

October Minutes

Campbell County Middle School Counseling Advisory Council

10/16/2014
3:00 PM
CCMS Library

Meeting called by: CCMS Counseling Department

Type of meeting: Advisory Council

Attendees: Linda Bates, Michelle Bullis, Amy Canup, Kelly Crowley, Elizabeth Farris, Christie Henson, Staci Kolkmeier, Katie Sutter, Britane Swank, Erica Thomas

Agenda topics

Welcome and Introductions

Thank you's to Advisory Council

- Thank you to Amy Canup for helping to film the RAMP video.
- Thank you to all of the advisory council for the consistent support throughout the year.

New Staff and Assignments

- Campbell County Schools received a grant to hire additional full time counselors. CCMS was able to hire 2 additional full time people.
- Elizabeth Farris and Staci Kolkmeier have joined the counseling staff at CCMS.
- Ms. Swank and Ms. Kolkmeier will now split 6th grade. Ms. Swank will serve students with last names A-L. Ms. Kolkmeier will serve students with last names M-Z.
- Mr. Crowley, Ms. Farris, and Ms. Thomas will split the 7th and 8th grades by alphabet. Ms. Thomas will serve students at

the beginning of the alphabet, Ms. Farris will take the middle of the alphabet, and Mr. Crowley will take the end of the alphabet.

RAMP Application Overview

- CCMS submitted an application to be a Recognized ASCA Model Program (RAMP) on October 3rd.
- The 12 parts of the application were summarized.
- The video detailing how the CCMS counseling department acts as leaders, collaborators, and advocates to affect systemic change was showed during the meeting.
- CCMS will find out in January 2015 if we have received RAMP certification.

PEAK Award

- As a district, Campbell County is applying for an award for our student support services. CCMS submitted letters from a teacher and student telling the committee how the CCMS counseling department impacts student achievement.

School Year Update

- Projects and programs already and currently taking placed were discussed.
- Details of Camp Camel were given.
Ms. Swank shared the high attendance of Camp Camel.
- Tier 2 groups for the fall are in progress. Currently, we have groups at every grade level for behavior, attendance, and Gallup. In trimester 2, we will start new groups, and we are exploring adding additional topics.
- GAIN-SS Screener
Students who met criteria have been screened to receive additional counseling services from NorthKey who is our community partner.
- Projects coming up were shared:
6th and 8th grade students will take a survey (KIP) on drug and alcohol use.

All students will take the Gallup poll in November.

All students will begin to work on completing ILPs soon.

Students will be identified for Duke TIP soon based on K-PREP and MAP scores.

In March, Operation Preparation will occur.

Project Review-Explore

- 8th graders took Explore Sept. 23-24, and we will receive results back within a few weeks.

Project Review-CLC and K-PREP

- CLC began the first week of school. We have given Second Step lessons on bullying and emotion management.
- Also, we have started Student Success Skills lessons. Over the summer, teachers, counselors, and administrators met to revise the Student Success Skills curriculum to make activities and lessons more applicable to middle school students. Also, each grade level has their own lesson plans so that kids get something different each year.
- Our K-PREP scores were released on Oct. 3rd. CCMS moved from the 77th to 88th percentile overall!

Open Discussion

- Michelle Bullis shared information on Youth Leadership Development (YLD) through the Brighton Center as another resource for students.
- It was discussed that meeting after school is best for most council members rather than meeting in the evening.
- The spring meeting date will be determined at a later time and shared with all council members.

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