

Site Council Meeting
Wed. Sept 8. 2021
11:51-12:35
Room 216
[zoom link](#)

[Meeting Attendance](#)

Meeting Norms:

- Come prepared
- Keep an open mind
- Communicate actively and respectfully
- Keep discussion on task
- Voice your opinions and those of the people you represent

- I. Welcome/Introductions
 - a. Site Council welcomed Ms. Zachos as the 9/10 team representative, Mr. Anthony as the UA team representative, and Mr. Smith as the nominee for student-appointed staff member
- II. Agenda Review
- III. Club/Organization Updates as possible
 - a. IMPACT Team (David Cote)
 - i. No update
 - b. Justice Committee (Riley Nagle)
 - i. Meeting next Wednesday
 - ii. Prioritizing new member recruitment
 - c. Advisory Council (Riley Nagle)
 - i. No update
 - d. Student Council (Matthew Swenson)
 - i. No update
 - ii. Meeting this month
 - e. School Board (Mr. Hamilton/Matt Swenson)
 - i. The School Board is conducting a public hearing related to new adequacy funding
- IV. Business

- a. Students remember to sign up for SC in your adaptive scheduler
- b. Feedback on the Handbook Hunt
 - i. Handbook Hunt went well
 - ii. Allowed students to learn about Site Council and Handbook
 - iii. Middle schoolers next week (were unable because they did not have Chromebooks)
- c. Sept. Elections (Dalton and Matt) [proposed schedule](#)
 - i. Reach out to students and advisors to recruit candidates
 - ii. Brainstorm new forum ideas because of new restrictions
 - 1. Hold forum over PA system
 - 2. Candidates travel to individual advisories
 - iii. Maybe push the election back a week
 - iv. Primary election to limit the field ?
 - 1. Maybe would work with a larger number of candidates
- d. Pittsfield Community Night Out Sept. 17
 - i. Volunteers who would like to run the booth

V. Debrief

- a. Driving and Restraining Forces
 - i. Driving forces
 - 1. Accomplished a lot
 - 2. Agenda was sent out beforehand
 - ii. Restraining

Important details

- A. The Site Council is made up of nineteen voting members, which includes ten students, six staff members, and three community members.
- B. The Pittsfield Middle High School principal and district director of student services are non-voting members of the Site Council.
- C. The Site Council will meet twice a month during the school year and as needed during the summer months.
- D. A quorum, or two-thirds of voting members, must be present to vote on items. [Thirteen members]

Next Meeting: TBD