

**Minutes from PAC meeting- November 10, 2015**  
**Carver's, 8:30-9:15**

Attending:

Sean Woytek, Margery Poitras, Katherine Roddinghouse, Leigh Bright

**Head of School update:**

Sean went to a conference about smoking, drug use and such, which was a research study about how advertisements affect students. Got \$1,000 for going. Hopefully there will be a similar study on marijuana use in the somewhat near future.

The movie, Most Likely to Succeed may be shown again as there was not alto of AHS presence at the original showing due to exhibitions the same night. Possibly a second showing at Fort Lewis would allow AHS teachers to attend and maybe open it to students, as well, extending the day at the Fort for POL prep.

AHS is patnering with Gateway to College- This is a bridge program for students at risk of dropping out to complete high school along with earning some extra credits towards college. Takes a bit out of AHS budget, but better than having kids drop out. Classes are transferable for future credit towards colleges.

Sean is excited about AHS's 1st painted wall on campus!

9th grade SLC are traditional format, but Upper classmen used a different format ranging from more of a dialog interview(10th graders)- starting with students speaking honestly to their parents/guardians about who they are. More of a personal expression rather than checklist format. 11th graders' dialogs included thoughts about college- what they wanted and what they needed to do to achieve their goal and best fit.

Osprey Games are November 18th and Ashley has been hard at work to put on a great show, hopefully raising significant funds for general operations of AHS.