



**School Council Meeting Minutes
Sept 16, 2020**

Attendance: Anita Kristjanson, Ashleigh Murray, January Clark, Marcie Sweet, Carlie Anderson, Kara Good, Julie Whyte, Candace Stuber, Amy Deck, Katie Klaiber, Mrs. Beck, Shelly Stenhouse, Terri-Lynn Arnal, Tammy Burgevitz, Krista Notenbomer, Melissa Waechter, Julia Gogolinski, Amanda Traxel, Karen Murray, Graeme Denis, Mrs. McQuarrie, Mrs. Rissling, Julie Smyth, Angela Guest, Myrna Bushell

Item	Topic	Discussion	Time	Person
1.0	Call to Order		6:35pm	Ashleigh M
2.0	Review and Approval of Mar 4, 2020 Minutes – not found			
3.0	Review of Agenda			
4.0	Report Updates			
4.2	Chair/Vice Chair	-Housekeeping -Ensure respectful communication within meeting -No Financial Committee meeting tonight -March meeting minutes missing		Ashleigh M
4.3	Teacher report	Brief update on what is happening in your class, anything new, interesting, challenging, anything you would like to share -Patty Beck shared students settling in well this year. Following rules really well, JK getting along well. Is present from K to Gr. 4 helping with curriculum skills to allow teachers prep time.		Patty Beck
4.4	Principal/ Vice Principal	? School sports? -Advised parents interested in volunteering should acquire the necessary police and criminal checks -Asked about a video camera to tape the game. Possibly a student to tape the game and live stream.		Sherry/ Joanne
	Trustee	-Thank you to parents from the Board for patience during these trying times. -Thank you to Ashleigh for her past 4 years being chair of School Council -Easter Vacation dates have been changed -Communication Director – Angela Barron very busy -Electoral boundary review for upcoming elections 2021 -1.8 million from province		Graeme Denis
5.0	Old Business	None reviewed		
6.0	New Business			
	Elections for Executive	Elections of Chair and Vice Chair -Facebook Page – Anita -Newsletter – Terri-Lynn -Executive group on What's Ap No new nomination for position of chair Vice Chair: Karen, Terri-Lynn, Shelly		
	Yearbooks	-2019-2020 Yearbooks ready to be printed -\$35 US – could be paid for through School Cash -Appreciated all the pictures submitted -Need someone designated to communicate with January regarding special event days -Access to the flash drive.		January
	Parents in the school	How long term is this arrangement? What is the plan for the foreseeable future		

		-Call to make an appointment to enter the school		
	Recess	What is the reasoning behind going from 3 recesses to 1? Is this plan long term? Can it be changed? -Parents noted an extra recess would be appreciated -Admin to look into what other schools in the division are doing regarding recess		
	Timetable change	Why are we starting later and finishing earlier?		
	Gym Class policy	What is the gym class policy? Why are some classes using equipment and in the gym and some just walking? Is there something we can provide or do to help all kids have a structured gym class? -Have a designated time schedule for each class to rotate using balls etc. Sherry will contact staff regarding the needs for the school. -Change rooms are booked currently		
	Sports plan	What is the sports plan for fall sports, mostly affects the junior highs -Cohort with Parkside and Irvine		
	Agenda's	What is the reasoning behind no agenda's? What is going to be the plan for communication between parents and teachers -72 hours paper has to sit when coming into school -Digital means to be used- Google Calendar -Parents requested all teachers use the same communication app -Parents communicate to school through email for child away c.c. Callie, Sherry and Joanne		
	HOW CAN WE HELP	What can we do to help bring some joy the school? How can we best assist the teachers and staff this year? -stencil painting for games outside on pavement – stencils to pick-up from Bow Island and volunteers to paint. -Parents can help staff by building on the positives -Track and Field mini day?		
	Meeting Adjourned:		8:55	
		Future meeting dates: Oct.14, 2020		