

Safford PreK-8 Community School Council
28th January 2026
Meeting Minutes

Members present: Katherine Kuhn (Principal), Cindy James (Certified), Debra Dietrich (Certified), Michelle Simpson (Certified), Elizabeth Glenn (Classified), Paula Bachman-Williams (Community), Fred Ronstadt. (Community), Patricia Alderete (SCA President), Marthalene Gonzales (Parent)

Members absent/excused: Mary Torres (Classified)

Guests: None

1. Call Meeting to Order at 4:25 p.m. by Cindy James, Facilitator
2. Approval of December 2025 Minutes
 - a. Moved by Glenn, second by Simpson. Passed unanimously.
3. Reports
 - a. Principal's Report
 - i. TUSD protocol for law enforcement accessing the campus was discussed at this week's Professional Development.
 - ii. Safford has a plan in place to address ICE interactions. Staff have been briefed. The plan is not being shared publicly.
 - iii. Kuhn has joined a TUSD budget task force to discuss a \$10 million shortfall for the 2026-2027 school year. Meetings will start soon.
 - b. Unallocated Tax Credit Balance Update
 - i. \$26,106
 - c. Status of Approved Allocations
 - i. Nothing to report.
 - d. Safford Community Association
 - i. The movie nights are catching on and will continue.
 - ii. Planning to sell after school snacks to raise funds.
 - iii. Partnering with Student Leadership on Valentine's Ball.
 - iv. Will appeal to Safford Alumnae and Armory Park for their AZ Public School Tax Credits.
4. Old Business
 - a. None
5. New Business
 - a. Discussed how to fund sports tournament fees.
 - i. There is still ~\$6,000 in the sports fund. Kuhn will work with Glenn to clear up accessing the fund.
6. Request for funding
 - a. None
7. Call to the audience
 - a. None
8. Future Agenda Items
 - a. Furniture for the front lobby area of the Main.
9. Adjournment 4:55 p.m.

Next meeting: 25th February 2026