



# Southern Oregon Success Academy

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## SOSA Site Council December 18, 2024 - Minutes

**Members Present:** Michael Herzog, Zandra Jansma, Candice Currier

**Absent:** Brenda Aguilera, Janee Strauss, Gina Valenzuela

**Other Attendees:** None

**Old Business:** [Review Old Business 11/20/2024.](#)

### **Duties:**

1. The development of plans to improve the professional growth of the school's staff;
2. The improvement of the school's instructional program;
3. The development and coordination of plans for the implementation of programs at the school in accordance with Oregon's Educational Act for the 21st Century;
4. Advising the Board in the development of a plan for school safety and student discipline under ORS 339.333.
5. Provide information and feedback to the Board.

### **New Business:**

#### **Culture and Climate:**

1. The SOSA's Toy Box event was a success. The student council did a great job setting up for the event, decorating and helping out where needed.
2. Veteran's Day: We would like to make a new tradition to celebrate our Veterans. Some ideas are to make banners and line our fences with them and participate in the Merlin parade.

**Safety:**

1. No concerns at this time.

**Family Involvement:**

1. We will be doing our Bunco event again this year at the Fruitdale Grange. It is scheduled for March 7th.
2. Our Spring meeting will be in Cave Junction this year. We are thinking of doing a fun day/carnival type event.

**Student Success/Lifelong Learners:**

1. PY+ has been encouraging attendance and participation. The students celebrated a Christmas themed Spirit Week also a Christmas Attendance Raffle.

**Other items to discuss:**

1. We are going to change the time to meet to 2:00pm.

Please review our Tile 1 documents:

- a. [SOSA 2024/2025 Student/Parent/Teacher Compact](#)
- b. [SOSA School wide plan](#)

**Next meeting date and time:** January 15, 2025 at 2:00pm.