

East Oldham Middle School  
Record of Council Proceedings  
Minutes  
May 17<sup>th</sup>, 2021

The East Oldham Middle School Council met in regular session with the following members present: Chairman Mark Robson, Heather Shaner, Julia Wheeldon, and Alyson Sidwell. Becky Gordon, Jaclyn Green, and Yolanda Bivins were absent.

1. Meeting was called to order at 4:03pm.
2. The May agenda was approved.
3. The April 19th meeting minutes were approved.
4. Mr. Robson informed Council that we may have a need to include an additional meeting in May, it will be a Special Called meeting, to discuss the Title 2 spending plan. That date, should it become necessary, will be scheduled the last week of May.
5. The Discipline report shows that we have had an increase in discipline incidents since being back in the building at full capacity.
6. PBIS Spring Success program will wrap up tomorrow with a reward for those kids who earned 50 PRIDE points.
7. Mr. Robson informed council that we will welcome 3 new teacher representatives on council next school year. Daniel Viehmann, Allison Giesting, and Stacey Whitlock. We will need to elect a minority parent representative as well as a minority teacher rep.
8. Mr. Robson reviewed the Summer PD (professional development) with council.
9. Mr. Robson discussed the Guskey training program and the switch to Standards Based Grading for the 2021/2022 school year.

10. We have several teachers heading to other OC school, to include Mr. Centers going to OCHS to direct band. Mr. Whitehouse is going to OCHS, we have a Health position open. We have an 8<sup>th</sup> grade Science position open as well. There is a new District position open in the Recovery realm. This position is designed to help us reach kids who need additional help master content, especially in light of the sporadic nature of this school year. Mr. Robson informed Council that we will be offering Mandarin/Chinese classes next school year as part of an outreach program with the Confucius Academy. With this offering, EOMS can apply for a grant that will cover the cost of many technological upgrades for the space/room in which the class will be held.
11. 8<sup>th</sup> grade promotion is able to be held in person this year, we have plans for fun on the last day of school as well, those plans are evolving based on the current Covid restrictions in place.
12. Council went into closed session at 4:57pm to discuss our candidate for the Head Football Coach.
13. Council came out of closed session at 5pm, meeting adjourned at 5pm.

Mark Robson, Principal

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Kristen Cunningham, Recording Secretary

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