

Highland Elementary School
Minutes of the School Community Council Meeting
Thursday, November 8, 2012

Present: Reed Hodson, Amber Gardiner, Rochelle Pinnock, Brittney Bills, Jaime Ward, Michelle Ririe, Kristen Lee, Marilyn Moore

Call to Order: Amber called the meeting to order at 3:43 p.m.

Public Comment: none

October minutes: approved

UPASS/CRT Data: Mr. Hodson

Discussed data from the following handouts:

1. Proficiency Summary
 - a. Data from 2004-2012
 - b. In 2004 every grade but K tested in the spring. As time went on, 1st/2nd were no longer tested.
2. 2012 CRT School Summary (for Highland)
3. CRT Teacher List by Subject (for Highland)
 - a. Grades 3-6
 - b. Progress score = how much the teacher helped students grow from the previous year
 - c. 200 is a good progress score; 220 and above is very good
4. School Rankings
 - a. Highland does very well overall
5. 2012 CRT School Summaries for Highland

What has gone away:

- AYP (no “passing” or “failing” schools)
- UPASS

What has taken their place:

- Utah’s Comprehensive Accountability System (UCAS)
 - Necessitated by the “grading schools” legislation passed in 2011
 - Based on rankings/percentiles (50% = average)
 - Changed system to a point structure (300 total points)

School Improvement Plan: Amber Gardiner

Our plan generally matches what our test scores say.

Space Center Concerns

Will be rebuilt.

Next Meeting:

Thursday, January 10th at 3:40 p.m. in the media center.

Meeting Ended at 4:55 PM