

Normandeau School Council Meeting Minutes
May 24, 2022 at 5:30 p.m.
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Attendees: Amanda B, Jamie S, Krista H, Lisa S, Glenda C, Vanessa H

1. Meeting Called To Order:

By: Krista H

Time: 5:43 p.m.

2. Treaty Acknowledgement

3. Motion To Approve May 4, 2022, Council Meeting Minutes:

Approved By: Jamie S

Second By: Krista H

4. Motion To Approve Tonight's Agenda with amendments:

Approved By: Jamie S

Second By: Amanda B

5. Principal's (Lisa Spicer) Message:

- School Education Plan 22/23 24/25 Not finalized yet, but Lisa has a copy for the school to go over and add things that may be specific to our school. Three things to highlight: Roots of Empathy program that our school currently uses for the younger grades, will be expanding to the higher grades. Tipi, and the greenhouse will be ready soon, these are things we can highlight as great tools for our students' education.

6. City Wide School Council Meeting Update:

- No one was able to attend this CWSC meeting and their meeting minutes were very brief making it hard to give a detailed update.
- Next meeting will be October 4, 2022, 7:00 p.m. at Normandeau School.

7. Business Arising From Previous Council Meetings:

- AGM Online Conference Update from Jamie - 4 Resolutions were voted on, we previously discussed our votes for Jamie to submit. Overall it went smoothly.
- At our last meeting we decided that all decisions made should be voted on (Approved By, Second By, All in Favor) Examples: Who's caring votes, money requests, etc.

- \$500 Alberta School Council Engagement grant spending decision - Booking Aboriginal Red Deer for late June 2022 to perform an indigenous event outdoors at our school. This event is open to the Normandeau School community. Performance fee is \$750 and the drum group fee is \$400 for a total of \$1150. School council has agreed to pay half of the \$650 cost that is over and above the \$500 grant. The split amount will be \$325 for each; Normandeau school and School Council. Have requested that Normandeau include the event with details on their Facebook page. School council will also send an email out to their parent contacts via email.
- \$500 School Council Engagement grant being used toward the event
 - Approved By: Krista H
 - Second By: Jamie S
 - All in Favor: yes
- Presented and Implemented Normandeau School Council & Society Timeline document.
 - Approved By: Krista H
 - Second By: Amanda B
 - All in Favor: yes
- REMINDER - Look at social media presentations ideas when we can offer in-person sessions. Some ideas have been: Social media do's and don'ts and vaping info.

8. New Business Discussed:

- Create Work Plan for next school year with potential ideas for school council activities.
 - School dances ie: family, halloween.
 - Movie night.
 - Family bingo.
 - Potluck dinner night with a cultural dish.
 - Family dodgeball, basketball, etc.
 - Christmas Store.
 - Purchases - Chrome books, buddy bench.
 - Talk about childcare for council meetings.
 - Does the time and date work for council meetings or should we change it.
- Review updated draft of operating procedures. Will present and vote on at AGM in September.
- In June:
 - Chair - (Optional) Create school council report with Principal for the district - Krista has already started making notes for the report. Complete before middle of June.
- Next meeting date September 27, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. at Normandeau School.

9. Meeting Adjourned:

By: Krista H

Time: 6:38p.m.