In Attendance: Susan Boothe, Susy Devenish, Mark VanVoorhis, Linda Mortensen, Scott Carson

Meeting was called to order at approx. 6:30pm.

Legacy School – Susan Boothe described the Legacy School (Young Mothers Programs). This was very informative and the council members learned facts they were not previously aware of in this great program.

Previous Meeting Minutes were reviewed and voted as Approved.

Scott discussed Student & Staff survey results.

Result of Surveys—NOTE: Scores over 4.00 are very good

STAFF Survey scores were: Standard 1: Purpose and Direction—Avg. score = 4.22; Standard 2: Governance & Leadership – Avg. score = 4.16; Standard 3: Teaching/Assessing for Learning – Avg. score = 3.93; Standard 4: Resource & Support Systems – Avg. score = 4.22; Standard 5: Using Results for Continuous Improvement – Avg. score = 4.22

Overall STAFF Survey score = 4.06

There were three open-ended questions asked regarding what was liked best or least about our school: Best = Strong family-like atmosphere; Working with a team of very dedicated individuals; and Individual student focus. Least = Too much change; Inconsistent enforcement of rules and policies; and Student turnover.

STUDENTS Survey scores were: Standard 1: Purpose and Direction – Avg. score = 3.85; Standard 2: Governance & Leadership – Avg. score = 3.54; Standard 3: Teaching/Assessing for Learning – Avg. score = ____; Standard 4: Resource & Support Systems—Avg. score = 3.69; Standard 5: Using Results for Continuous Improvement – Avg score = 3.69.

Overall STUDENT Survey score = 3.70

The three question results asked of the students were: Best = Welcoming & Caring Staff; Teachers able to help understand and learn; and Students respect each other at the school. Least = Can’t wear hats; Closed campus; Disrespectful students; and School Lunch.

Ways to Improve suggestions were: Allow Hats; Have more student activities; Open up the Campus; and Restore PE Classes.
PARENTS Survey scores were: Standard 1: Purpose and Direction – Avg. score = 4.33; Standard 2: Governance & Leadership – Avg. score = 4.02; Standard 3: Teaching/Assessing for Learning – Avg. score = 3.93; Standard 4: Resource & Support Systems – Avg. score = 4.06; Standard 5: Using Results for Continuous Improvement – Avg. score = 4.01.

Grand Total score = 4.02 (overall Landmark scores)

Hope Squad—Mark VanVoorhis discussed the survey that was taken about the Hope Squad. The top 10 individuals are to be interviewed. Many want to participate. There may be 14 or 15 chosen. They must have the ability to relate to struggling students, care about them, empathize with them, and be sensitive to their needs. The Hope Squad will be an integral component in our Emotional Health and Wellness program.

Upcoming Events – Term 2 Ends January 15

Term 3 Begins January 20

Martin Luther King Holiday is January 19

Student Leadership Conference/PTC is January 22

Next Meeting will be February 4, 2015, 6:30pm.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:30PM