COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING

SEPTEMBER 17, 2025

WELCOME: JENA NELSON

THOSE IN ATTENDANCE: KRISTINE ASHCRAFT, CARRISA SANDOVAL, TROY COIL, RUSTY HOLMES, JENA NELSON, KAYE WINTERS

EXCUSED: NATASHA CARROLL, JERRY BECK

SCHOOL PROGRAMS UPDATE/DISCUSSION:

New History Teacher-Joy-Noel Bryan

New Nursery Helpers-Katie, BreElle, Brooklyn

New ESL Paraprofessional- Gaby Suarez

PROGRAMS:

Wellness Room, Nursery, Food Pantry, Humanitarian Closet, Night/Summer School, Family Clinic, School Values, 2nd Year Seniors

SCHOOL TRUST LANDS:

Video shown as an overview of School Trust Lands

Rules of Order and Procedure- Motion to approve by Rusty Holmes and 2nd by Kristine Ashcraft

TSSA/SLT Funding-$24,440.40

PBIS-Money given for good grades and attendance each quarter, student of the month and class achievement awards assemblies each month

October 8th-End of 1st Quarter

October 16th-Red Ribbon Day

UPCOMING MEETINGS:

Will begin at 4:00 pm

November 19, 2025

January 21, 2026

March 18, 2026

COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING
NOVEMBER 18, 2025

WELCOME: JENA NELSON

THOSE IN ATTENDANCE: CARRISA SANDOVAL, NATASHA CARROLL, JERRY BECK
TROY COIL, RUSTY HOLMES, JENA NELSON

EXCUSED: KAYE WINTERS, KRISTINE & ZACH ASHCRAFT

SCHOOL REPORT/DISCUSSION:
Rusty shared the safe guard implementations made this year with. The front door of the school is locked when school begins, a sign on the door informs guests to call school, and the secretary lets them in. He also referred to the school website. He showed where parents and students can access SafeUT and school emergency plan. Carissa asked who is informed when a student submits a tip or starts a chat on SafeUT and if it is confidential Rusty explained the purpose and procedures with this program.

Jena shared the events of Red Ribbon Day, theme “Life is a Puzzle Solve it Drug Free”. She went through the day's schedule, starting with a presentation from “Behavioral Health and Youth Coalition, workshops provided by teachers/staff and involvement from the Army National Guard,Hope Squad and Elks with activities.

Jerry talked about college week - we had Utah Tech University come help students fill out applications to apply to schools, the well attended field trip to Dixie Tech and ASVAB being rescheduled for January 20 (government shut down postponed the original date)

Jena informed the council of our upcoming Thanksgiving Dinner on Tuesday, November 25 at 11:30 at the Hilton Inn and extended an invitation to the council to attend.
Rusty explain the Christmas TA Service Project (12 Days of Christmas) and Faculty Auction to provide Christmas for Millcreek Students

Rusty motioned to adjourn meeting, Carissa seconded the motion

UPCOMING MEETINGS: Will begin at 4:00 pm
January 21, 2026
March 18, 2026

MILLCREEK COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING

JANUARY 21, 2026

WELCOME: JENA NELSON

THOSE IN ATTENDANCE: ZACH ASHCRAFT, NATASHA CARROLL, CARRISA SANDOVAL, RUSTY HOLMES, TROY COIL, JERRY BECK, JENA NELSON, KAYE WINTERS

MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING: KAYE WINTERS

SCHOOL REPORT/DISCUSSION:

Millcreek HS had 31 new sophomores begin school in January 2026. There will be a select few with recommendations from their previous school that will be able to begin as sophomores before January in the future.

Principal, Rusty Holmes will be retiring in June 2026. The new principal has been announced to be Troy Coil. He will be the director over alternative education. The new vice principal is announced to be Macee Black.

It has been discussed to continue using State Trust Land money to continue paying for our mental health counselor who is outstanding, Liz Wallentine. She communicates very well with the students. It is also important to continue funding our behavior tech, Gabby Suarez that helps with our ESL students and doing a great job.

The Community Council Members signed the signature form to be sent in.

Our Christmas TA service project done on December 18th was discussed. The students helped tie at least 30 blankets to be donated

as well as several elementary packets put together for teachers to use. The students that helped were rewarded with a Millcreek trucker hat and $10.00 Maverick gift card.

The Christmas auction was successful and we were able to help some students in need and mothers with babies from our nursery. The rotary club also donated various items such as coats, socks, hats, gloves, shirts, sweatpants, etc. for the students to each take a couple of items needed for themselves or family gifts.

Millcreek will have parent/student CCR's with our teachers on February 4th & 5th.

ACT test will be given to Juniors on March 25th. Sophomores and Seniors will not have school that day.

The Class of 2026 Graduation will be filmed on Monday May 18th throughout the day until early afternoon, with a reception area and photo opts for families.

NEXT MEETING: March 26, 2026 at 4:00 pm

MILLCREEK COMMUNITY COUNCIL MEETING

MARCH 21, 2026

WELCOME: Jena Nelson

THOSE IN ATTENDANCE: Carrisa Sandoval, Jena Nelson, Jerry Beck, Rusty Holmes, Dent Cooper, Troy Coil, Kaye Winters. EXCUSED: Kristin & Zach Ashcraft, Natasha Carroll

MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING: Kaye Winters and Approved by Rusty Holmes & Carissa Sandoval

SCHOOL REPORT/DISCUSSION:

The plan voted on for the 2026-27 year for State Trustlands funds will be used to focus on the ELL program and for Mental Health Support. Funds spent for the 2025-26 year were $34,724.00. Funds expected for next school year will be $35,064.00.

We had 4 people attend the State Alternative Conference in Spanish Fork on March 19th & 20th. They were Troy Coil, Macee Black, Amber Raymer and Dent Cooper.

ADDITIONAL ITEMS:

The National Elks Leaders toured Millcreek HS on March 5th. Millcreek HS received a $10,000 grant for the coming year.

The ACT Test will be given to Junior Students on March 25th.

The first week of April tours will take place at Dixie Tech and Utah Tech for interested Seniors.

Millcreek's Class of 2026 Graduation will be on May 18th from 8:00 am – 12:00 pm. It will be videoed in TA groups with a reception & photo ops for family and friends afterward.

Thank you for being a part of our Community Council this year!