



École Intermediaire Central Middle School

Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, November 23, 2021 @ 7:00 pm
CMS Library

In Attendance: Darrin DeMale (Principal), Nathan Good (Vice-Principal), Shari Seely (Vice-Chair), Shara-Lee Holmes (Secretary), Chantal Mangan

Regrets: Giselle Ruest (Vice-Principal), Sarah Rollingson (Chair), Michelle Davison, Alicia Tulp, Carol Smyth

Welcome:

We would like to recognize the land we are on. To the North of the Red Deer River is Treaty Six and to the South, where our school resides is, Treaty Seven land. Red Deer is located on ground that was traditionally used by the Blackfoot, Stoney and Cree people. They would come to this area for hunting and trading. The Metis people also traded along the Red Deer River. It is important that we recognize and give thanks for the use of this land as we actively work towards reconciliation.

1. **Meeting was called to order @ 7:04 pm**

2. **Addition / Adoption of the Agenda**

- o *Moved by Chantal*

Carried Unanimously

3. **Approval of September 21, 2021 Minutes**

- o *Moved by Chantal*

Carried Unanimously

4. **New Business:**

Guest Speaker

a) **Guest Speaker – Tania Diletzoy**

- Tania has been involved with leadership activities for 25 yrs and runs our Leadership Programs. Leadership is for everyone both overtly and behind the scenes. Originally inspired by Maslow’s Hierarchy of Needs – shared Maslow’s Hierarchy of School Needs which she also shares with students. Recommended ‘The Power of Purpose and the Teenage Brain’ by Dan Siegel.
- Examples of Leadership run activities: Haunted House, We Scare Hunger, Staff Appreciation, September’s Fun Day (outside).

Erin Lerouge

- Canadian Parents for French is a national organization, government funded group that promotes the French language and culture. They would like to revive the local chapter and are looking for approx. 12 members to meet 2-3 times per year. CPF provides parents with resources and help to support their children’s learning in French. If interested, please contact the School / Mme Lerouge. More information will be shared via Cyclone Scope.

b) **Reports and Updates – Principals Report**

- **Term One:** Ends Dec. 3, with Term 2 beginning Dec. 6.
- **Band Concerts:** Each grade will be allowed to hold a concert! Parents are invited to attend.
- **Parent / Teacher Interviews:** Dec. 8 & 9, information to sign up will be coming home soon!
- **Town Halls:** December 16th
- **Clubs:** There is amazing support with high participation in our many different clubs at CMS – thanks to everyone for making them successful.



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- Spirits are high around the school, students and staff are excited to be here!
- c) **City Wide Council** –
- **Next Meeting:** November 30th @ Fairview Elementary, both in person and online.
- d) **Fundraising** – Parkland Nurseries poinsettias and Christmas Trees are still available! Date extension will be shared to parents in an email.
5. **Round Table** –
- **None**
6. **Next Meeting** – January, 25th 2022
7. **Adjournment** @ 8:04 pm

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