

DIXIE HIGH SCHOOL

October 18, 2023, 12:00 pm, Faculty Lounge

Attendees: Warren Brooks, Eric Christensen, Mike Bair, Greg Brooks, Heather Little, Tawnya Kirkland, Cassie Riding, Mindi Barker, Jason Madrid, Charlie Kerr, Devin Huddleston, Derek Schweitzer

# Evan Well, Student Body President:

- Shared the vision for Exec Council this year.
- Don't Fly Solo
- Trying to involve more clubs by having Exec Sponsored Activites, ran by clubs
- Would love to see more students attend activities
- Lots of great traditions that they work hard to make happen!

# Eric Christensen, Assistant Principal:

- Be sure to watch the training video that was attached the email for today's meeting
- Led the voting for Chair, Vice Chair and Secretary
  - o Greg Brooks, Chair
  - o Tawnya Kirkland, Vice Chair
  - o Heather Little, Secretary
- Over 2,000 F's were given, gets expensive for credit recovery, using an Intervention Team to help lessen the need for credit recovery. Teachers have option to assign Incomplete instead, and the student is given two week past the end of the quarter to resolve the F. Fridays teachers don't teach new material...encouraged to review and help students catch up on missing work. AP Classes move forward with work though.

## Charlie Kerr, Counselor:

- Met with 70% of Seniors
- Holding monthly Intervention Meetings
- Attending Counseling Convention in August
- Meeting with teachers already regarding next years schedule
- Next week, Oct 23 begins the week where Seniors can register for free for most Utah Universities and Colleges.
- Toured Dixie Tech, great funding opportunities, Bridge Scholarships
- FAFSA applications are due soon
- Meeting with Sophomores and Juniors next week regarding registration
- Have already had over 1,600 appts with students and parents so far this year

## Derek Schweitzer, Language Arts Teacher, Learning Coach:

- Trains and mentors new teachers
- Only one first year teacher this year
- Principal Brooks stated that he is an Administrator on special assignment

#### Mike Bair, Assistant Principal/Athletic Director:

- Athletics going well, Volleyball and Football play this weekend going into playoffs
- Cross Country resprenting at State
- Need a new head coach for Boys Volleyball. If you have leads have them visit with Mr. Bair.
- Lacrosse will officially start next year, still a club sport this year.
- Especially for Athletes, recruiting students to attend
- Encouraging attendance at activities

### Warren Brooks, Principal:



- Aspire testing results, we have one of the highest participation results... shows the results across the board, not a selected group of participants
- English Learner progress was bottom of the red last year. We have 36 students the speak 0% English. We are developing and making progress! Trust money was very helpful and will continue to be helpful
- Achievement results, need to focus on Math and Science more
- Post Secondary Readiness Results, considers ACT scores that are 18+, 54% of students scored 18+, goal to increase to 60%.
- Growth Results, working hard and growing! Measured by the mean growth rate plus our improvement rate.
- November 1<sup>st</sup>, Parent Teacher Conferences. These results will also be public beginning November 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Hoping to put more money towards programs instead of technology this year.
- 19.5 was the National Average on the ACT Test.

#### ADJOURNED UNTIL THE NEXT MEETING:

Tuesday, December 5<sup>th</sup>, 12:00 pm, Faculty Lounge