
Student Council Meeting Minutes

December 13, 2018

Google Classroom Code: 5y4wh7

I. Call to Order : @ 9:42 AM

II. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes
(posted on GC)

Approved by: Erik E

Seconded: Alex L

III. Old Business (and a little new)

A. Concerns about bandwidth

i. District specialist here to discuss (David Watson)

a. No internet service near the student store and band room

b. Student store: traffic/intersection, it's a store so not many people would be trying to get onto the internet

a. The store is a challenging area based on location and how the school was built with classrooms all around. So far they have not been able to fix the problem in that spot

b. Requests were not common before

c. Problem in the theater, autoshop, band, and black box rooms

a. Signals interfering from the apartments across the street (175th), we can't control their internet service, the only thing that would fix that is a type of metal wall as a barrier, but that is too expensive

d. Issues with laptops and guestnet

a. GuestNet was designed not for the students (for parents/guests)

b. Students encouraged to use school-provided tech (already connected to SchoolNet)

c. Range: 100m, 17 channels from fed gov, 1.5mg per person

e. Can Guestnet be faster?

a. Have tried, not effective

b. Personal devices and SchoolNet: liability issues, teachers aren't familiar with personal devices

c. Couldn't block VPN when there was only SchoolNet (when class of 2020 were freshmen)

d. After adding GuestNet got $\frac{1}{3}$ bandwidth back

e. SchoolNet: much faster

- f. We have a bandwidth that is half the size of the Seattle School District. Seattle School District is more than 4 times the size of Shoreline so it's hard to ask for more bandwidth, and it's very expensive
- g. Too many people and logged on to our system using private devices which causes problems
- ii. Also a brief update on the new technology approved starting in 2019
 - a. Paul Witzel and Eric Caldwell
 - b. <https://www.shorelineschools.org/Page/6068>
 - c. Not distributed to seniors

Q2: What did the Board approve?

3,500 Lenovo 500e convertible Chromebooks with hard cases

3-year accidental damage protection

LightSpeed classroom management software for Shorecrest and Shorewood High School students and teachers as part of a take-home one-to-one program

Each high school will have four iPad carts: 3 additional carts of iPads (3 carts + pilot cart)

Individual iPads that will distributed on an as-needed basis, like for Special Education students

30 [Kajeet mobile Smartspots](#) for each high school

Approval of the fine and fee schedule outlined in the background information

- New iPad carts
- Must bring to school!
- 2-in-1 design allows both laptop and tablet mode
- Touch screen
- 2 cameras (world-facing & web)
- Attached stylus
- Gorilla glass screen protection
- 2.2 GHz quad core Intel Celeron processor
- 10 hours of battery life
- See [Lenovo website](#) for more details
- Gumdrops case details
- Features clear front and back window for viewing district tags and student customizations
- Custom molded shell fits securely against the Lenovo 500e for long-lasting protection
- Thick bumper skin around the edges for durable drop protection
- Allows your device to move freely into any configuration (laptop, tablet, tent & wedge modes)

B. Food Drive

- i. December 3-14
- ii. Thank you to everyone who collected at stores

- iii. Help still needed on Friday (periods 4 and/or 6) and at Kellogg starting at 3:30

- C. Class Presentations

- i. Make sure you are signed up for one of the groups
- ii. Double check room assignments - they change based on Odd vs Even days
- iii. Use the TALKING POINTS powerpoint for the key ideas
- iv. If you are absent, check in with your partner

- IV. School Board Representative Report (ran out of time to review)

- A. See minutes copied below agenda

- V. Treasurer Report (ran out of time to review)

- A. Sold 1095 ASB cards (last year: 1080)

- B. ASB cards pay for lots of expenses, requirement for many students

- i. All sports teams
- ii. All performance groups
- iii. All music groups
- iv. ASB officers, DECA, and Drama (any club that receives ASB funds or support including ASB supplies like paper and paint)

- VI. Senator reports (ran out of time to discuss)

- A. Fresh

- i.

- B. Soph

- i.

- C. Juniors

- i. The California Pizza Kitchen fundraiser went very well and we are working on a new fundraiser for Spring

- D. Seniors

- i. Find the Senior Spree page on the Shorewood website and take the survey of what you want to see, payments and forms are available on Friday or in the main office.

