

Forest Green School - School Council Meeting

February 15, 2022 / 6:30 PM / VIRTUAL

Attendees

Paul McCann (Board Trustee), Nealle Dickson (Principal), Melissa Everitt-Dallinger (Assistant Principal), Jessica St. Pierre (Secretary), Sarah Kauffman (Secretary), Tammi Lucier-Tebb (Board Chair), Michelle Ducharme (Treasurer), Cindy Owles (Member at Large)

Minutes

1.0 Call to Order at 6:30pm.

2.0 Approval of Agenda

- Tammie Tebb - Motion to approve
- Sarah Kauffman - Second

2.1 Approval of December 2021 minutes

- Tammie Tebb - Motion to approve
- Michelle Ducharme - Second

3.0 Teacher Report - Janet Barmby, Grade 4 Teacher/Numeracy Lead

- Government funding for numeracy support due to Covid19. Used MIPI scores and pulled students for further assessment to gain data.
- Currently have four different groups, meeting 4 times per week.
- Exciting to see the kids discussing and engaging with numeracy.

4.0 Chairs Report - Tammie Tebb

- Kindergarten Open House, Feb 16, 2022
- Family Day, February 21, 2022
- Pink Shirt Day, February 23, 2022
- Discussing advocacy solutions next month

5.0 Fundraising Report - Cindy Owles

- Upcoming Fundraisers - Purdy's (March), Mundare (May), School Supplies, Mabel's Labels

6.0 Principal's Report - Nealle Dickson

- Literacy achievement. Some kids have graduated out of the program.
- Forgotten Lunch process - initially planned to communicate with parents that are getting a lunch. We are continuing to track but are aware of the financial situation that many families are facing. Holding off on communicating with parents at this time.
- The Thought Exchange survey is open to parents. Closes February 21, 2022.
- Assurance Survey will come out for parents and teachers of grades 4-6.
- Basketball team had their first game this evening!

7.0 Board Report - Paul McCann - Board Chair

- School Calendar presented and on record for 2022-2023
- Attendance Area Review - redrawing attendance areas in PSD
- Alberta Government announced implementing 44 engagement sessions, Town Hall Meetings about the new curriculum.
<https://www.alberta.ca/curriculum-have-your-say.aspx>
- Shauna Boyce will be an Inclusive Education Advisory Panel.. Send Paul McCann an email with any parents expressing interest. In the upcoming month, PSD will be posting a call for applicants for this Panel. The Panel will include up to 7 parent and/or community members (with urban and rural representation) and up to 3 representatives from Division administration. Members of the Panel will serve a two-year term. Please contact Paul McCann with information regarding any interested participants.

8.0 Adjournment. 7:01 pm. Next meeting: March 15, 2022, 6:30 pm