



Spirit of the North Community School

School Council – February 3, 2021

PRINCIPAL: Mr. Shane Dempster VICE-PRINCIPAL: Ms. Kelly Bourgeois

SNCS School Council Meeting Minutes

Present

Brooke Gilchrist - Council Chair
Carrie Demkiw - Secretary
Sarah Chisholm - Teacher Representative
Shane Dempster - Principal
Kelly Bourgeois - Vice-Principal/Inclusive Education
Shane Lloyd - Parent Representative
Marc Beland - School Board Trustee
Abe Doerksen - Parent Representative

Meeting called to order at 7:34

Approval of Agenda & Additions

MOTION to approve the agenda as presented.

MOVED by Shane Lloyd

SECONDED by Kelly Bourgeois.

MOTION CARRIED.

Student Council Report – attached

MOTION to approve the Student Council report as presented.

MOVED by Brooke Gilchrist

MOTION CARRIED.

Trustees Report

- School board met last week. They are lobbying the Minister of Education to change the formula for funding school divisions (or to overlook this year in their three year census average).
- The board is still waiting for government approval for the expansion to Blue Hills and Fort Public School.
- 2 long term central office staff retired this year and the board decided not to replace them and redistribute their duties among others.
- Over \$100 000 has been spent on increased cleaning
- There are currently over 20 students at HLPS isolating right now.
- The 3 goals: Every student is successful; good governance; and maintaining quality teachers and leadership within the division.
- The 3 priorities: Numeracy, Literacy and Connectivity
- The government is requiring school divisions to drop their number.
- All but 23% of the division's annual budget is spent locally. The 23% not spent locally are for services not provided in the region (EG: Insurance, software, etc).
- The annual fundraising report (2019 - 2020) was released, High Level schools raised \$260 000 for things like Grad, sports, school trips, etc.
- Trustee elections are coming up this fall and the nomination process began at the beginning January. Information on running can be found on the FVSD website.
- Teacher recruitment for next year has begun. This looks really different this year due to COVID, it is all being done virtually.

MOTION to approve the Trustee's Report as presented.

MOVED by Shane Lloyd

MOTION CARRIED.

Stars Report

Online Access for AGLC – signatures (Brooke & Carrie)

Brooke and Carrie need to sign some paperwork to allow us online access to our AGLC account

Casino Spending

Teacher Ideas

- Omnikin Balls
 - 6 - 18" - \$390
 - 1 – 36" - \$215
 - 1 – 48" - \$350
 - 1 – 60" - \$490
 - 1 – 72" - \$575

- Library Furniture - PPT

MOTION to have the school purchase Omnikin Balls and library furniture to meet their needs to a maximum of \$20 000.

MOVED by Shane Lloyd.

SECONDED by Brooke Gilchrist.

MOTION CARRIED.

MOTION to approve the STARS Report as presented.

MOVED by Abe Doerksen

MOTION CARRIED.

Teacher's Report - Sarah Chisholm

- PGP Meetings - Professional Growth Plans - an annual plan that each teacher complete each year
- Bully Awareness
 - February 22-26 - WITS Program & Pink Shirt Day
- Go Strength Programming – Mrs. Arnold - building off of Go Zen and is offered virtually to every class.

MOTION to approve the Teachers' Report as presented.

MOVED by Brooke Gilchrist

MOTION CARRIED.

Admin Report/Inclusive Education

- Welcome back to Ms. Bourgeois!!
- 3T results & Literacy Interventions

Assessment	TOSREC		TOSWRF		TOWRE	
	A	B	A	B	A	B
4						
2020 / 2021	77	86	98	100	88	92
5						
2020 / 2021	83	86	99	100	96	96
6						
2020 / 2021	96	94	100	105	96	97

- Connectivity Survey & Meetings

Adult Connections (OCT)

adults 0	9
adults 1-2	6
adults 3-5	20

Adult Connections (JAN)

adults 0	1
adults 1-2	5
adults 3-5	14

January Data**Close Friends in school**

friends 0
10
friends 1-2
56
friends 3-5
62
5 or more
57

Close Friends outside of school

friends 0
17
friends 1-2
54
friends 3-5
34
5 or more
79

OCTOBER DATA**Close Friends in school**

friends 0
13
friends 1-2
55
friends 3-5
54
5 or more
55

Close Friends outside of school

friends 0
18
friends 1-2
51
friends 3-5
41
5 or more
64

MOTION to approve the Admin Report as presented.

