

## **Westland School Community Council**

**October 11, 2017**

**3:15 PM**

### **Meeting Notes**

**Members Present: Trisha Gourley, Neffy Nunley, Adam Sagers, Laurie Goodsell, Jen Atwood**

1. Chair and Vice Chair - Neffy Nunley and Trisha Gourley
2. Other Council members (2-year positions) - these are still open positions. We invite community members to come and join our council.
3. Brief review of this year's Land Trust plan
  - Goal: improved achievement in reading and math
  - Classroom aides - we are actively looking for one more classroom/recess aide. There has been a focus this year on using aides more effectively in classrooms. Teachers have been making a concerted effort to have aides participate in interventions for students who are struggling in content areas.
    - 2 Chromebook labs - 6th grade will be one to one this year. All teachers are being trained in Google classroom. 6th grade team is also taking training as well as other teachers. Jen will pass on information about 1 to 1 with legislators and board members. Technical support is the key. More tech personnel are needed to support one to one format. Jen has asked AOS's to figure out where the district is on one to one. Does this help SAGE scores? Not definitive. More information is available to students more quickly. 6th grade teachers will notify parents of how to log into students' gmail account at PTC.

4. School safety plan - aides - what to do during drills? Aides will be trained in emergency and evacuation procedures.

5. Proposed fundraiser

--Carnival (in conjunction with PTA) - this won't be happening this year. We may be able to revisit this idea for next year, but more volunteers are needed to make a big community event like this happen.

--Other proposed ideas - read a thon, walk a thon, Papa Murphy's coupons

Next meeting: January 10th at 3:15