



Recovery Schools Advisory Committee

October 16, 2024

9:00 am - 12:00 pm

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Agenda



Time	Topic and Description of Activities
9:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Welcome (Virtual links verified)● Introductions & Connections● Goals for meeting
9:25	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Celebrations● Announcements and Updates
9:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Onboarding / Next Steps / Dates
10:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Community Engagement Events● 11/8 Community Event with ARS - SAVE THE DATE
10:20	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Next RFA Application● Discussion & recommendation
10:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● APGs● Youth representatives - Lived Experiences● Discussion & recommendation
11:30	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Lunch / Recommendations
11:45	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Wrap-Up / Next Steps
12:00	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Thank you for your time!

Grounding Activity

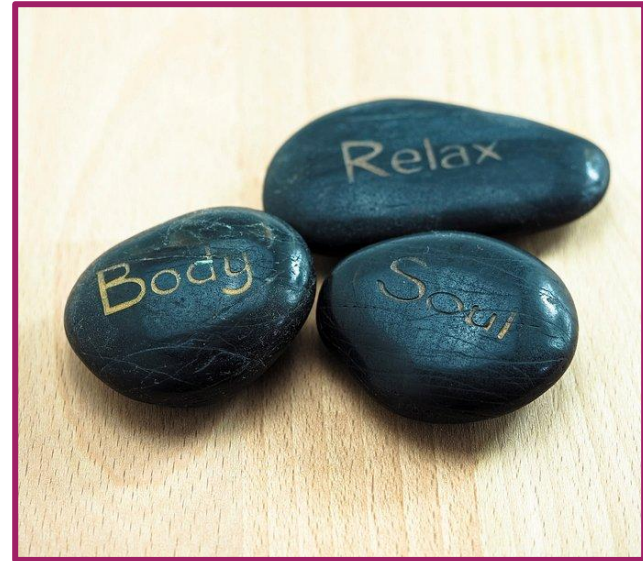
Close your eyes and feel the ground
beneath your feet

Reflect on and identify your individual
intentions for today's work

Silently name anything that might
distract you from this meeting

Allow yourself to put those distractions
off to the side in order to attend to them
after this meeting

Give yourself permission to be
fully present



Working Agreements

- Remain equity and student focused
- Listen deeply with critical curiosity and ask questions to clarify or expand on each other's thoughts and ideas
- Share space and airtime
- Respect differences of opinion and have an appreciative inquiry mindset
- Accept and expect non-closure
- The work of the committee is public but organization/personal experiences are confidential

Today's Goals



1. Celebrate our First ODE Approved Recovery Schools
2. Understand components of Contract onboarding & next steps
3. Review next RFA application changes
4. Commit to Community Events
5. Determine a pathway toward APGs

It's Time To Celebrate

First ODE Approved Recovery Schools

Harmony Academy

Rivercrest Academy - MESD

Discovery Academy - WESD



Legislative Information

- Preparing for legislative session
- OAR fixes at Board Mtg. 10/17
- Funding fixes

ODE PA-4 Hiring update

- Policy Analyst Position - interviews this week

ARS Contract Implementation

- Coaching sessions scheduled
- Learning Event planned

Logo and Marketing

- Approval for marketing materials
- Merchandise orders



Onboarding New Schools

Onboarding Focus for Recovery Schools

Next Steps:

1. Welcome meeting scheduled
2. Set up monthly coaching sessions
3. Schedule virtual “ODE Office Hours” monthly
4. Coordinate site visits
5. Coordinate first Learning session - more on this

Focus areas:

- Monthly Coaching and Review Sessions
- Site Visits
- Office Hours
- Learning Events

Site Visits and Monthly Coaching Sessions

Site Visits:

- **Harmony** - November 14th am / January 9th pm
- **Rivercrest** - November 14th pm / January 9th am
- **Discovery** - April - TBD

Monthly Coaching Sessions with ARS:

- December 18th - Virtual
- January 23rd and 24th - In person
- February 19th - Virtual
- March 12th - Virtual
- April 17th and 18th - In person
- May 21st - Virtual

Virtual ODE Office hours:

- First Thursday of the month - starting November 7th



Community Events

Community Learning Event

**Oregon Department of Education and
La Grande School District
Are proud to announce an
Oregon Recovery Schools
Community Learning Event**

Thursday, October 24th, 2024

Willow Elementary School
1305 N Willow St
La Grande, OR 97850

5:00pm - 7:00pm

Topics Include:

Why are we here, troubling statistics

What is an Oregon Recovery School

Overview of HB2767

Funding Sources for recovery schools

How to apply to open an Oregon Recovery School

Community resources and support

Save the Date!

**Oregon Department of Education and
Willamette ESD
Are proud to announce an
Oregon Recovery Schools
Learning Event**

Friday, November 8th, 2024

Willamette ESD
2611 Pringle Rd. SE
Salem, Or. 97301

8:30am - 12:00pm

Topics Include:

What is an Oregon Recovery School
Lived experiences of starting a Recovery School
Coaching from ARS
Guidance for applications and how to set up a
Learning event in your community

Community Learning Event

**Oregon Department of Education and
Lane ESD**

**Are proud to announce the an
Oregon Recovery Schools
Community Learning Event**

Thursday, December 12th, 2024



Details TBD

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RFA Application

RFA - Components

Review first four sections of the contract application:

Section 1: Applicant Info

Section 2: Start Up Details

Section 3: Program Specifics

Section 4: Community Support Evidence

Due to file type we will share the screen and take notes for proposed changes



Alternative Peer Groups (APGs)

What is an Alternative Peer Group (APG)?



The Alternative Peer Group model was designed to address the emotional, psychological, spiritual and social needs of teens struggling with substance use disorders. By integrating peer support and fellowship with clinical practice, the APG model has proven to be an effective intervention to address the explosion of drug use by youth. -ORHSI

Student Stories

APG Framework to Support Oregon Recovery Schools

Collaboration with OHA and ADPC

Need for funding start-up and statewide-network to support regional APGs

Opportunity for the RSAC to make a recommendation on APG design and components

- Structure
- Services
- Barriers to access

Discussion



Lunch



Next Steps & Recommendations

RSAC Recommendations

RSAC recommendations needed

1. RFA application changes/modifications/timeline
2. Pursue APG networking, funding and start up funds for current recovery schools
3. Additional onboarding recommendations
4. New RSAC member recruitment options

Next Steps



ODE:

- OAR fixes to Board - 10/17
- Begin onboarding process
- APG - next steps based on RSAC recs
- Community engagement plan
- Onboard PA4 position
- RFA - adjustments based on RSAC recs
- RFA - open application in January 2025

Committee Members:

- School site visits - see Mandy to sign up
- Attend Community Engagement events
- Spread the word in your community
- Need one more RSAC member from small community - Education rep.



Thank you!