

Osceola Elementary School School Advisory Council

SAC Minutes

March 5, 2019

Members in attendance: Sarah Blevins, Jose Caride, Amber Noseworthy, Rebecca Keffer, Tina Waldrop, Ashely Cousins, Christine Stephan, Kathleen Hunting, Nancy McManus, Bonny Furlong, Milli Holtzendorf, Shelly Erb, Amber Noseworthy, Jose Caride, Thomas Adornetto, Deborah Giordano

Others present:

- Meeting called to order: Called to order at 5:31
1st Motion: Jose Caride, 2nd Motion: Amber Noseworthy
After discussion, the vote was taken and a majority of the board approved the motion.
- Review and Approval of February minutes
Edit: “Agenda” should say minutes, name spelling correction
1st Motion: Jose Caride, 2nd: Nancy McManus
After discussion, the vote to approve the minutes with necessary corrections. A majority of the board approved the motion.
- Funds Report: no new business
- AVID update: 1st grade: Color coding of notebooks and folders, two-column notes and four square graphic organizers in various subjects, AVID cheers are used throughout the day, class discussion about WICOR and levels of questioning
- Review & Approve School Recognition Funds Plan
Ballot was presented to staff, one option was given as well as a write in. If a majority of ballots is met, we bring it to SAC to approve. A majority of teachers and staff voted for option 1.
1st Motion to Approve the Selection: Jose Caride,
2nd Motion to Approve the Selection: Amber Noseworthy
After discussion, the vote to approve the school recognition ballot was approved by a majority of the board.
- District Update: STEM Fair-95 students from across the district, 5 from Osceola
Character Cup: March 27th at St. Augustine High, every elementary and K-8 school sends a team, PE coaches are establishing teams, mascot can attend
- Title 1 Update: Review & Revise Title 1 Learning Compact & Parent Family Engagement Plan
School-Parent Compact Corrections:

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-Pamphlet: change “word” to “work” in the “Shared Responsibilities for High Student Academic Achievement 118(d)” section, change “are” to “were” in same section

-Paper Compact:

Parent Pledge: fourth point down change “read” to “reads”, change parent opening sentence: “We will support our child’s in the following ways” allowing for the main points to remain as written

OES will: change “ask” to “must” about completing a School Access form

Student: 2nd point, take our first “learn” to read as “can and will learn”

Changes will be made and shown during April meeting. We will approve the amendments then.

Parent Involvement Policy

-Pictures were changed

-Opportunity Changes: Meet the teacher as its own point, new point for “AVID Open House/Curriculum Night” , eliminate “Read and Feed”, capitalize “STEM”, capitalize “Dad’s Take Your Child to School Day”, change “Muffins for Moms” to “International Women’s Day Breakfast”, add “Fall Festival”, remove “drama and music” and change to “student performances”, change title to “Opportunities for Parent Involvement”

-Parenting Rules: take out “or” and replace it with “/”, add “every day” to rule 1

-Resources: delete “new”, change to “Florida Standards Assessment (FSA)”, change to “language interpreter” instead of specific

-“School-Parent Compact” to match the other document (center section)

-Add information about filling out a school access form above “Resources Available”, Title “Volunteering? Visiting?” then add verbiage from School-Parent Compact

Changes will be made and discussed in April.

- Principal comments:

- We have finished the third round of FSA scrimmages to adjust our students to prepare for testing, administrators and teachers understand steps prior to testing day

- Friday night art show: some of our students were showcased with monsters and pictures

- 5th grade AVID visit from Murray Middle School

- Open Floor (Celebrations/Questions)

- Mrs. Hatcher has set up “testing buddies” for the younger students to be paired with another grade for testing

- K-Kids made testing posters for encouragement

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- Next meeting date: April 2nd at 5:30
 - Needs Assessment highlights will be discussed, closes March 31st
 - May: Murray Middle School principal to attend
- Meeting called to close at 6:23 pm
 - 1st Motion: Jose Caride, 2nd Motion: Amber Noseworthy
 - After discussion, the vote was taken and a majority of the board approved the motion.