

Aspen Heights School Council

Meeting Minutes

October 19th, 2023

1. Call to Order at 3:35 by Sarah Lanaway
Members Present: Bill Kwasny, Sarah Lanaway, Kendra Somer, Chantel Thompson, Dawn Kalan, Desiree Smith, Susan Scholfield, Dustyn Boos, Renee Kapetanovic, Tana Torgerson, Tosha Sim, Melisa McIntosh
2. Welcome/Introductions
3. Approval of the Agenda (members may request an item to be added to the agenda at this time)
Motion to Approve the Agenda as Presented
Moved By: Kendra Somer
Seconded By: Dawn Kalan
CARRIED
4. Approval of the Minutes from September 21st, 2023, Meeting
Motion to Approve the Minutes as Presented
Moved By: Dawn Kalan
Seconded By: Desiree Smith
CARRIED
5. Reports/Update
 - a) Teacher Report - Tosha Sim & Melisa McIntosh
 - Both teachers have full grade 5 classes this year
 - Tosha teaches social, French and music to both
 - Melisa teaches science to both
 - They are using the same L.A. and math programs, new curriculum for both
 - Doing a novel study together
 - Lots of shared supplies
 - Using tables this year instead of desks
 - Field trip to CFR on November 1st
 - Grade 5 Camp June 5th and 6th - \$100+tax/camper, \$500 deposit
 - Hamster in Mrs. Sim's room. Grant provided through "Pets in the Classroom."
 - b) Administration Report - Bill Kwasny
 - Thankyou for the Thanksgiving hampers
 - Don Jardine organized rugby fest with various schools around the city
 - New K-5 curriculum, schools working together, next get together is January 19th

- Rebuilding S.S. curriculum for 2024/2025
- Mustard Seed assembly. Able to gift a \$40,000 cheque to The Mustard Seed.
- Students were extremely respectful and well behaved.

c) City Wide School Council Report - Kendra

- Meeting was held at Don Campbell
- Principal shared about the school
- Elected new Chair and Vice
- Info shared regarding SSR

d) Executives Report

- i. Correspondence - Chantel
 - None

6. Business Arising from Prior Minutes

- a) Games Night - Kendra, Dawn, Telly, Sue and Desiree helping
- b) Work order for new shelf unit - In process
- c) New ways to recruit new members - Social Media?
- d) Year Agenda Plan - Printout

7. New Business

- a) Adopt-A-Family questionnaire - Give to Nicole

8. Adjournment/Next Meeting Date

- Adjourned at 4:18pm
- Next Meeting on November 16th, 2023, at 3:30pm