

School Council Minutes

Blueberry School

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| Attendance | In Person: Heather Bader-Kopp, Michelle Visscher, Sarah Corker, Jen Richens Virtual: Erin Craig, Jill DeGroot, Cayla Prince | |
| Meeting Start time | January 9th 2023 @ 6:30 pm Called to order @ 6:37 pm | |
| Land Acknowledgement | Heather Bader-Kopp | |
| Agenda Adoption (additions to Agenda) & Minute Adoption from November 21 st , 2022 | Agenda Adopt: Sarah Corker Second: Jen Richens Previous Minutes: Adopt: Sarah Corker Second: Jen Richens | |
| Chairperson Report | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Engagement Meeting Success & Discussion ~ Question 1: Social Media, Covid Impact & Transition Back to the Classroom, Cell Phones ~ Question 2: vulnerable groups, Breakfast Program, Are We Advocating Without Asking/Who Are We Talking w/ For Advice, Speakers (Indigenous Leaders) as well as Student Speakers | |
| Principal Report | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Staffing Updates ● Play Parkland ~ permission forms for grade 3, 4, 5 this year, grade 4's go alone, grade 3 & 5's go together, play parkland is school specific for grades and activities included ● Interviews ~ hybrid this time, if you are passionate about a specific one sign up early, Feb. 1st online, Feb. 2nd in person, book fair will run Jan. 31st -Feb. 2nd (Jan. 30th is a PD Day) ● Basketball Refs ~ \$25 paid to refs, does anyone know anyone that can help, a clinic to train may run next year ● Future Concerts ~ discussing the idea of concerts at Blueberry – a K-3 concert in the winter and a 4-6 concert in the spring Considerations: could allow for more acting and bigger roles for students with a different division of grades, ensure that those not involved in the Christmas Concert have ways to participate in Christmas cheer | Action Items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Michelle will reach out to Malinda to get a playground update ○ Heather will look into the Feb. 7th COSC Meeting details |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Upcoming Council of School Councils Mtg (COSC) ~ February 7th, Heather Bader-Kopp will check for invite and details ● Playground ~ Materials have been ordered, Jill DeGroot – cheques have been written ● Casino ~ Thank you Jill! | |
| Trustee Report | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Absent | Action Items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Board Highlights |
| Parent Discussion - Agenda items | <p>Adopt Operating Procedures: All in Favor, Jill DeGroot Abstained</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Family Movie Night ~ Heather Bader-Kopp: Considerations: a Friday, grade levels, movies we are allowed to play, break up grades due to movie interest, break up by divisions and run it 3x in the year or schedule different movies by classrooms and families book seats in the classroom with the movie they want to go to, include JH, pre-order snack boxes ● Fundraising Report in Meetings for Minutes ~ Heather Bader-Kopp: share upcoming fundraisers and to know where we are at financially and to support our ideas (such as movie night), only a subsection of principal report, Jen Richens will be the go between and do the report | Action Items: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Michelle Visscher look into Copyright for movies ○ Jen Richens will be the communication liaison between the Fundraising Committee, School Playground Committee and School Council |
| Next Meeting Date | February 13th 2023 @ 6:30 pm | |
| Adjournment | January 9th 2023 @ 7:43 pm | |
| Agenda Items scheduled to next meeting. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Follow Up on Concert Ideas ● Movie Night Continued Conversation ● Share Playground Update | |