



Camilla School Council Minutes

November 17, 2020 / Zoom Meeting

- 1) Call to Order - 5:00 pm
- 2) Attendees - Chantelle B, Carol N, Marla Z, Kelly P, Dan S, Joe D, Darla St, Amber K, Nadine H, Amy S, Merrilyn S, Shallen M, Sherry M, Tera K, Robyn S, Trish N, Amber V
- 3) Approval of Agenda - Kelly approved agenda with the following addition:
 - Christmas Hampers/Adopt a Family
- 4) Previous meeting minutes - Amber will send out via email
- 5) New Business
 - Operating Procedures - yearly AGM date set to September
 - Council of School Councils Meeting - Darla and Shallen attended (virtual) meeting of all parent councils in division. Each council had a few minutes to report on school highlights and issues, as well hear discussion around division COVID protocol, cutback concerns, pandemic expenses, legal/lawsuit concerns.
 - Sturgeon Public School / RQB Ag Society - Arena/Gym Ownership Agreement: Parents are concerned that students will lose access to arena and other opportunities (with having access to 2 gyms) if agreement is not reached. Another concern is the expense of these negotiations if legal intervention is needed. Mary Lynne Campbell has offered to meet with Shallen and Darla to discuss. Will continue to monitor parent feedback and communication updates when known. Please contact Joe or council members with any questions or concerns.
 - 2021/2022 Division Calendar - any feedback from parents on proposed dates? Suggestions regarding a longer fall (November) break as well as a Nov 1st PD day (as Oct 31 Halloween falls on a Sunday). Dan/Joe to take recommendations back to central administration.
 - Christmas Hamper/Adopt a Family - Dan is working with teachers/classes to sponsor 5 local families in need with a Food/Gift basket. Each class will ask for contributions to the hampers. CSC discussed and Kelly made a motion that CSC provide a donation for each gift basket of \$50 (\$250 total) for a ham or turkey in form of item or gift card, as well as to fill in any gaps if not received through student donations (not exceeding an additional \$250). Amber seconded. Darla to request funds from CSSA.
- 6) Principal Report
 - Another covid case this week. Protocols working and being followed. AHS lets admin know when they can communicate further information to parents. Dan asked for feedback - parents are good with covid communications to date.
 - Budget quarterly report shared - expenditures total about 11% for about 20% of the year so far.
 - Construction continues on new school. RFP for new playground closes Nov 30th.
 - Parent asked about assistance for younger grade teachers having difficulties with teaching through masks - wondering if plexiglass barrier could be a solution? Dan will ask teachers if that is something they are interested in. Joe will find out if more clear masks are available for teachers.
 - Parent asked about stage in new gym? Dan said a stage has been purchased for the new gymnasium.

7) Teacher Report

- Parent teacher interviews went ok, a few technical glitches but overall went ok
- Teachers are working hard to catch up students who have been missing due to self-isolation
- Shallen thanked teachers and impressed by how they have been handling things. We really appreciate our teachers!!

8) Trustee Report

- Financial outlook still a struggle - even more with added pandemic expenses
- Optimistic that agreement will be reached with SPS/RQB Ag Society
- Next board meeting Nov 23rd
- Any questions or concerns - please feel free to contact Joe

9) No December meeting, next meeting - January 19, 2021

10) Adjournment 5:43pm

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2021-2022

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October 14, 2020

School offices open	August 23
Prof. Dev. Collaboration - no classes	August 27
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Operational Non-Instructional (K-12) - no classes	August 31
All classes (full day)	September 1
Labour Day - no classes	September 6
Division/School PD/Collaboration; Staff meeting	September 17
Thanksgiving Day - no classes	October 11
Division/School PD/Collaboration; Staff meeting	October 15
Remembrance Day - no classes	November 11
Division/School PD/Collaboration; Staff meeting	November 12
In lieu of Parent/Teacher Interviews - no classes	November 26
Division/School PD/Collaboration; Staff meeting	December 17
Christmas Vacation	Dec. 18-Jan 2
Classes Resume	January 3
Division/School PD/Collaboration; Staff meeting	January 14
Division/School PD/Collaboration; Staff meeting	January 31
First day of classes Semester Two	February 1
Teachers' Convention - no classes	February 10-11
Family Day - no classes	February 21
Division/School PD/Collaboration; Staff meeting	March 18
In lieu of Parent/Teacher Interviews - no classes	March 25
Spring Recess	March 26 - April 3
Classes Resume	April 4
Good Friday - no classes	April 15
Easter Monday - no classes	April 18
Division/School PD/Collaboration; Staff meeting	April 22
Division/School PD/Collaboration; Staff meeting	May 20
Victoria Day - no classes	May 23
Division/School PD/Collaboration; Staff meeting	June 3
Last day of classes	June 29
Operational Non-Instructional (K-12) - no classes	June 30
Summer vacation begins	July 1