

School Council Meeting

School Council Minutes – Sept 21, 2022

6:30 p.m. School Library

** indicates written report/attachment provided*

1) Call to order – Chair 6:35 p.m.

Attendance

Parents: Kim Scott, Sarah Lakusta, Christian Rasmussen, Sean Weberg, Michelle Bantiler, Mallory Jackson, Theresa Mackenzie, Hilary Schmidt, Jeff Dicky, Kristy Callin, Allison Usher, Tessa Cahill, Adrienne Boosdrom

Virtual attendees: Desiree Williams, Naveed Afsar, Seng Pan Gawlu, La Wom Gumling, Lorena Gerlywich

Staff: Mike Lastiwka (Principal), Tracey Prouse (Vice-Principal), Dianna Graziano (Counselor), Courtney Richard (Teacher)

Others: Trina Boymook (Trustee)

2) Review of the Agenda

It was noted that a May date was listed incorrectly on the agenda, amend to strike, and Trina Boymook's name was listed as Tanya, amend to correct

Motion: Moved to approve as amended. Courtney Richard / Sarah Lakusta. Carried.

3) Approval of the Minutes

May 18, 2022

It was noted that Yemisi's last name "Emmanuel" was to be added, and the "check sp" notes were to be removed

Motion: Moved to approve as amended. Christian Rasmussen / Allison Usher. Carried.

4) Logos Report*: Logos Rep - Hilary Schmidt

5) Trustee Report*: Trustee – Trina Boymook

6) Administration Report:

Mike Lastiwka

- Great start up to the school year, high energy first day of school, everyone happy to come back
- Over 500 people attended the Welcome back / meet the teacher BBQ
- New electronic permission click forms, but thank you parents who have signed up for those, few glitches to work out but has been more simple for staff to work through
- School fees, now going back to the lump sum amount up front. We'll see how it goes back to this lump sum system instead of per field trip
- Logos open house information meeting- Oct 6, more information will be in the newsletter
- New curriculum implementation K-3 started off, we have had a fairly seamless transition so far because of the EIPS division work to help implement it
- Govt recently required grade 2-4 testing for learning loss. This is an AB government requirement, with a time restriction. Grade 1 testing will be in January for similar assessments
- We are working on building community in our school, creating a group identity and a sense of belonging, which transitions into restorative justice and restorative principles

Tracey Prouse

- This was her first Westboro family BBQ and it was amazing, such a great event to see everyone in attendance
- Welcomed some new staff, families, EAs, we have a really great team this year
- A sense of hope and excitement back in the school



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- First assembly was great, some of the lower grades this was their first all school assembly. It went really well, we're hoping to get some Westboro Warrior spirit wear to build on the excitement and community
- So nice to see parents back in the building, and so much more we can do with those extra hands volunteering in the classrooms
- Patrollers - 55 kids signed up as of right now
- Grade 6, creating leadership opportunities for them specifically, noon supervision to help the lunch staff
- Cross age buddies reimplemented

7) Teacher Report: Courtney Richard

- We get to have groups again, Tues was the first choir practice - 45 kids showed up
- Tomorrow there's a group coming in to do drawing as an outreach project for together we stand which connects with military families
- Kindergarten students doing recess with grade ones and twos out the side door
- Metis/Inuit moneys - new project with the kids, Connie Colhavey knowledge keeper
- Connie coming on Oct 7 for another parent paint night, info will be in the newsletter, limited spots
- New doors, Westboro blue
- Back to school, created sidewalk chalk activities out the front of the school which were very successful
- Save the date, real life in person Christmas concert booked for Dec 6 at The Park Church

8) Next Meeting

Wednesday, October 19, 2022 at 6:3 p.m.

9) Adjourn

Motion: Moved to adjourn at 7:46 p.m. Kim Scott. Carried.



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Logos Report

-First Chapel of the year will be in person on September 27th at 1pm.

-At the September 6th Logos meeting Trustee Don Irwin informed us that October 6th, 2022 was potentially the date the collected data from the public engagement sessions held in June (re: the future of the Logos program) would be made available. I have not been given nor been able to find any further info on this date or the information to be released.

-A committee was formed at the September 6th Logos meeting to work on "Project Gabriel". This project aims to get the word out into the community about the Logos program.

-Commitment forms and Logos membership info is in the process of being updated and should be ready to be sent out to Logos families soon.

-Planning of the Halloween alternative activity is in the works.

-Next Logos meeting is October 11th at Brentwood Elementary School 7pm to 8:30pm.

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Trustee Report

Trina Boymook

- The Board toured 5 Sherwood Park schools on May 9. School tours give Trustees to get a glimpse of that is taking place in our schools and to learn more about what they are focused on. The Board will be continuing school tours in Sherwood Park on May 30.
- Board is set to approve a \$202M budget that incorporates \$8.9M from reserves at our May 25 Board Meeting.
- June 13 we will be raising Treaty 6 and Metis flags at central
- June 21 the board will holding a grand opening of our indigenous land learning space.
- Wishing you all the best as you enter into the final weeks of the 2021-21 school year and look forward to being back in September