

Skiatook JOM Meeting Minutes

January 15, 2025

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Cassie Wylie, Chairperson, at 5:35 pm.

2. Roll Call – all present

- Cassie Wiley, Chairperson
- Valarie Burris, Vice-chairperson
- Jessica Davis, Secretary
- Honey Buck, Member
- Jamie Martinez, Member
- Avis Ballard, JOM Coordinator

3. Old Business:

A. **Storage unit** – The committee will clean out the storage unit, weather permitting.

- a. The extra school supplies in storage will be taken to Jacqueline Ghazal, Indian Education Coordinator, at Skiatook Public Schools.

B. **Skiatook JOM Princess** – The application will be available, for students, between Feb – May.

- a. The princess will be selected in May 2025, during a regular meeting.
- b. The committee will begin planning a princess reception, once selected.

C. New Business:

D. **Reimbursement requirement** –

- a. Jessica Davis, Secretary, made a motion that parents/guardians of enrolled JOM students must attend 2 meetings, each school year, in order to be eligible for assistance with their student's expenses. Honey Buck, member, seconded the motion. The committee voted unanimously in favor of the motion. Motion passed.
- b. The meeting requirement will begin in the 2025-26 school year.

E. **Cultural activity** – A beaded keychain workshop was planned and will be held after the regular JOM monthly meeting on Wednesday, February 12 from 5:30p – 6:30 pm., at the WELA in Skiatook.

- a. Motion Made and passed: The parent committee will provide supplies, door prizes, and light refreshments for approximately 20 students, with parents, to attend the workshop.
- b. Limit seating is available, RSVP is appreciated.
- c. Future cultural engagement events and activities are discussed.

F. **Announcements:**

- a. The Sand Springs JOM program will host a “Sweetheart Intertribal Dance” on Friday, February 7. Skiatook JOM members are invited to attend. The flyer will be shared.
- b. The next Skiatook JOM meeting will be held on February 12 at 5:30 pm at the WELA in Skiatook.

4. **Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 6:30 pm.