- VII. New Business

- A. **Student Survey**

- i. **QUICK = THREE questions**

- ii. **Need EVERYONE to complete the survey**

- iii. **Front page of the SW website**

- B. District Equity Policy Discussion

- i. Thursday, Dec. 20, SAS

- ii. See Mrs. Harris in the Activity Office if interested in participating

- iii. Coordinated by our District Diversity Director of Equity and Family Engagement, Tanisha Brandon-Felder

- C. Blood Drive

- i. Come help your community by donating blood to Bloodworks Northwest. We need a minimum of 30 people before we can secure a date, so please sign up and spread the word! The most likely dates are between December 23-31 at the Shoreline Library. I will get back to you when we have enough people sign up and secure date and location. You have to be 16+ to donate and you will have to sign a waiver. You don't have to be a Shorewood student to donate so tell your family and relatives. If you have any questions contact Maria Solano:
 - a. Phone: (206)209-8132
 - b. Email: mariaandrea174@gmail.com
 - c. <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc7EyPvfhkcAq7OqRBihhTwBgfB6fPk7WJ9oBgKN9maWI8VLw/viewform>

D. Clubs (ran out of time to present)

- i. Investment Club: presented by Sean Santos

VIII. Upcoming dates

A. Student Council Meetings (tent)

- i. 12/13 (Thursday - present Monday, 12/17 because we have link on Friday - it's possible we will have a fire drill during SAS so you may need to finish the reports on Tuesday - check with your partner and/or sign up if you aren't currently assigned to a group
- ii. 1/14 (Monday) - present 1/15
- iii. 2/28 (Thursday) - present 3/1
- iv. 3/21 (Thursday) - present 3/22
- v. 4/18 (Thursday) - present ??? Link Friday then Spring Break
- vi. 5/23 (thursday - present 5/24
- vii. June only if needed

B. Other Events

- i. Winter Pep - 12/21

IX. Adjournment

End time: 10:15 AM

November 15, 2018 School Board Report

Dec. 13, 2018 School Board Report

By Saagar Mehta

1. December 3rd Meeting

- a. The School Board underwent a restructuring
 - i. Mike Jacobs is the new president

- ii. David Wilson is the new vice president
- iii. Dick Nicholson retained his position as the legislative representative.
- b. First Reading: 2018-2019 School Improvement Plans
 - i. Parkwood Emphases
 - 1. How can students be better communicators across all genres
 - a. “Don’t lift up your pencil” writing intervals
 - b. Peer critiquing/collaboration time
 - 2. Personal is professional
 - a. Examining one’s own biases and prejudices
 - b. Entire staff professional development on Race/Equity
 - c. PTA parent group is requesting quarterly training in this regard
 - ii. Lake Forest Park Emphases
 - 1. Writing programs
 - 2. STEM
 - a. New makerspace lab, with focus on including black students
 - 3. Attendance
 - a. At risk students are supported by having an adult check in with them consistently and reward them for showing up.
 - b. Volunteers around the building are making it a point to say hello to the students and take the time to make connections.
 - 4. Professional Development
 - a. Instruction time on Wednesdays is focused on enhancing engagement and achievement
 - b. Race and Equity team professional development for staff
 - iii. Brookside Emphases
 - 1. Opinion writing
 - 2. Different strategies to repair harm
 - a. “Circles”
 - iv. Shorecrest Emphases
 - 1. High expectations for ALL students
 - 2. Increasing student-to-student structure talk
 - 3. Avid: use of an interactive notebook
 - 4. Increased participation in AP classes has meant increased performance

5. Additional Interventions
 - a. "Saturday breakfast club"
 - b. Work over breaks
 6. Monthly race and equity forums
 7. Staff engage in "learning walks" to observe other teachers teach
 - c. 2017-2018 Year-End Financial Report, September/October 2018 Financials and October/November 2018 Enrollment Update
 - d. Action Items
 - i. Authority to purchase high school student computers and approval of fine and fee schedule.
 1. The District opted to go with Lenovo 500e convertible Chromebooks
 2. Seniors will not be receiving chromebooks. Grades 9-11 should receive chromebooks early second semester
 - e. Community Comments/Board Reports
 - i. The Shoreline swim community would like at least a 6 lane pool and a diving well included in the City of Shoreline's new aquatic center.
 - ii. Mandarin learners and supporters alike thanked the Board for the inclusion of Mandarin classes at both the middle school and high school level and asked that support continue.
2. Edwin Pratt Early Learning Center
 - a. The center is almost complete and will be occupied at the beginning of 2019!