

SAC Minutes

Poinciana Elementary School

8/20/2024 8:15 a.m.

In Person/Teams Meeting

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Agenda

Meeting Call to Order at 8:17

Officer Reports

1. President: Elizabeth Love
2. Vice President: Margret Love
3. Secretary: Victoria Ashmore
4. Public Relations: Katie Fernandez

Last Meeting Follow-up

- Katie is new to SAC

New Business

Mrs. Whitehead -

Started year fully staffed

Kindergarten - Gabriella McPherson - a former Pelican

1st Grade - Ms. Knaish - Very strong in the Science of Reading

2nd Grade - Mrs. Russell has joined the team.

3rd Grade - Ms. Fernandez - from GAE - Strong quality instruction

4th Grade - Ms. Greenen Baker - strong in classroom management and driven by student success

Dr. Stair is our new AP - Has already been in classrooms. Working with attendance - Our goal is 96.56% that is 2% points increase from last year. Will be promoted with parents.

Parapros - Ms. Gardi had all students assessed in phonics/fluency by day 3 after training parapros. This expedites intervention groups and the implementation of Amira.

1. Professional Days / Early Release Days -

- a. Full Day professional days for teachers to plan. It would be very helpful to have appointments for students to possibly be made on these days if possible.
- b. Only two early release days - before Winter Break and Spring Break.

2. School Improvement Plan

- a. SIP - Completed and are now applying strategies. It will then be approved by the district along with SAC input. We want strategies that can be implemented with fidelity.
- b. Reading is the Key.

3. Yay! School Grade "A"

- a. Motivated students, teachers and families. New materials, parent support has been wonderful
- b. K - 2 - Take STAR - now is under the state and is considered part of the FAST TEST
- c. Ms. Whitehead will have parent meetings by grade level again for families with strategies for supporting their student success.

4. Looking forward to 2024-2025

- a. Parent Support is Key
- b. FOCUS Parent Portal is a must - can see grades through 12th grade. There is an app for it now as well.

Important Dates:

College Colors - August 30th

Title 1 Night and Open House - September 5th 5:45PM-7:00PM

PTO would like a table in the Hallway.


Class Pictures - October 9th

Parent volunteers needed - See Ms. Lara

Tuesday Folders go home today - One side is to keep at home and the other is to return to school - forms to fill out. Vital Communication tool for papers.

Our [Facebook](#) page has up to date information for everyone to see.

There is a Poinciana PTO FB link as well.



At Poinciana Elementary, we are building leaders every day! We are building Leaders for Life!

Adjourn at 8:41 am.