

Faiss Middle School
School Organizational Team Minutes

December 11, 2023 4:00pm

The Faiss Middle School, SOT meeting was called to order at 4:00pm on December 11, 2023.

Voting Members:

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

Non-voting Members:

Roger West, Principal	Sean McCormack, community member
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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 November 2023 meeting. Stuart motion to approve 2nd by Shannon passed unanimously.
- 2.2 School Updates.** The end of the first semester is coming up. Performing arts concerts wrapped up the previous week with theater to have theirs in classes yet. The MAPs testing was conducted earlier in December with other testing coming up. A basketball tournament to be held over winter break with 8 schools participating. The improvement projects are making good progress but some will take longer due to planning and prep needed. Open positions being filled like the counseling and custodian. Took a tour of the school to see some of the changes that are being done for improvements.
- 2.3 School Plan of Operation.** Review winter MAPs data. Went over worksheet handed out comparing scores from previous years to current year. Overall the data shows growth and looks good.

3.0 General Discussion

- 3.1 Learning management tools.** Staff will share how to navigate Canvas and Infinite campus. Tabled to a future meeting.

4.0 Information

- 4.1 Next meeting – January 8, 2024 at 4pm –** may need to be changed to accommodate discussion of the budget.

5.0 Public comment period (2 minutes maximum allotted)

6.0 Adjourn - Meeting adjourned 5:16PM Motioned by Shannon 2nd by Stuart.