MOVED by Shane Lloyd.

MOTION CARRIED.

Next Meeting on Wednesday, March 3 @ 6:30

*Meeting adjourned at 7:18 pm



Spirit of the North Community School

School Council – January 13, 2020

PRINCIPAL: Mr. Shane Dempster VICE-PRINCIPAL: Ms. Kelly Bourgeois

SNCS School Council Meeting Minutes

Present

Brooke Gilchrist - Council Chair
Jennifer Hillhorst - Vice-Chair
Carrie Demkiw - Secretary
Sarah Chisholm - Teacher Representative
Shane Dempster - Principal
Susan Richardson - Vice-Principal/Inclusive Education
Shane Lloyd - Parent Representative
Marc Beland - School Board Trustee

Meeting called to order at 6:33 pm.

Approval of Agenda & Additions

MOTION to approve the agenda as presented.
MOVED by Carrie Demkiw.
MOTION CARRIED.

Student Council Report – attached

Trustees Report

- January Trustees meeting has been moved to the end of January in order to hopefully meet in person.
- The budget is balanced right now.
- The Echo is going to be running an article about how FVSD has spent \$4.1 stimulus funding that they received. The funding was used to do school grounds upgrading and local contractors were used to do as much of the work as possible.

MOTION to approve the Trustees Report as presented.
MOVED by Shane Lloyd.
MOTION CARRIED.

Stars Report

Casino Spending

Teacher Ideas

- Omnikin Balls
- Library Furniture
- Art Supplies
- Bleachers for the gym
- Math Consultant fees

ACTION: Shane will get a quote on library furniture and Omnikin balls and bring it to the next meeting.

MOTION to approve the STARS Report as presented.
MOVED by Jennifer Hilhorst.
MOTION CARRIED.

Teacher's Report - Sarah Chisholm

3T Testing - working on doing the second round of testing over the next three weeks (the first round was completed in the fall).

MOTION to approve the Teacher's Report as presented.
MOVED by Brooke Gilchrist.
MOTION CARRIED.

Admin Report/Inclusive Education

Connectivity Survey will be completed again next week.

<u>Adult Connections</u>				<u>Close Friends in school</u>	<u>Close Friends outside of school</u>
adults 0	9			friends 0	friends 0
adults 1-2	5			13	18
adults 3-5	18			friends 1-2	friends 1-2
adults over 5	142			53	51
				friends 3-5	friends 3-5
				54	40
				5 or more	5 or more
				55	63

MOTION to approve the Admin Report as presented.

Moved by Jennifer Hilhorst.

MOTION CARRIED.

Next Meeting on Wednesday, February 3 @ 6:30

*Meeting adjourned at 7:02 *



Student Council – January 27, 2020

4K		5P		6E	
4Ph		5M		6CC	
4P		5C		6H	
4W		5R			

I. Additions to agenda - (New Business)

Admin Report

- a. School Clothing
- b. 3T Testing
- c. Connectivity Survey Data

Adult Connections (OCT)

adults 0	9
adults 1-2	6
adults 3-5	20
adults over 5	143

Adult Connections (JAN)

adults 0	1
adults 1-2	5
adults 3-5	14
adults over 5	162

Close Friends in school

friends 0
9
friends 1-2
56
friends 3-5
61
5 or more
57

Close Friends outside of school

friends 0
17
friends 1-2
53
friends 3-5
34
5 or more
78

OCTOBER DATA

Close Friends in school
friends 0
13
friends 1-2
55
friends 3-5
54
5 or more
55

Close Friends outside of school
friends 0
18
friends 1-2
51
friends 3-5
41
5 or more
64

Treasurer Report

A. Spending
1.

Opening Balance	\$1100
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Old Business

A. Return Recyclables

New Business

- A. Theme Days for February
 - a. Beach Day - February 4th

Next Meeting: February 24, 2020