

# Eugene IHS Site Council Minutes

## September 9, 2014

Convener: Jessica Schabtach  
Recorder: Peggy Farris

In attendance: Peggy Farris, Kreg Hulings, Janice Ketsche, Amy Duncan, Nazia Swartz, Brian Kuzma, Lubos Hubata-Vacek, Janell Schoellhorn, Brad Schoellhorn, Jericho Schwab, David Inouye, Marilyn Curtis, Wade Powell, Sydney Mathews, Hannah Stupasky, Morgan Christensen

### 1. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

### 2. EUGENE INTERNATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL GOVERNANCE

There are eight Eugene IHS teachers who were voted onto site council and one more is needed.

We hope to have parents from all three campuses. Currently we have one from Sheldon and one from Churchill.

Students from all three campuses are members of site council.

All voices on Eugene IHS Site Council have equal consideration.

Conveners and recorders for site council will change each month and we will rotate through the members.

Wade Powell asked that the membership section of the Eugene IHS governance document be changed to say that one student from each campus will be on site council instead of one **senior** student. Additionally, he would like to change the document to say that one student from each campus will serve in an alternate position instead of one **junior** student. **The members voted and approved this change.**

### 3. REPORTS

**Students** - The student government executive committee set a date for the Eugene IHS Celebration. It will be held June 8, 2015 at Oakway Center.

Student government will advertise and recruit new student government members.

Students are getting ready for their assembly presentation and for t-shirt sales.

## **Reports continued:**

**Parents** – The Welcome to Eugene IHS parent meeting is set for September 22 at 7:00 p.m. at the Ed Center auditorium. Parents will be recruiting others to join the parent group.

**Staff** – The staff retreat was back at the coast after a few years elsewhere. The retreat is a long-standing tradition. The staff gets to come back together as a community, discuss curriculum, have focused conversations, and get to know new staff in a relaxed atmosphere. Being able to start work as a team is special and it is nice to get out of the classroom. Since the district does not fund the retreat, the staff funds it themselves.

We spent a lot of time at the retreat focused on and discussing seminar.

### 4. **IB REPORT** – Marilyn Curtis

Eugene IHS is an IB World School (one of about 2000 worldwide). As a school, we have embraced the philosophy of the IB diploma program. Therefore, we expect many aspects from our students whether or not they are testing in IB.

Eugene IHS had 59 full diploma candidates in 2014. Eighty-eight percent received the IB diploma with an average score of 31. A score of 30 on the IB diploma earns an automatic scholarship at the U of O and OSU. Full IB Results from 2014 are attached.

The IB Parent Information Night will be held on September 23 at 7:00 and IB counseling for our juniors will start soon after this meeting.

IB fees and registration are due October 17, 2014.

### 5. **EEF GRANTS** – Wade Powell

Two projects were presented for EEF grants in the following order:

1. \$2000 for the Eurasian Conference for the rental of the Wheeler Pavilion
2. \$400 for the Eurasian Conference supplies
3. \$800 for the IHS Jazz Band

**Site council members voted and** approved the above prioritizing of the EEF grants for Eugene IHS.