

Langdon School Council Minutes

January 18, 2023, 7:00 pm

In School and Zoom: Sara R., Connor R., Shelley K., Charmaine J., Crystal C., Chantelle E., Uduak G., Carrie D., Jayden Z and Godwin U.

1. Welcome: call the meeting to order: Sara R. 7:00pm
2. Approval of November minutes: Chantelle E., 2nd by Connor R.
3. Approval of Agenda: Charmaine J., 2nd Chantelle E.

4. Old Business

- a. Alberta School Counsel Association (ASCA) Courses by Connor R.

A course has been selected – School Council Purpose and date selected is March 2, 2023, at 7:00pm

- i. We are members of ACSA.

- b. Lights at crosswalk

Brent has sent email to Rocky View Council and has received some responses however he was unavailable to give updates. It was suggested that we could look into a patroller program through AMA for next school year.

5. Trustee Report by Shelly Kinley to be attached.

6. New Business

- a. School update

Shannon/Brent/Norm

- i. Workbook

-Implement Positive Behaviour Interventions and Support (PBIS) focusing on positive behaviours. A pep rally is planned for February 3, 2023 and will include the Dragon's code LAIR (Leadership, Accountability, Integrity and Respect).

-There will be dragon of the month in divisions 1, 2 and 3.

-Dragon of the week to be recognized and a dragon per class will be nominated by the students.

- ii. Online awareness and safety talks with RCMP

An outside organization called "The Joes" will be presenting to grade 4-9 and information will be tailored to gr4-6 and then gr7 to 9. Sarah Thompson school will be joining for the presentation.

- A parent session will be held at Sarah Thompson school on February 7, 2023, at 6-8pm
 - iii. Reschedule of K-6 Holiday Concert – Jan 19 at 1pm and 630 pm.
Concert rescheduled to January 19, 2023.
 - iv. 100% of teachers are using myBlueprint to keep parents on the loop about what kids are doing in school.
 - v. Gr.7 will be doing a showcase presentation to the trustees – the SIM settlement project.
 - vi. The dragon council had a proposal done as to whether or not the “no hat” policy will be kept. 90% of students wants the rule removed.
- b. Parent Inquiries
- i. School Closures – what guidelines are used to make this decision.
Trustees get together earlier in the morning of the day to discuss what it will look like in the afternoon and decisions are made with a lot of factors in mind and decisions are not taken lightly. The superintendent has the final decision.
 - ii. What happens if parents don’t know the school is closed and kid get sent to school anyway? Is someone supposed to be at the school regardless just in case this happens? Was Langdon School fully closed or was there someone there just in case?
There is always a custodian at school of schools are closed.

Request for approval for Historic funds on using \$12000 of historic SGF field trip funds towards any field trips this school year. This would apply for all grades - **Motion by Connor R. approved by Charmaine J.**

Another request to use \$8000 of historic funds in non-curricular travel towards student incentives – **Motion by Chantelle E. approved by Uduak G.**

7. Next Meeting

- a. March 29th 8:30am

8. Adjourn Meeting - Sara R. 8:24pm