



Treynor Middle School

Jenny Berens spoke at the Treynor Optimist Club on June 8. She is in her 6th year at Treynor. She taught Math at Tri-Center for five years. Jenny is the principal of the Middle School. She spends about 70% of her time with Middle School and 30% as curriculum director.

This year the High School students received laptops. This coming year they will get IPads for the Middle School.

As curriculum director, her job is to:

- Ensure that teachers have what they need
- Ensure the District is following state standards
- Be proactive on technology.

Sixth grade students rotate among their classes. There are no 6th grade sports. Middle school students have their own dances, not connected with the High School ones.

Next year they are trying some books on the computer. Possibilities include English Comp, Government, and Math. For Math, Algebra I, Geometry, Pre Calc, and Calculus have some excellent tutorials available.

Some teachers are trying flipping classes, where the students read the assignment at home and do the homework problems in class with teacher assistance. This is working with Math and with Government.

Students in the Middle school are not allowed to use cell phones. In High School they can.

The school is watching expenses like lights and supplies to keep down expenses.

Calendar

- June 12 - Can Kennel sorting, Baseball Team
- June 13 - Flags put up, 5:00 p.m.
- June 15 - take down flags after meeting
- June 26 - Can Kennel sorting, time TBD
- July 18 - Zone meeting in Treynor at the park, 6:00 p.m.

Birthdays

- Jun 16 - Dale Willenborg
- Jun 20 - Jeff Jorgensen
- Jun 22 - Kevin Elwood

Anniversaries

- Jun 1 - Kevin & Shana Elwood
- Jun 3 - Arlyn & Wanda Norris
- Jun 5 - Steve & Debra Irvin
- Jun 15 - Steve & Jeanie Chambers

Meeting Minutes

Ken Graham opened the meeting on June 8. Gary Funkhouser and Judy Gutttau provided. Ken led the Pledge of Allegiance and Dale Willenborg offered the opening prayer.

Keith Denton contributed to the Youth Fund to for bragging rights. Richard Vorthmann contributed because of the success of the boys and girls ballgames.

Keith Denton won the 50/50 drawing. Richard Vorthmann won the attendance drawing. There were 15 members and one guest in attendance.



Chelsea Cooper received a scholarship check. She will go to Iowa State University and major in Athletic Training.

Chuck Nielsen won the 50/50 drawing. Dee Gutttau won the attendance drawing, but did not collect.

July 18 is the Zone meeting at the park in Treynor. The plan is to provide chicken, baked beans, potato salad. Volunteers can bring brownies and drink.

Jun 28 - Mick & Judy Gutttau

Programs

Jun - Gary Gutttau

Prayers

- June 15 - Chuck Nielsen
- June 22 - Judy Gutttau
- June 29 - Richard Vorthmann
- July 6 - Dennis White
- July 13 - Kirk Vorthmann
- July 20 - Dee Gutttau
- July 27 - Gary Gutttau
- August 3 - Bill Vorthmann
- August 10 - Dennis White
- August 17 - Dee Gutttau