PARENT COUNCIL MINUTES

September 28, 2017

In attendance:

UNAMI MIDDLE SCHOOL

Mrs. Lang (Principal), Mr. Murtha (Assistant Principal), Dr. Sime-Cummins (Administrative Intern), Kimberly Cambra (CB Cares), Kim Keller (Yearbook Advisor), 7 parents

OPENING INFORMATION

- Recent information sent out to community regarding mold detected in Unami portable classrooms.
 - Source of mold is the ductwork that is specifically assigned to those rooms (this does not impact the main building)
 - Classrooms are temporarily vacated while remediation occurs. Teachers should be back in their classrooms within one week. Impacted teachers are choosing library and auditorium spaces as their temporary classrooms.

CB CARES



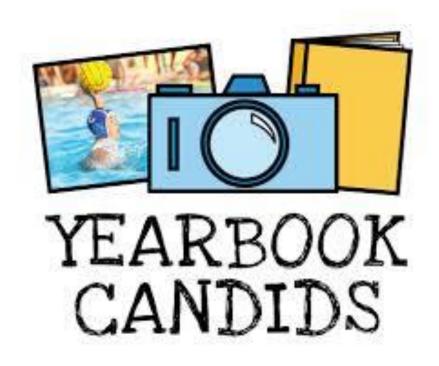
- Kimberly Cambra Head of Organization
- Supports are 19,000+ CB students
- 40 Assets
- Boomerang Recognition Award
- Parent Positive Speaker Series
- Pumpkinfest 2017 October 21, 2-10 p.m.



NEW SCHEDULE FEEDBACK

- New Courses
 - InC
 - Integrated Technology
- More Elective Options
 - Two per day/6 per year
- Advisory Everyday
- Resource Period Every Other Day

YEARBOOK



- Arrowhead 2017-2018
- We need your pictures of school sponsored events!
- Advisors
 - Mrs. Kim Keller <u>kkeller@cbsd.org</u> in room 319
 - Mrs. Abby Clifford <u>aclifford@cbsd.org</u> in room 316
- Subject Line for school event pictures you would like to email: #yearbook
 - The #yearbook in subject line of emails to Ms. Keller/Ms. Clifford automatically sends photos to our yearbook email folder.

WELCOME TO INC!

Focused on twenty-first century skills and career readiness, the one-semester special will incorporate hands-on, problem-based activities. For example, a unit called "ThinC Outside the Box" requires students to think about breakfast cereals, considering factors such as nutritional content, packaging, and marketing. Then they are asked to conceive their own cereal product and plan its market introduction.

INSTRUCTIONS



INTEGRATED TECHNOLOGY

• 7th & 8th grade rotation

•9th grade elective



ADVISORY

STUDENT FEEDBACK:

- "Gives me a break in my day"
- " I really like it because I get to connect with my friends."
- "It's fun!"

TEACHER FOCUS:

- Building Relationships
- Connected to 40 Assets
- Addressing Students' Social-Emotional Needs





Final processing is tomorrow – Friday, September 29

Get your last minute magazine and cookie dough orders in!

All prizes, including the Linc Trip, are available for orders turned in for the duration of the drive!







MAGAZINE DRIVE



UNAMI WANTS THE GIANT BLING DUCK!



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SOUTHSIDE HURRICANE RELIEF

- Unami & Tamanend Walk-a-Thon
 - Friday, October 13 During Extended Advisory
 - Donations Through Advisory & MPP
- Fall Dance
 - Donations @ the Door

CB CARES VOLUNTEER TEENS



- 5 Middle School Chapters
- East, West & South HS Leaders
- Partners with CB Cares
- Unami October 4th, Meeting @ 2:30 PM

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SUPERINTENDENT'S ADVISORY

- Welcome Mrs. LaHoda Unami Representative
 - First meeting yet to be held
 - Email Mrs. LaHoda at <u>smlahoda@comcast.net</u> if you would like to suggest topics/communicate concerns for upcoming Supertintendent's Advisory meetings





CLOSING INFORMATION

 Pennsylvania Youth Survey (PAYS) to be completed by 8th grade students at Unami in early November. This is done during their science class. Survey gathers data on substance abuse and mental health among school-aged students.