

Langdon School Council Minutes

December 11, 2024 9:00 am

Langdon School: Learning Commons and Zoom

In attendance: Sara Roth (Chair), Kayla (Vice Chair), Justine Biermann-Bosch (Secretary), Shannon Story (Principal), Brent Legault (Assistant Principal) Shelley Kinley (Trustee), 5 community member (via Zoom) and 5 in person.

Presenter and Notes		Approved Time by	
1. Welcome	Sara		9:04am
2. Approval of November Minutes	Sara	Nina approved; Lise 2 nd	9:04 am
3. Approval of Agenda	Sara <ul style="list-style-type: none">Parent loop dop off/ pick up has been added to the agenda	Justine approved, Yuwen 2 nd	9:05 am
4. Old business	Sara		9:05 am
5. Council Items	Sara		9:05 am
a) Parent Inquiries	Shannon Number of App's being used <ul style="list-style-type: none">There are a number apps RVSD uses; lots of school divisions are the same. There isn't 1 app that does everything which is why RVSD has so many. YouTube usage in classrooms <ul style="list-style-type: none">YouTube in classrooms can be used for many educational purposes (projects, current event etc.). It should not used as a teacher substitute.		

	<p>Kiss and drop</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Since the weather has been very cold recently, more people are driving to pickup their kids. This has caused a back up in traffic on brander Ave to where cross walks are being blocked and traffic circles are not useable. Admin will discuss having the parent loop open earlier throughout the winter to help alleviate the traffic. 		
b) ASCE Grant	<p>Sara</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Greener Pastures will be contacted to see if they can offer any presentations for parents/gradians of Langdon School • We will look closer at a ASCA Course for parents as well. 		
c) Fall Showcase of Learning	<p>Shannon</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our first fall showcase of learning went great! A lot of families participated along with Synergy, Greener Pastures Psychology Services, and Wiseguys. • We'll have another showcase of learning in the spring. 		
6. Trustee Report	<p>Shelley</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please see Trustee Report 		9:20 am
7. Admin Report	<p>Shannon</p>		9:31 am
a) Career Fair	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On April 15th, grade 6, 7 and 8 will have a career fair at Langdon School. • We are looking for 8 to 12 people who are interested in sharing with the students about their career, as well as provide a hands on example. Each career person will be partnered up with 		

	<p>a teacher to help plan out their presentation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Shannon. 		
b) Modulars	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2 modulars will be leaving on December 18th. • Classes 5C and 7J will now be using entering school though the art room door located by the bus loop. 		
c) Middle school Leadership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There will be 3 other schools joining Langdon School for the RVSD east leadership program. • Last month Langdon School Leadership kids went to camp Chestermere to meet other leadership students. 		
d) Updates	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chantelle spent 5 days sharing indigenous drumming and story telling with our students. • This year's education plan has been posted on the school website. • Our holiday food bank drive ends Friday December 13th. The class with the most donations will win a popcorn party. The Langdon Fire department will help deliver the food donations to the local food bank • This school year has been very positive! A behavioural tracking program will begin in the classrooms starting in the new year. • Admin has been using this program this year. It has been very helpful in tracking when students are having a difficult time in class and seeing what might be triggering the negative behaviour. 		

8. Next Meeting	Sara <ul style="list-style-type: none">January 15 at 6:30 pm at Langdon School and via zoom		9:48 am
9. Adjourn Meeting	Sara		9:50 am