



Pinewood Elementary School

School Advisory Council Meeting

1600 SW 83rd Ave, North Lauderdale, FL 33068

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School Advisory Council (SAC) Minutes

General Meeting - Wednesday, January 21st, 2026 — 5:30 P.M.



1. **Call to order:** SAC Chair, Ms. Iliana Mejia called the meeting to order at 5:40 P.M.
2. **Introductions and Attendance:** 9 out of 17 members were present, quorum was established.
3. **Approval of Minutes:** First motion to approve December Minutes by KezieAnn Harrilal and seconded by Nadine Antoine-Musangi. Minutes approved by a unanimous vote.
 - **Current enrollment:** 538 Students
 - **Vacancies: 2**
 - >Teacher Assistant Positions
 - > District is on a hiring freeze
 - **Accountability Funds:** \$12,406.00
 - **A+ Recognition Supplies:** \$3,000
 - **A+ Recognition Funds Update:** The staff voted on Proposal Number 2.
 - **Propasl Number 2:** 100% of the funds for a one time bonus to be divided equally using the following ratio: 70% of the funds to be divided amongst the instructional staff and 30% of the funds to be divided amongst non-instructional staff (administrators, cafeteria, custodial, clerical, educational support professional (ESP) armed guard, campus monitors). Staff must have worked at least 99 days of 2024-2025 school year (per the 186 day calendar) to receive bonus. All leftover funds will be used for non-recurring expenditures for educational equipment and materials by KezieAnn Harrilal and seconded by Renee Watkins. Vote approved unanimously.
 - **School Improvement Plan:**
 - >**Marketing Committee:** the marketing committee was created to promote Pinewood.
 - > PinewoodL on Twitter (X), Pinewood Elementary on Facebook
 - >Lowest quartile students still remain an area of concern and is constantly being monitored.
 - > After PM2 Data, Kindergarten, First and Third grade are areas that are lower midyear from where we were midyear last year.
 - > Second round of ELO Camp starts on February 11th, 2026.
 - >Students are being monitored through assessments in class.
 - > Benchmark Advance for ELA, EnVision for Math.
 - > WIDA Testing for ELL Students have began.
 - **Checking for understanding:** Graphic Organizers, Whiteboards, Exit Tickets, and Turn and Talk.
 - **Upcoming Events:**
 - > Literacy Week: January 26-30th, 2026.
 - > Silver Lakes Middle School Field Trip 5th Grade: February 10th, 2026
 - > Statewide Tornado Drill: February 11th, 2026
 - > Day of Service and Love and Early Release Day: February 13th, 2026
 - > Math Night: February 19th, 2026 at 6:00 P.M.
 - > Next SAC Meeting: February 25th, 2026 at 5:30 PM.
 - > Read for the Record: February 26th, 2026



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6. School Environmental Safety Report: Mrs. Bloomfield

---> August: 4 referrals

---> September: 18 referrals

---> October: 22 referrals

---> November: 13 referrals

---> December: 24 referrals

---> January: 10 referrals

---> Majority of referrals are coming from one area. We have to document so that support can be given to the student who needs it.

- Positive Behavior Plan

---> Students are awarded daily credits and at the end of each month, the students can redeem their credits.

---> Credits cannot be taken once they are earned for the day.

---> Any toy, gaming systems, board games donations will be greatly appreciated.

- Behavior Threat Management:

---> There are currently 4 active BTMs.

---> If a student gets upset and says something that cannot be taken back (i.e. "I'm going to kill you if you don't stop bothering me.") a process of paperwork is started and it will follow them to college.

---> If the teacher knows the student and knows they are incapable of completing the threat stated, they can use it as a teachable moment. However, if the teacher texts or sends an email stating the incident, it has to be written up.

- Bullying Report

---> 4 reports and they have been finalized.

- Attendance:

---> Average daily attendance is 537 (87%)

---> 26% of our students are chronically absent

---> Meaning more than 10 days of school has been missed

---> Parents shared some concerns about the attendance line not being checked frequently enough as they have students with unexcused absences even though they called to excuse them.

- Fire Drill: Evacuated building in 2 ½ minutes.

7. Title 1 Updates: Mrs. Mobley

--->Mrs. Mobley informed parents about the survey and encouraged them to fill it out to let the school know what areas we can improve in.

---> Mrs. Mobley asked if any parents had questions or concerns. Parents had no questions or concerns.

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8 . Adjournment: First motion to adjourn by KezieAnn Harrilal, seconded by Samia Daniel. Adjourned @ 6:27 P.M