Community Council October 8th, 2026 -Russ Blair's Room 202

Meeting called to order 3:17 p.m.

- Minutes from last meeting-read by Kathy Gubler, approved by Kellie Esplin, Allison Luekenga seconded.
- Welcomed two new members-Allison Luekenga and Rod Broadhead. Jen Fairbanks is not returning. Jacquie Korella nominated Kellie Esplin to be new Chair, Allsion Luekenga seconded.
- Jacquie Korella volunteered to be Vice-Chair, Roger Watson seconded the motion.

- **Ezra Dansie, student body president**- Hyped our staff, admin, custodians. Talked about how teachers promote growth over grades. Student-to-student learning. Everybody has a chance to demonstrate their learning and aren't pigeon-holed with prior grades. Everyone gets along. Our school has a great vibe. We have the best facility. This school year will be amazing.

- **Science Show and Tell-Russ Blair in the lab**
  Mr. Blair showed where the trust lands money for science went. The science department bought new equipment for labs and gets the students in labs as often as possible. Science is doing.

- **School Improvement**
- Data-ACT stayed the same-above 20 is good.
- 10th grade-8% above the state average
- Math-4% decrease, due to Building Thinking Classrooms, truly collaborative math classes, where students are at whiteboards learning together and from each other. This was a new way of teaching last year, so the decrease was expected. Should go up from here.
- Science-57%-science department pushes kids.

- **What makes CCHs different?**
- Habits for Resilient Learners-department heads and teams are using this book to push students to be active learners.
- Providing an experience they can't get anywhere else
- Focusing on growth over the grade, getting kids to focus on learning rather than the math behind the points of their grade.

    - Positive words by Jacquie Korella for the Math, Rod Broadhead says K-6 schools are also doing math this way, so it will be the norm within a few years.

- **New Faces at CCHS-**
- Brad Garrett-Admin TSA

- Cloey Cottam-Language Arts
- Timothy Harrison-Band
- Katie Larsen-Business
- Trevor Povey-Psychology
- Marci Huddleston-Counselor
- Emily Smith-Special Education
- Katrina Judd-Special Education
- Lina Figueiredo-Portugese
- Paola Guerra-Lead Finance Secretary

- **School Goals-**
- Reviewed State Trust Lands Plan with Goals and Actions Steps

Motion to adjourn-Kellie Esplin
Sheila Butterfield seconded the motion

Adjourned at 4:08 p.m.