

Watershed APC Meeting Minutes
August 12, 2020

Zoom meeting

Committee members present: Jarrod Decker, Jason Gillam, Abigail Paul, Amy Arneson, Dave Merrill, Kelly Mansfield, Becky Hansen, Moira O'Malley, Carie Green

At least 61 total participants on Zoom (including APC members)

Meeting commenced: 6:00pm

Agenda Item 1: Welcome and Call to Order

Jason welcomed all the teachers and parents that attended and explained the purpose for the meeting.

Agenda Item 2: Head Teacher update

- a) Current enrollment: 198 students
- b) Budget Update
 - i. Enrollment numbers in 2020-2021 dictate 2021-2022 budget
 - ii. Need to keep full enrollment to maximize our budget
- c) Current Watershed Learning (FNSBSD will let Watershed know when in-person is permitted)
 - i. Full remote
 - a. District suggested active screen-time amounts
 - 1. K: 60-90 min
 - 2. 1-2: 90-120 min
 - 3. 3-4: 100-130 min
 - 4. 5-6 120-150 min
 - ii. A/B Hybrid (in-person and remote)
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- d) Determining A/B cohorts
 - i. Starting with middle school (44 students) because of 3 math courses, then try to accommodate siblings in lower grades.
 - ii. Jarrod teaching some of the middle school math
 - iii. A Cohort
 - a. Mon/Wed
 - iv. B Cohort
 - a. Tues/Thurs
- e) Remote Learning Fridays for everybody

- i. Teachers supported a 6-hr school day with the all remote learning Fridays
 - ii. Friday is a student contact day (there will be work)
- f) School times: 8:30-2:30 (6 hrs).
 - i. This is 1 hour longer than other district schools
 - ii. Allows for recess, PE, outdoor classes/time, library (once a week)
 - iii. Afternoon shuttle bussing possible with this schedule
- g) This will be the schedule for the semester and the APC will reassess in Oct/Nov for spring semester
- h) Field trips
 - i. It's a possibility when in-person learning is allowed
- i)

Agenda Item 3: Testimony

- a) None

Agenda Item 4: Action Items

- a) Daily Schedule (start and end times)
 - i. Motion: Jason moved to adopt the start and stop times for school as 8:30-2:30 and there will be no in-person Fridays (all students will be remote learning on Fridays). Dave seconded
 - a. **Action:** approved unanimously

Executive Session began 6:50pm

Executive Session Agenda

Agenda Item 1: Principal Contract

Semester Meeting Schedule

Third Thursdays

Next Meeting

- a) September 17, 2020, 6:00pm via Zoom

Meeting adjourned: 7:19pm