

MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL OF SCHOOL COUNCILS MEETING HELD AT THE CENTRE FOR EDUCATION IN STONY PLAIN,

ALBERTA ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2018

ATTENDANCE:

School Council Representatives

Rich Haggarty - Prescott Learning Center – Co-Chair

Brenda Cryer – Prescott – Co-Chair

Archie Lillico – Millgrove

Pam Pirie – Millgrove

Crystal VanderBurg - Millgrove

Donna Betke – Ecole Broxton Park

Brenda Baker - MCHS

Chantelle deBoer-PVS

Lei Gryshik – Brookwood

Patricia Whalen – Blueberry

Rhonda Stewart - SGCHS

Jackie Davies - Graminia

Board of Trustees

Anne Montgomery, Trustee

Lorraine Stewart, Trustee

Administration

Scott Johnston, Associate Superintendent

Nicole Lakusta – Curriculum Educational Technology

Facilitator

Recording Secretary

Roxanne Genereux

1. CALL TO ORDER/RULES OF ORDER

COSC Chair Richard Haggarty called the meeting to order at 7:01 pm and discussed rules of order.

2. WELCOME AND INTRODUCTIONS

Chair Haggarty welcomed the new COSC members, completed a round table of introductions.

3. CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

- Remove item 9. Surveys Isolation Rooms & Alberta Education Business Plans
- Remove item 7. Parkland School Division Technology Services
- Move item 5. Stakeholder Engagement Event Review to number 7.
- Move item 8. Parkland School Division Education Department to item 5.

3.1 APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Chair Haggarty that the Agenda of the November 29, 2018 meeting be approved as amended.

CARRIED

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by Jackie Davies that the Minutes of the October 26, 2018 meeting be approved as presented.

CARRIED

5. PARKLAND SCHOOL DIVISION LEARNING SERVICES

Nicole Lakusta, Curriculum Educational Technology Facilitator, presented on supporting our children in today's technology. Ms. Lakusta reviewed with the COSC members the Eight (8) Alberta competencies, BYOD guidelines, Google Suite applications and safe data collection.

Ms. Lakusta discussed utilizing technology, Learning and Technology policy framework, the digital learning environment. Further information was provided regarding the responsible use of technology agreement student form and how to get children (including younger children) involved in understanding this form and what it means to use electronic devices responsibly.

Link to Slides:

http://bit.ly/COSCTech

Ms. Lakusta answered any questions from COSC members.

6. ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Chair Haggarty brought forward the dates for the ASCA Conference April 26-28, 2019. ASCA website school Council Resource Guide is online. If you have questions, contact Chair Richard Haggarty or Brenda Cryer at prescottscchair@psd70.ab.ca

7. STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT EVENT REVIEW

Associate Superintendent Johnston brought forward discussions regarding the Stakeholder Engagement event held on November 28, 2018 and went over the ThoughtExchange results.

Chair Haggarty and other COSC members gave an overview of the Stakeholder Engagement event and the ThoughtExchange between attendees.

Associate Superintendent Johnston answered questions from COSC members regarding ThoughtExchange.

8. BOARD REPORT

Board Vice Chair Lorraine Stewart discussed the 5 Assurance Elements for governors from the Education Plan. Vice Chair Stewart brought forward the opportunity for submission of nominations for the Honoring Spirit: Indigenous Student Awards, with February 1, 2019 as the deadline.

ASBA has an Indigenous Insights Series. These three minute videos provide insights and conversation on numerous aspects of Indigenous communities. https://vimeo.com/album/5545531

Vice Chair Stewart discussed the Board approving the audited Financial statements for the year end August 31, 2018.

Vice Chair Stewart, Trustee Montgomery and Associate Superintendent Johnston answered any questions from COSC members.

9. SENIOR ADMINISTRATION REPORT

Associate Superintendent Johnston indicated that the Engagement Event review would serve as the Senior Administration report.

10. UPCOMING MEETING DATES

Chair Haggarty requested adding a January 24, 2018 regular meeting so COSC could utilize the March 2019 meeting for discussions on the ASCA resolutions for interpretations.

COSC members agreed to add the January meeting date.

11. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ASCA presentation

12. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Chair Haggarty that the meeting adjourn at 9:02 pm.

CARRIED

Next Meeting: Thursday, January 24, 2019, 7 pm