Opportunity Gap Reduction Plan 2022-2023

School District: Stanwood-Camano High School: Stanwood High School

School FRPL %

35%

| ASB Card Possession Opportunity Gap %: | 69% | Gap Plan Required? | Yes |
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| Extracurricular Participation Opportunity Gap %: | 35% | Gap Plan Required? | Yes |

The intent of ASB Card Possession/Extracurricular Activity Gap Plan is to reflect on and identify additional barriers that prevent students who are low income from participating in optional, noncredit extracurricular activities such as clubs, school events, and athletics. Please share your ASB and athletic fee data with your ASB student council before filling out this gap reduction plan. Gap Plans for 2022-2023 are required for either Opportunity Gaps over 12%.

1.Our school used the following approaches to determine barriers to ASB card possession and/ or extracurricular participation:

| | Yes/No |
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| Survey students on their participation | No |
| Survey parents on their students' participation | No |
| Evaluate required factors for participation (transportation, materials/uniforms, etc.) | Yes |
| Compare school data to other schools with similar demographics | Yes |
| Conduct a cost benefit analysis of offerings | Yes |

Other:

| 2. What are some of your students' barriers to student possession of ASB Cards? | Barriers |
|---|----------|
| Interest | No |
| Timing | No |
| Identifying eligible students | Yes |
| Communication/Marketing | Yes |
| Cultural responsiveness/awareness | Yes |

Other:

- 1.Students may not see the benefits of having an ASB card when not required to purchase.
- 2. Perhaps cost for students who do not qualify for waivers.

| 3. What are some of your students' barriers to student participation in extracurricular activities? | Barriers |
|---|----------|
| Transportation | Yes |
| Cost | Yes |
| Timing/Schedule | Yes |
| Availability/Options | No |
| Communication/Marketing | Yes |
| Cultural responsiveness/awareness | Yes |
| Interest | Yes |

Other:

- 1. Conflicts for students wanting to participate in multiple activities/timing.
- 2. Additional expenses for equipment, etc. like tennis rackets, golf clubs, running spikes, etc.
- 4. Describe the action steps the school/district will take to reduce the opportunity gap in student possession of ASB cards and/or participation in extracurricular activities for the up coming school year.

Our HS ASB council reviewed the ASB/Athletic data as well as discussing ways to address our opportunity gap. Our key areas for action are:

- 1. Promote ALL benefits of an ASB card to start the year utilizing freshman orientation.
- 2. Utilize Club Fairs, announcements, social media and more to highlight ways students can be involved.
- 3. Communicate early and help students with applying for free & reduced lunch.
- 4. Research a potential "equipment closet" for sports.
- 5. Facilitate scheduling conversations between coaches and advisors.