

School Council Meeting - March 2025

1. **Call to Order: 7:03**

In attendance: Crystal Kjelsberg, Ron Eberts (RDPSD), Dayna Wolfe, Liz Turner, Sheri Christensen, Paige O'Dwyer, Katie Holmes, Lara Andary, Claire Heatherington, Ronald Patel, Karlee McNabb, Sherman Hamsrath, Tanja Wigmore, Lysie Fleming

2. **Approval of current agenda:** motion- Sheri, second- Lara

3. **Approval of January minutes:** motion- Claire, second- Paige

4. **Teacher Guest-** Stacy Neizner and the Grade 4 team. Stacy, unable to attend, Crystal presented her notes.

LA focus on comprehension, cursive and public speaking right now. Math- multiplication and division. Social- buffalo jump/tepee art display, Science- atmosphere, Gym- skiing, skating and b-ball

5. **School Report:** Crystal Kjelsberg

Ski Loppet finally happened after 3 postponements. Largest contingent of schools with a few placing in the medals.

Teachers convention- some really great speakers (see last principals memo for a few highlights)

Gr 5 bball tourney at Hunting Hills

Pink shirt day- did a full week of kindness activities

Hired an EA based on results from testing that gave the school more funding.

Presentation from RDPSD academy today at the school for Gr 5 students

Report cards went live last week. K-5 Student-led conferences on Thurs.

-send survey after conferences to see parent preference of student led vs one on one w/ teacher

Trickster theatre coming soon. Still some places left for volunteer sign-up

Apr- Anti-bullying presentation to Gr 4/5 from RCMP school liaison officer

Old Business

- Family Night (Feb): cancelled due to weather. Instead, we will have a parent council table at Open House night on Apr 15 (5-6:30) and hand out cookies. Open house is an opportunity for current families and families that may be considering moving to the district to come into the school and explore the entire school. Also can look ahead to the upcoming year and see which classrooms the students might be in. Teachers, admin, school liaison and parent council will all be there. Is being promoted by the school and the district on all social media platforms. Liz to send out email for volunteers

New Business

- Gr 5 camp will be 1 day camp at Pioneer on June 18 (7:30am-6:30pm) but cost is not yet finalized as there are still fundraisers happening (~\$75/child). Will need volunteers so please get your vulnerable sector check done early.
- Trickster. We need parent volunteers, please sign up. Performance will be Friday afternoon.

Adjournment: 7:45

Parents for Don Campbell Society

Call to Order: 7:46

Attendance: Crystal Kjelsberg, Liz Turner, Katie Holmes, Sheri Christensen, Paige O'Dwyer, Claire Heatherington, Karlee McNabb, Tanja Wigmore, Lysie Fleming

Hot lunch Report- Lara

- Nothing to report. Currently setting up the rest of the lunches for the year
- Sheri wanted to give a shout out to Lara because she had heard from a few other parents about how well the program is being run

Treasurer's Report- Dayna

- Made over 13000 on the raffle which was slightly less than previous years.
- Account currently at \$19,568.95

Old Business

Acronaires- Crystal has emailed the coordinator but hasn't heard back from him yet

New Business

1. Events: Karlee will still pick up cookies or refreshments for Open house night
2. Teacher Appreciation - meal update. Crystal/Teresa found a catering company run out of HHHS and with the funds from parent council was able to split it into 2 meals. First will be during PD this week and then again in May during teacher appreciation week.
3. Motion by Katie to purchase sports equip for outside (\$500). Motion- Claire, Second- Karlee

City Wide:

The meeting schedule for 2024-25 is as follows:

- March 18, 2025 - Hosted by Westpark Middle located at 3310 55 Avenue
- May 13, 2025 - Hosted by Glendale located at 6375 77 Street

Next Meeting: May at Earls. Crystal to select a date

Adjournment: 8:14