



DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE
 DEPENDENTS SCHOOLS
 OSAN MIDDLE HIGH SCHOOL
 Unit 2037
 APO, AP 96278-2037



OMHS SAC
 Osan Middle High School
 School Advisory Committee
 Meeting Agenda

Meeting date	April 14, 2025
Meeting location	OMHS Pride 214
Roll Call - SAC Members in Attendance	
Position	Individual in attendance
Chairperson (v)	
Vice-chairperson(v)	
Secretary (v)	
OMHS Principal/Designee	
OMHS Teacher Representatives (v x 3)	
OMHS Student Representative	
Teachers Union Representative	
Osan Air Base Command Representative	
Osan Air Base School Liaison Program Manager	
Other Attendees:	

Welcome and purpose of the SAC

Parents, teachers, and students working together to advise the principal on school policies affecting students and families, instructional programs and resources, pupil services, and student standards.

2024-25 Goals

- Partner with school and DoDEA officials to benefit students and the community
- Promote active participation by stakeholders
- Provide transparency in SAC processes and accomplishments

Meeting norms- 1 min

Simplified Robert's Rules of Order

Old business- 5 min

1. Songtan bus stop results- moved per parent request
2. Amazing Shake-looking for sponsor- can be volunteer

- 3. Ambassador TC Conference access- waiting for confirmation that it can be recorded
- 4. OMHS is an Anchored 4 Life school! Training this summer.
- 5. 8th Grade promotion (2)
- 6. Crosswalk - waiting for lights to arrive

Reports		
OMHS administration		3
MSG		3

New Business			
Topic	Discussion	Time slated for discussion	Vote
The lack of activities bus into the Godeok area.	Add a bus to at least one of the two stops for the area for students to use for all the after school activities including a large number participating in spring sports.		
There have been numerous near-accidents at the Hallasan crosswalk. With the recent collision between a child and a car, what is the plan for improvement?	<p>The Hallasan crosswalk is in a congested area with numerous distractions. It is a busy crosswalk at all hours of the day for adults and children. I have witnessed at least two incidents where cars have nearly hit pedestrians and I have heard of many more. I would like to see a solution that is feasible and safe for the long term.</p> <p>Solution 1: The ground height is much lower in Endurance Field indicating the water table may be lower in this area. I would like to ask for a thorough assessment of the possibility of a tunnel and ramp to Endurance field. The entry could start somewhere between Hallasan and the commissary. This would provide a safe and ADA compliant solution to keep foot traffic away from the road. If pedestrians from base housing crossed at this crossing only, it would also reduce the need for additional crosswalk reinforcement further along the route to OES and OMHS as the students would be securely on the north side of the street.</p> <p>Solution 2: Additional lighting with sensors for flashing lights would increase attention to the crosswalk.</p>		
Have qualified coaches	Many sports have DoDEA staff “coach” without experience. This puts our athletes at risk. Some DoDEA “coaches” are not doing any coaching and getting paid. More experienced volunteers are disincentivized from participating because they are not paid. Currently:		

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coaching opportunities for the year go out in May • Coaching opportunities are offered first to full time OMHS staff • Then to DoDEA employees (ex- OES/Subs) • “First past the post”- no sport or coaching experience required • Non-experienced “coach” can get hired as a sponsor, encouraged to have volunteer coach • If no DoDEA affiliated coach/sponsor, NO sport <p>Option 1- \$\$-Propose that volunteers with experience coaching the sport get paid a stipend/ share the stipend with the DoDEA employee Solicit donations from private orgs to pay the volunteers</p> <p>Option 2- Advertising- Advertise better to all DoDEA employees (including subs) to inform of the opportunity DoDEA AD attend Newcomers, Pre-Arrival, Osan Announcements, Scratching Post, MFRC volunteer, ALS</p> <p>Option 3- Our request ****Change requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Include coaching and sport-related experience in job descriptions/qualifications • Open positions for all applicants equally regardless of DoDEA employment • Base job offers on a rubric system that prioritizes experience in coaching and sport • Coaches hired without experience be required to attend coaching and sports/specific training (model on CYP volunteer training- National Alliance for Youth Sport for HS level) if selected • Bi- Annual athletic and sports-specific training even for experienced coaches • Since hiring occurs in May, there will be time for non-DoDEA employee to get hired as a “part-time” employee/coach 		
Schedule elections for next meeting	SAC Officer Elections at next meeting Create a committee under DoDEA instruction rules Beckie and Jenny will be here next year		

Open Forum Discussion	
10 min - circle back to new business topics	

Closing	
Next meeting date: May 5th	Topic submission due by: April 27