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## Dodge Traditional Magnet Middle School

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Date: 2/24/14

Attendees: Daniel Schulter, principal; Phyllis Cowman, LSC; and Donna Sanders, counselor

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**Time**: 9:30 – 10:00 a.m.

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# Mary Belle McCorkle Agenda & Meeting Minutes (PBIS/Discipline)

Section 1 – Meeting I	nformation
Date:	1/30/14
Time:	8:00am
Location:	Front Conference Room
Meeting Facilitator:	
Attendees:	Kim Comey, Marisa Gallegos, Laura Fernandez, Sandra Gamez, Alma Carmona-Alday, Deanna Campos

Section 2 – Agenda		
Referrals		
School Climate		
PBIS		

### **Section 4 – Meeting Minutes**

**Discipline:** Referrals are down about 85%

<u>Classroom climate</u>: is more positive (students are teachers are commenting on performance) and students are being kind and teachers are recognizing students' positive and proactive behaviors.

<u>PBIS</u>: More students are being respectful and being selected for PBIS recognition, more kids got play ping pong and have lunch with principals, posters were made and distributed (but need to be laminated), expectations were announced on the announcements

# Hollinger Discipline Agenda & Meeting Minutes

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Date: April 16, 2014				
Time: 9:30-10:15am				
Location: Principal Office				
Meeting Facilitator:	Sam Luna/Kathy Bolles			
Attendees:	Sam Luna, Kathy Bolles, Janet Olvera, Marisela Campillo			
Unable to attend:				

Section 2 – Agenda	
Ditching in middle school  8 <sup>th</sup> grade promotion/dance and how to avoid discipline issues	
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## **Section 4 – Meeting Minutes**

Chronic ditching in 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade the past few weeks. Teachers not clear on how it is being handled. Mr . Luna/Ms. Bolles put a system in place and emailed all teachers and spoke with students in classrooms regarding consequences for ditching.

- 1st offense-lunch detention
- 2<sup>nd</sup> offense-ISS
- 3<sup>rd</sup> offense- possible out of school suspension.
- -Rumors of end of year fights and/or disruptive behaviors. Discussed ways to avoid issues on last day (particualry with 8<sup>th</sup> graders).
- -Due to the high amount of discipline issues with 8<sup>th</sup> graders and possible confrontation with 7<sup>th</sup> graders, promotion at another location is being considered to deter any fights or other discipline issues. 8th grade promotion will possibly take place at Wakefield.
- -If promotion is at Hollinger, we will have additional support staff available to help supervise. Promotion will be held in the morning.
- -Possible dance at the end of the year for 8<sup>th</sup> graders (only students without referrals will be invited)

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The committee would like to see Restorative Practice training for our monitors. We think it would be helpful for them to have the tools to help the students resolve problems or have another way of approaching solutions.

Several 5<sup>th</sup> Grade girls were part of a Restorative Conference with Mrs. Brooks due to one girl's behavior of lying and stealing. The girls came to an understanding that they would continue to support their friend if she tried to change her behavior. Mrs. Brooks will work independently with the student.

It seems the issues with the 4/5 boys at lunch have gotten better with the new soccer field schedule.

Mrs. Govern continues to work with a student having bus issues. She is in contact with the parents.

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Students are using the PBIS language more and more in the classroom and to solve problems. Teachers refer to the posters and remind students of the expectations. It seems, though, that most problems happen outside on the playground before and after school when there isn't as much supervision.

One teacher has many referrals to the office for "behavior" issues that the committee thinks could be taken care of in the classroom. Debbie Brooks will discuss this with the teacher and give strategies on how she can implement some systems and Restorative Practices.

We would like to make a follow-up video to be shown at the end of the year or the beginning of next year.

Debbie will present the Spring Student Rights information at the next PTA meeting. We are hoping for a good turn out since it is scheduled during Movie Night.

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