

OCMS SBDM APPROVED MINUTES

Friday, January 22, 2021 | Meeting called to order by Mr. Matt Jacobson

Record of Council Proceedings
Minutes – January 22, 2021

The Oldham County Middle School Council met in regular session at Oldham County Middle School in Buckner, Kentucky on Friday, January 22, 2021.

In Attendance

Members present: Matt Jacobson – Chairman, Snehal Chauhan-Parent, Kym Wright-Teacher, Jessica Baldwin-Teacher, Matt Brown-Parent and Chris Nethery-Teacher was absent.

Council Items-

The meeting was called to order by Matt Jacobson at 4:31 p.m.

1. Approval of the Agenda- The agenda was reviewed and a motion was made to approve the agenda by Jessica Baldwin and seconded by Snehal Chauhan. All were in consensus of approval of the agenda.
2. Approval of Minutes – The Council reviewed the December Draft Minutes. Kym Wright made a motion to approve the minutes and Jessica Baldwin seconded the motion. The December minutes were approved by consensus.
3. Council Action Items:

i). Review of SBDM Council Board Report. The Council reviewed and discussed the report. A question arose about what does the acronym REP stand for and Mr. Jacobson said “Realizing Everyone’s Potential”. Then it was asked what does the acronym PRIDE stand for P=Positive=What does it look like to show that I am proud of myself and my school? R=Resilience=How can I make better choices to become a better problem solver? I=Influence=How can I impact others around me? How do the decisions I make impact others? D=Dependable=How can I ensure that I am on time, prepared and where I need to be? E=Effort=How can I put forth my best work and do my best? The Council reviewed all the different ways we are reaching out to support students who are struggling. There were no additional questions. Kim Wright made a motion to approve the SBDM Council Board Report and Jessica Baldwin seconded the motion. All were in consensus and the Report was approved.

- ii). Review Policies 9001, 5002 and 5002.

The Council reviewed Policy 9001 on Eligibility for Extra Curricular Sports. There was a question on Section III. Eligibility – under #1. (last sentence was not complete). There were questions about the use of Care Cards and Referrals and what the difference was. Mr. Jacobson said he would invite Mr. Redecker to the next SBDM meeting to answer any questions they may have about the policy.

The Council reviewed Policy 5001 Selection of Principal When There Is A Vacancy. There were no questions.

The Council reviewed Policy 5002 Assistance To The Principal In Selection Of School Personnel. There were no questions however the Council wanted to change the wording in the second paragraph from Candidates for counselor and assistant/associate principal shall be interviewed "by a student" to interviewed "by a staff and stakeholder committee". Also, they wanted to correct a grammatical error under D. Emergency Situations in the second to last sentence it says "candidate is is needed" change that to "candidate is needed" ...

iii). Items for Next Month – Review of Policy 9001 with Mr. Redecker.

Consultation on Personnel Actions. The Council went into closed session at 5:33 p.m. and came out of closed session at 5:39 p.m.

General Public Concerns: None at this time.

Motion to adjourn was made at 5:39 p.m. by Kym Wright, seconded by Snehal Chauhan and all agreed by consensus.

Agenda for Next Month

Please email any items you would like to discuss to Mr. Jacobson at least one (1) week prior to the meeting.

Next Meeting

The meeting that was to be held Monday, January 25th at 4:30 p.m. in the OCMS Media Center was cancelled. The Council will meet February 4th at 7:15 p.m. at the Arvin Center to give their Board report. The next meeting to be held will be on Monday, February 22nd at 4:30 p.m. in the OCMS Media Center.

Mr. Matt Jacobson, Principal

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