

**KCHS Site Council**  
**02/21/24**

**1. Opening Activities**

Call to Order at 5:00PM

Will Chervenak opened with the KCHS Mission Statement

Approval of Agenda: Motion to Approve Matt Morse and Luke Dubber Second

Approval of Minutes: 12/05/23 Jesse Settlemyer Motioned and Jennifer Johnson Second

**Roll Call**

Present: Dan Beck, Will Chervenak, Mindy Adams, Jesse Settlemyer, Will Hubber, Jennifer Johnson, Luke Dubber, Matt Morse, and Penny Vadla

**2. School Reports**

Principal Report

**Staffing:** Choir Teacher Dr Rob resigned due to a medical condition in December Rosemary Bird is filling in as a long term sub.

Posted both IN Teacher and Choir Teacher positions and no applicants for either. At this point District removed both positions and we will finish off the year how we are with each position having a long term sub

If we stay status quo for next year we would actually be adding one additional certified person. Next year we are projecting enrollment at an estimated 530 student range which would up that certified enrollment by one general teacher. In addition to that the Special Education students are increasing so we anticipate adding a Special Education Resource teacher as well as the IN Teacher. Hopefully those will be posted soon as well as the Choir teacher position as they will be hard to fill.

Our Certified Librarian Jill Dragseth is retiring. That is a ½ time KCHS and ½ time KMS position that we split and we'll post that position later on as well. No changes to the Classified Staff

Matt Morse brought up that there is a new tool on the District website under finance that is called Balancing that you can play around with how the budget might look.

Discussed the budget and how it works and encouraged others to voice their opinion to the Legislature.

**Sports Update:** Jesse Settlemyer

**Winter Sports:** Wrestling hosted Regions. The Boys took 1st and the Girls 3rd. Just Hosted Nordic Ski Regions. Juneau came and joined for the first time in a long time. It was a pretty successful meet. Basketball has a couple weeks left with their Regions going to be down in Homer. Both teams won last night at Nikiski. Both teams are peaking at the right time and hopeful they can qualify for state. State Basketball will be after

Spring Break. Last year was the first year in over a decade that both teams and cheer qualified for state. We are hoping to do that again. Basketball Cheer is going well with a little bit of a hand off to new coaches. Hockey just wrapped up a couple weeks ago. Just finished State in Soldotna and won their first round game but lost their second and ended up finishing 5th state.

**Spring Sports:** March 4th Boys and Girls soccer starting up along with Baseball, Softball and Track. Looking at the snow and deciding on when to plow the field. Spring Esports is going to be starting up soon. Esports has been another really successful sport starting as a club and now going on three years.

#### **Training/Drills:**

Alice drill: First two completed. The first event was an actual Alice Training refresher and the second event was intercom scenario discussion in class. The next intercom scenario will take place 2/27 then the last one will be a live drill on 3/21 with law enforcement. Using the students feedback to help refine the Alice drill process

**Testing:** AK STAR testing will be on 4/8, 4/10, 4/11

3. **Old Business:** Bid awarded for 2 new boilers that heat the pool water and main portion of the school. The pool will be closed this summer for that as well as the water in the building will be shut off for a portion of the time. We will at some point get water back on so we can use the Auditorium. No SPED summer school at the high school; it will be at the middle school and at the Votec computer lab. New carpet will be put in due to the boiler situation in 3 classrooms down the math hall this summer. Gym floor will get its yearly maintenance in June.

Field Restrooms: the architecture work is done still waiting for them to put it out to bid. They are still hoping that it can happen this summer. A lot of drainage and piping needs to be redone. Trying to time it so the Bathrooms, Sewer/Plumbing and Repaving of parking lot to get done around the same time. Lawton Parking lot repave: It's going to be paved from that corner by the pool all the way to the highway and to the end of that parking lot. It's going to be a busy place this summer with maintenance going on

#### **4. New Business**

- a. We did our 8th Grade Tour today. They toured the school and saw some of the electives and had a little meeting in the Auditorium. It went really well
- b. Parent Night April 8th
- c. 2024 Awards Night: 5/12 @ 6:00pm
- d. 2024 Graduation: 5/13 @ 6:30

New Meeting Dates: 4/10, 5/8 (Senior Speeches)

Adjourned at 5:47

