

MINUTES

Palo Verde High School School Organizational Team Meeting May 14, 2026 @ 2 pm

School Organizational Team Members:

Principal: Lisa Schumacher

Licensed Members: Christina Ballard, Ember Naparstek, Michael Toner

Parent Members: Mr. Jason Gastwirth, Mr. Vince Merrell, Ms. Jennifer Richards, Mr. Jeff Warnick, Ms. Melissa Weinstein.

Support Staff Member: William Lambert

Student Member: Charles Tidgewell

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It is asked that speakers be respectful to each other, team members, the principal and school district staff.

Speakers that are disruptive will be asked to leave the meeting.

- **Welcome & Roll Call**

- The meeting was called to order at 2 pm.
- Lisa Schumacher was absent from today's meeting.

- **Action Items**

- April 23, 2026 minutes were approved. The first motion was made by Vince Merrell, and the second motion was made by William Lambert.
- **School Improvement Plan**
 - Mr. Liles presented.
 - He covered the student success goal, adult learning goal, connectedness
 - Presented ACT data and CERT data
 - Action Steps

The School Improvement Plan was approved. The first motion was made by Jason Gastwirth and the second motion was made by Christina Ballard. The plan passed unanimously.

- **School Updates**

- Activities Update
 - Ms. Sarver presented.
 - Covered past events
 - Upcoming events

- Orchestra Concert
 - Graduation
 - Summer Events
- Graduation
 - Ms. Sarver presented.
- Grade Reform*
- Strategic Plan*
- SOT Appreciation
- **Public Comment Period**
 - Athlete downtime before practice [Can there be an official location students can be directed to instead of leaving campus?]
 - Students getting work a week in advance for missed school days for excused extracurriculars (especially when it's related to PVHS involved activities like sports, debate, DECA, etc.)
- **Future Business**
 - The next meeting will be held in August 2026 in the PVHS Library. ***Date and new time to be determined***

The meeting was adjourned at 3:30 pm. The first motion was made by Charles Tidgewell and the second motion was made by Melissa Weinstein.