

CKCS School Council Meeting Minutes November 18, 2024

Recorded by Ashley Grimes

In Person Attendees: Tara McMillan, Tamara Rutz, April Thomas, Ashley Grimes, Jill Sampson, Tannis McMillan, Melissa Burton, Karen Pockett

Online Attendees: Kylee Turre, Christine Quance (*joined at 7:07pm*)

- i. **Call to Order/Prayer.** Called to order by Tamara @ 7:01pm
- ii. **Additions to Agenda/Acceptance of Agenda.** Additions, Experience Canada. Karen accepts agenda with addition.
- iii. **Acceptance of Minutes.** Tannis accepts minutes as presented.
- iv. **Correspondence.** Trickster email.
- v. **Reports**
 - a) **Chairperson (Tamera)** Welcomed everyone to the meeting. Nothing to report as this whole meeting is her report 😊
 - b) **Trustee (Duane)** – Not in attendance
 - c) **Teacher (Melissa)**

PAST EVENTS

- Remembrance Day assembly – Alisa Glacier and students did a great job.

UPCOMING

- November 20 – Grade 3-6 Field Trip TELUS World of Science 7am – 7pm – long day but amazing.
- November 21 – JH Dance
- November 21 – JH last day to submit for marks
- November 22 – No School
- November 26 – Whole School Movie: Inside Out 2
- November 29 – Report cards go home
- November 29 – Hot Lunch – Meatballs!
- November 29 – School Mass @9am
- December 4/5 – 4:30 – 7:30. Parent Teacher Interviews
- December 6 – St. Nicholas Feast Day
- December 18 – Advent Concert 1pm/7pm – starting to practice songs
- December 19 – Christmas Dinner Hot Lunch

- December 20 – Last day before Christmas Break
 - JH Basketball – looking for parent volunteers to coach
 - Skiing – Alliance Shi Hill – waiting on response back Feb 21 is our requested date for Grade 1-6 (kinders aren't covered in insurance) 7-9 can chose to participate.
 - March 9-11 – Lake Louise JH Ski Trip
 - Jan/Feb curling Grade 4-6. Four sessions (Jan 7, Jan 10, Jan 14, Jan 21), we will need parent volunteers. If it goes well maybe offer to JH.
 - Eggs for Life – Floor Curling
 - Escape Room – Comes to the school
- NOTES: Experience Canada JH Exchange.

d) Principal (Tara)

- Report cards November 29th (email & print)
- Parent teacher interviews
- JH Dance needs volunteers (April & Ashley)
- Early Learning Presentation grades k-3

e) Treasurer (April)

- i. Chocolate profit \$5,488.87
- ii. Staff Mental Health - \$95.61 (Tamera)
- iii. Today's Balance \$8,461.81

vi. Committees

- i. **Hot Lunch (Ashley, Meaghan & Shantel)** – November 29th – Shantel is taking the lead, parents to cook in house. Meatballs, pasta, rice, choice of 3 sauces, vegetables & dessert. School wide Christmas meal will be provided free of charge this year on December 19th. The Sutherland family will pick up the meal in Drumheller & transport back to the school; parent volunteers will serve the meal buffet style.
- ii. **Chocolates (Tamara)** – Still have a few boxes outstanding. Will follow up.

7) Old Business

- i. **Parent Council Pillars:** decision on activities
 - a Rocks & Rings? (curling) – \$260 + \$575
 - b Escape Room? – \$1700
 - c Improv Jelly? –
 - d Points West team up with CKCS curling
 - e Holy Spirit Seminary – Ryan & Liana will get info
 - f Trapper Perry is coming March 18th, 2025
We will leave Pillars as is, re-visit in the spring
- ii. **Trickster:** They may have a new grant available; we will wait to hear.

- iii. **Basketball coach:** The girls are good to go; we still need someone for the boy's team.



(Actual photo of McMillan while explaining the situation)

8) New Business.

- i. **Advent Concert** – Buy coffee, have parents supply treats. Tara to send out note.
- ii. **Tetherball** – Stettler Elementary asked if we would sponsor part of the cost for a tetherball to go in where our kids play. The parents had some questions (would we get our own ball to play during school hours?). Will re-visit.
- iii. **Experience Canada** – It is for 12–18-year-olds, can accommodate 10-30 kids. The exchange is somewhere in Canada. We would be paired with a school, do 1 week here and 1 week there. There is a \$250 application fee, plus a cost of \$250 per student. About \$800 each will need to be fundraised. Flights are covered by the program.

9) Next Meeting: December 9th at 7:00pm

10) Adjournment, Prayer. Meeting adjourned at 8:27 by Tannis. Christine Seconds.