

Tiffin Schools
Business Council Meeting Minutes
April 16, 2026
8:00 AM
TCS Administration Building

Larry Kisabeth called the meeting to order at 8:00 am on Thursday, April 16, 2026, at the TCS Administration Building. He asked everyone to read the minutes from the March meeting. Larry asked for a motion to approve the minutes. Dr. Joanna Beres moved to accept the minutes as presented. Chris Joyce seconded the motion. Larry called for a vote, the motion passed.

Pat Smith presented the following items for evaluation and discussion.

1. Community Job Fair business evaluations completed by the businesses. She also presented the list of job seekers to show how they had heard about the event. After a brief discussion about the Community Job Fair and if it should be held next year. It was decided that it was a worthwhile community event as long the businesses wanted to participate.
2. The evaluations from the Student Job Fair were passed around. While they were being read, questions were answered about the event.
 - a. One of the evaluations suggested inviting Carey and Upper Sandusky, an invitation will be sent next year.
 - b. The gift cards were a good idea, but it is hard to get them distributed after the event. The cards were given to students that had the most tickets turned in. They were equally divided between all the schools.
 - c. Possibly calling it a Job/Career Fair might open more doors for students to come and research careers in local businesses.
 - d. All information about the event should go to all levels at each school every time emails are sent.
3. Noble's Business Showcase on May 13 for the 5th graders was presented. There are six businesses signed up and one more calling back today. It will be held in the cafeteria/gym. Each class will come separately to the gym and move in small groups between the tables. Each table will present information about their business, possible careers, and have a hands-on activity.
4. The Future Ready Rotation to be held with the College and Career Ready Classes at Columbian on May 5 was presented. There are 10 students in 2nd period 2 and 18 students in 4th period. A handout showed the six tables the students will rotate between: Dining Out, Appointment Making, Persuasive Speaking, Customer Service, Applications/Interview and Traffic Stop and the businesses people handling that table. There are 1 opening in the 2nd period rotation and 5 opening in the 4th period that still need to be filled. Gage Gorman filled the 2nd period opening and added his name to the 4th period group. Carl Pastorella and Adam Gilmore added their names to the 4th period rotation also.
5. An update on Camp Invention was given. The number of students has been increased from 89 to 100 and the number of Leaders in Training was increased from 6 to 8. The Camp Invention Team decided to increase the numbers because when we reached our goal of 89, there were 7 on the waitlist and several were past participants.
6. Since camp will be going on during our June meeting, Pat asked if they would like to meet at the Middle School and take a tour of camp. Everyone agreed with that suggestion—June's meeting will be at TMS, room to be announced.
7. The council members were given the challenge to each find one business to join the group. We have a couple of members that have work commitments that keep them from attending and would like to go off the committee. Thus, we need some new members.

Larry adjourned the meeting at 8:59.

Next Meeting: May 21, 2026
Time: 8:00 AM
Place: Hampton Inn