

**DRIFTWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL
SCHOOL ADVISORY COUNCIL/SAF
2751 N 70th Terrace | Hollywood | FL 33024
General Meeting Minutes
May 28, 2026 | 8:40 a.m.**

I. Call to Order

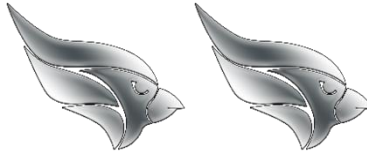
A joint meeting of the Driftwood Middle School Advisory Council/SAF was held in the Media Center on May 28, 2026. SAC Chair Lauren Martino, called the meeting to order at 8:49 a.m. Tarra Stewart will record minutes for this meeting.

II. Introductions and attendance (indicate quorum or not). We have quorum today.

III. Approval or correction of February 5, March 5, and April 23 meeting minutes
February 5th minutes approved Mcgee motioned and Vinas 2nd. March 5th minutes motion to approve Mrs. Foglia 2nd Ms. Rivas April 23rd meeting minutes motion to approve Mrs. Mcgee 2nd Mrs. Foglia

IV. Reports:

- Principal Report
 - Volleyball game for learning gain students
 - Dance for proficient students on Friday
 - 8th grade dance was a success as well as the Athletic Banquet
- Budget presentation
Budget is placed upon 740 students
7 million budget 3 reading 6 math 7 language Art 6 Science 4 elective
3 support facilitators 1 is out for custodians 3 Principal per 740 students we made the cut to keep the students.
Testing is completed except for the SVE students
We have Accountability funds
Projections are just that not the exact
Encouraging parents to invite parents for- SESIR (School Environment Safety & Incident Reporting) Report 1 event student walking to school picked up a shiny object brought it to school
- Accountability Funds: \$2604.30
- SIP (School Improvement Plan) Monitoring
- SIP Stakeholder Feedback



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- SAF – Last meeting for the school year handed out Internet Safety books for students and family

V. Presentation

- 2026 Budget Presentation
- Proposal by Ms. Ricketts- “remainder of accountability funds be used for staff lunches/reward every quarter”
Voting for Accountability funds – Foglia-Yes
Ruwayda-Yes Martino-Yes Mcgee-Yes Rivas-Yes Stewart-Yes Vinas-Yes Ms. Winston-Yes

VI. Department Updates:

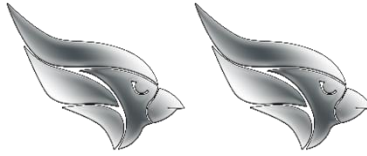
- Guidance: Aminov
- Science: Rivas

The Science Department has completed the administration of the SSA and Biology EOC exams.

Instruction for the Reproductive Health and Disease Prevention curriculum has also been completed, with appropriate accommodation made for students who opted out.

We are currently engaging students in Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) activities while also focusing on vertical curriculum alignment to strengthen continuity across grade levels.

- Language Arts: Smith-Courtney The ELA Department has officially completed PM 3 FAST ELA Testing. We are proud to share that our overall schoolwide ELA FAST PM 3 proficiency score increased to **57% proficiency**, compared to **55% proficiency** last year. Grade-level proficiency results are as follows:
 - **6th Grade:** 56% Proficiency
 - **7th Grade:** 62% Proficiency
 - **8th Grade:** 53% Proficiency
- We are incredibly proud of our students and teachers for their hard work, perseverance, and commitment to academic growth throughout the school year. These results reflect the collective efforts of our students, teachers, support staff, and families working together to strengthen literacy achievement schoolwide.
- Now that testing has concluded, students are actively engaged in rigorous Novel Study units that continue to strengthen reading comprehension, vocabulary,



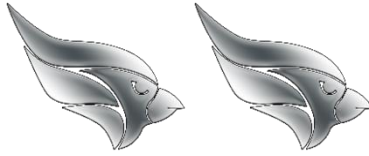
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critical thinking, and analytical discussion skills through meaningful literary experiences.

- Social Studies: Johnson & Thomas
 - Math: Stewart
 - 6th Grade:** 39% Learning Gains 45%
 - 7th Grade:** 45% Learning Gains 48%
 - 8th Grade:** 25% Learning Gains **52%**
 - Algebra 1:** 77%
 - Geometry:** 70%
 - Magnet: Britton
 - ESOL: Anderson End of year meeting with our instructional facilitator to review compliance was a success
 - Next compliance is due June 30th- when report cards are issued for LF students who are being monitored for two years
 - ESOL administrator (Mr. Hesler) testing coordinator (Ms. Rivas) and ESOL coordinator (Ms. Anderson) will be getting trained over the summer to assess potential ESOL students and students who are missing any domain from the WIDA Access assessment using the WIDA Screener (this is new for next school year)
 - ESOL contact completed 8th grade cum folders and provided them to our registrar (Ms. Baledy) to be sent to each student high school
 - BTU/Reading: Vinas Completing Novel studies and career driven projects
 - BTU is currently at 58 percent membership and need to be at 60% less than 61% will have to redo it
 - Title I: Daniels
 - Media Center: Martino Closed media for 2 weeks and collecting books
 - I-pad collection completed make days for the next 2 days
 - PTO: Stewart- Year was successful want to try a new approach for the 8th grade dance by offering small payments throughout the year for the bundle to generate more sales.
- VII. New Business
- Elections for 2026/2027 SY



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VIII. Announcements:

- Last Day of School - Early Release – Wednesday, June 3

IX. Next Meeting Date: TBD, August 2026, media center

X. Adjournment Motion to Adjourn Martino 2nd Vinas – 9:32am