Patriot Oaks Academy SAC Minutes – October 20, 2015

Attendance:

Present	F=Faculty C=Community/Parent
	Amanda Allen (F) Kristy Brown (F) Meredith Connell (C) Karen Correale (C) Debbie Driscoll (C)
	Emily Harrison (F) Suzanne Maurer (C) Casey Schwartz (F)
	Heather West (C) Meredith Williams (F) Beth Medina (C) Stephanie McLeod (C) Jay Frisco (C) Julie Bentley-Business Partner (C) Julianne Player (C)
Absent	Caroline Carignan (C) Jennise Garcia (F) Annaleesa Hanks (C) Jeanine Livingstone (F) Mildred Sierra (F) Valerie Spees (C) Angie King-Business Partner (C)
Non-Voting	Catherine Van Housen (F) Kim Dixon (District Buddy)

Call to Order:

A meeting of the POA School Advisory Council was held in the Media Center on October 20, 2015. Chair Kristy Brown called the meeting to order at 3:36 pm. Casey Schwartz will record minutes for this meeting.

Old Business:

Minutes:

K. Brown motions to approve the Minutes of September 22, 2015 meeting. One change in meeting minutes. Cosmetic name change. B. Medina 2nd.

New Business:

Support staff member- Rafael Tavares voted in as a support staff member. Julianne voted in as an official voting member.

By laws- no changes made from last year.

Kristy Brown motions to approve by laws- Frisco 2nd.

SIP- School Improvement Plan

In early October Mrs. Harrison presented the plan to the school board. At today's meeting it was presented to the School Advisory Council.

SIP Plan posted on our website

Highlights-

- 1. Calculate effect size data in all areas to ensure students achieve at least one year of growth
- 2. Track and demonstrate improvement in the area of writing grades 6-8
- 3. Track and demonstrate improvement in the area of writing grades K-5

Highlights of the SIP from the principal:

- 1. Learning is personal-innovation & genius hours
- 2. Business partner section of the SIP- highlighting important parts of the school that are funded by our business partners (takes us from good to great)

Principal's Report

1. November 3rd there will be a Visible Learning audit

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N/A
Next Meeting Date & Time: The next meeting will be held on November 17, 2015 at 3:30pm in the Media Center.
Meeting Adjournment: K. Brown motions to adjourn the meeting at 4:16 pm. 2 nd consensus.

Submitted by K. Brown, Chair Name of Recorder: Casey Schwartz

Good of the Group/Open Agenda:

Approval Date: _____