

Southern Oregon Success Academy

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SOSA Site Council February 26, 2025 - Minutes

Members Present: Michael Herzog, Zandra Jansma, Candice Currier, Bailey Reed, Kirstie Forsey and Gina Valenzuela

Absent: None

Old Business: Review Old Business 1/15/2025.

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. Masquerade Prom is April 26th at the Fruitdale Grange.
 - a. We need help with setting up and tearing down.
 - b. Candice is working on decorations.
 - c. Kirstie will get a bus from IV for students who want to attend.
- 2. PY+ monthly activity will be focused around St. Patrick's holiday. We will be doing class competitions with riddles and math problems every Thursday through the month and How Lucky are you? We will have Leprechauns, shamrocks and pots of gold hidden around campus for students to find and win a prize.

Safety:

1. SOSA keeps its doors locked at all times.

Family Involvement:

- 1. Family Bunco Night is March 7th from 6-9pm at the Fruitdale Grange. This is a fundraiser for Prom 2025. PY+ will buy tickets for students who volunteer to help at the event.
- 2. Title 1 Spring Meeting will be on April 10th. It will be a Math themed meeting.
- 3. Encouraged students to invite their parents to join the Site Council.

Student Success/Lifelong Learners:

- 1. SOSA's Student Panel just happened. It was amazing. Students enjoyed conversing with the TRSD School Board and Superintendent.
- 2. Graduation is May 29th. We started Senior Advisory meetings this year, which has been very successful.

Other items to discuss:

1. None at this time.

Miscellaneous:

Please review our Tile 1 documents:

- a. SOSA 2024/2025 Student/Parent/Teacher Compact
- b. SOSA School wide plan

Next meeting date and time: March 19, 2025 at 2:00pm.