

# Faiss Middle School

## School Organizational Team Minutes

February, 12, 2024 4:00pm

The Faiss Middle School, SOT meeting was called to order at 4:03pm on January 29, 2024.

### Voting Members:

Michele Ward, Parent Chair	Shannon McCormack, Teacher
Mike Tomorsky, Teacher	Staci Crosby, Teacher
Kara Nieland, Parent Secretary	Brittany Donahue, parent -online
Jason Newburg, Support Professional	Stuart Sneddon, Parent - online
Tori Sadiki, parent	Jeff Wells, parent - absent
Monica Primm, Support Professional - absent	Nichole Gentry, Teacher

### Non-voting Members:

Roger West, Principal	Sean McCormack, community member
Zoey Munoz, representative student	

### Faiss Middle School Administration:

Roger West, Principal	Amanda Skrogstad, Assistant Principal
Melissa Giannantonio, Assistant Principal	Joe Vespo, Assistant Principal - absent
Shirley Cunningham, Assistant Principal	

### Agenda Items

#### 1.0 Welcome and Roll Call

#### 2.0 New Items

- 2.1 **Minutes.** Approval of the minutes from the January 2024 meeting Jason motion to approve 2<sup>nd</sup> by Shannon passed unanimously.
- 2.2 **School Updates.** The health office is working on immunization checks. Admin is making sure that after school the kids are getting on the correct busses to go home. A parent engagement night is being planned for March 7<sup>th</sup> with a Mythology theme. Winter athletics are wrapping up their seasons and the basketball teams are both still in 1<sup>st</sup> place. A spring sports meeting was held February 12. Try-outs for Soccer and volleyball coming up. There are still lots of club/activity available like gaming and art clubs. For the 8<sup>th</sup> grade science classes there will be a competition building cars to race and the winners get to attend the NASCAR race and meet the drivers. A Valentine's Day dance will be hosted by the Choir on February 14 afterschool.
- 2.3 **School Plan of Operation.** Discussion and possible action to approve the proposed budget for the 2024-2025 school year. Added to 3.1

#### 3.0 General Discussion

**3.1 MTSS presentation.** Faiss MS staff will share update on academic, behavioral, and attendance progress and programs. There is a multi-tiered system of support for the students for each area academic, social, and emotional. A slide show presentation was presented. Chronic absences are looked at individually with interventions such as calls home, meetings with the parents and verifying accuracy of the absence. With regard to discipline the staff has been asked to input both major and minor incidents so that the interventions can happen and plans can be put in place to get the students back on track. A student perception survey was given that all students took for each of their classes. The staff is looking at the data to gather what the feedback is telling them.

#### 4.0 Information

##### 4.1 Next meeting March 4, 2024 at 4pm Faiss MS library

#### 5.0 Public comment period (2 minutes maximum allotted) no comments

#### 6.0 Adjourn - Meeting adjourned 5:18PM Motioned by Shannon 2<sup>nd</sup> by Nichole.