

Oak Pointe Elementary School

School Improvement Council

January 12, 2022

7:30 a.m.

Minutes

Attendees:

Lollie Haselden, Kara Cieri, Kaitlin Tew, Melissa Shelton, Jennifer Metts, Chris Wingard, Jacquelyne Battle, Ashley Merrick, Kristie Smith, Melissa Acosta

Principal Report:

- ISS Instruction is available to any students or staff that are struggling in any area
- COVID numbers look worse than they are: OPES is at 22-24%, threshold is 30%
- Recommendation is if you have to go virtual is to do it for 7 days.
- We have to focus on our WHY of educating kids and keeping them safe.
- Winter MAP testing went well and we are working on conferences with parents if needed
- THRIVERS book study is about to kick off: brief video for each character trait sent once a week; will have 3 discussion groups and discuss different chunks of the book; will send out questions we will discuss before each Google Meet

PTO Report:

- Holiday Shop was a HUGE success – the kids loved it
- Giving out notes from the Thankful Tree was very heartwarming and fun
- Nacho Bar went really well for the staff
- In February we will be having a coffee truck coming for teachers and staff

New Business:

- School of Choice window is open – Jan. 30
- Teacher Recruitment Fair went well
- Dr. Ross was named permanent Super Intendant – Feb. 1
- Working on Budget Consideration/Needs Assessment for OPES
- OPES got a grant for a sensory walk in the bus loop under the awning!
- There is an Open House for potential teachers/staff on February 3 from 4:00-5:00

Next Meeting:

Wednesday, February 9th at 7:30 via Google Meet or Hybrid

Adjourn at 8:15 a.m.