Suite for Education in the Google doc. Nebo District "owns" the Google site. They have access to all and every account. The District reserves the right to see/delete anything that they feel fit. Nebo district is notified if something inappropriate appears and contacts the Principal.

There are approximately 20,000 Chrome books in the Nebo district that students have access to. Students are assigned a Gmail account when they enter into 2nd grade. The 2nd grade teachers at Sage Creek do not access these accounts. In 3rd grade, students will begin using their Gmail account. It is strongly advised that before these accounts are introduced to the students, parents are contacted and informed of these accounts. It is the responsibility of the teachers to make sure that parents are aware and informed about how the Gmail accounts will be used and how to access them.

The students at Sage Creek Elementary are taught "Be Internet Awesome" by the computer tech teacher. These lessons include how to be

- a) SMART- know what to share on the internet
- b) ALERT- identifying good information

- c) STRONG- creating safe passwords
- d) KIND- be kind when emailing and/or making comments
- e) BRAVE- Speak up/Stand up

Each is provided with lesson plans and games to reinforce the concept.

As a school, we are working hard to increase and maintain technology. Ms. Turley will be meeting with every grade level to help increase their knowledge on using and getting the most out of using technology in the classrooms.

The next Sage Creek Community Council meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 6, 2018 at 11:45.