Attendees: Mrs. Birkenhauer, Mr. Schlotman, Mr. Herald, Mrs. Dorn, Mrs. Sutton

Guest: Mrs. Behne

Agenda approved (with flexibility)—Motion made by Mrs. Birkenhauer and seconded by Mr. Herald.

October meeting minutes were approved. Motion made by Mrs. Sutton; seconded by Mrs. Dorn.

Good News:

- Approximately 100 students took COMPASS test today. First observation appear that many did
 well on the test.
- BCHS has received a certificate from the Gilder Lehrman Institute of American History, a national American History Award. (Mrs. Sutton)
- The annual Forensics Tournament is here this weekend.

<u>Public Comment</u>: Mrs. Behne presented information from her research on PLTW Course as discussed at last month's meeting. This is a Biomedical Pathway consisting of four courses. Purpose: to find out what universities in the area accept this AP course and will transfer the credit. Ryle already provides this same coursework to its student and get the AP points (1.08).

Discussion followed. Council approved acceptance of a 1.08 index for the Biomedical Pathway courses which will be retroactive depending upon further investigation that will be reported at the next meeting. Motion made by Mrs. Birkenhauer and seconded by Mrs. Dorn.

Budget Reports:

Reports were examined. Discussion followed. Motion was made to approve by Mr. Herald and seconded by Mrs. Birkenhauer.

<u>Computer purchase</u>: At this time, lab computers are in need of updating. Mr. Schlotman suggests to replace approximately four computer labs. Teacher computers are also outdated. Another problem is that some Special Education teachers do not have laptops. Carryover monies will be used. A motion to approve the purchase of these computers was made by Mrs. Sutton; seconded by Mr. Herald.

<u>Camera Purchase Request for the yearbook</u> was made by Mr. Kohl at the cost of \$675.95. Motion to approve purchase of this camera was made by Mrs. Birkenhauer; seconded by Mr. Herald.

<u>Comprehension School Improvement Plan</u>-- Mr. Schlotman will email it to Council to be reviewed by the December meeting. A motion to accept the rough draft was made by Mrs. Birkenhauer; seconded by Mrs. Dorn.

Scheduling Process Update:

The Team Leaders will be gathering updated course descriptions from their departments. This year, Team leaders will be having more input into the scheduling process.

New Business:

- 8th grade process /orientation and Parents' Night will be different this coming year. January 27 has been scheduled for Ockerman and Cooper. A different date will be set for RA Jones students. 8th graders will come here this year.
- Team Leader meeting yesterday: last two years we have had the highest test scores in our District, yet BCHS is still not being recognized as a quality school by the community. Lengthy discussion about our changing culture.
- Plans to develop include how to reach out to our middle schools—to get those students to think about being a Rebel earlier (i.e. marching in our homecoming parade, inviting these schools to our events, etc.)
- Additional discussion was on how to sell ourselves to the public and getting more parental involvement.

Motion to adjourn was made by Mrs. Sutton and seconded by Mrs. Birkenhauer.

Meeting ended at 8:00 P.M. Next meeting is December 14, 2016.