



**Woodland Elementary School
School Governance Council
MINUTES**

November 19, 2019

7:30 AM

Front Office Conference Room

Attendees: Tara McGee, Principal; Jill Osmerg, Assistant Principal; Mary Magas, Teacher; Jessica Penn, Teacher; Lauren Girard, Teacher; Jerry Ethridge, Parent; Lara Griffin, Parent; Andrea Sharper, Parent

| Time | Agenda Item | Person in Charge |
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| 7:32 | Call to order | Mr. Ethridge |
| 7:32 | Action Item: Approve Agenda 1 st : Magas; 2 nd : Osmerg – all approved | Mr. Ethridge |
| 7:33 | Action Item: Approve October Minutes 1 st : Magas; 2 nd : Penn – all approved | Mr. Ethridge |
| 7:34 | Informational Item: Principal's Update Teacher workdays: 3.13, 3.24 Digital Learning Day: 4.21, 5.19 Starting in 2020, WES will be a polling school, Sandy Springs and North Springs as well, feeder schools can work with their SGC to make them regular days. Special edition of Wildcat Newsletter going out this week with survey for parents (2 videos to be included: WSB TV spot & Design Thinking video), survey is very important for school climate rating; Focusing on STEM thinking, design thinking, PBIS and PRIDE, Girls on the Run, Spelling Bee champions, WES won gift card from orthodontic office; always looking for ways to raise funds; Need to update iPads (\$20k), getting new laptops for students in January (county providing); need more mentor texts, non-fiction leveled readers for classrooms; Magas' idea: auction for lower grades, raised \$2-3k in the past, Magas to head up; STEM Night this week; International Night in January, Magas to ask PTO for area during International Night to sell auction tickets; still waiting on Title 1 numbers to come in; Coffee with the Principal last week; Sanford Harmony Training with teachers occurring; Chris 180 training happened as well. | Mrs. McGee |

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| 7:53 | <p>Discussion Item: Strategic Plan Pillar</p> <p>Tammy Felton (coding club & student government) will be creating a coded card to go out to the business partners. PBIS (Positive Behavior Intervention Support) goal to remind students how to act with PRIDE, decreasing number of behavior issues.</p> | Mrs. McGee, Girard |
| 7:57 | <p>Discussion Item: Other Comments</p> <p>Superintendent Advisory Committee – Jerry and Carl selected; working to eliminate the IOWA test, expensive and other ways are being used to do what the test used to do; meeting monthly; working on consistency throughout the school system, but what does that look like, a lot of data to look at to give what the school needs, equity vs. equality. Website audit – all good, just adding SOA for August.</p> | All |
| 8:03 | <p>Action Item: Adjourn Meeting</p> <p>Magas motioned. All approved</p> | Mr. Ethridge |

Next Meeting: December 10, 2019 at 7:30am