

2022-2023
EWES SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL
MEETING AGENDA

DATE: JAN 16, 2023

TIME: 7:00 PM (TEAMS)

ATTENDEES: ERIN HUBER (CHAIR), CODI ENS (SECRETARY), ~~JASMINE REDDEKOPP (PARENT REP)~~, ~~SEERAT DECK (PARENT REP)~~, AMY WINIK (PARENT REP), JULIA HAFFORD (PARENT REP), (PARENT REP), LAURA DAVIES (PARENT REP), JEANNIE LADE (PARENT REP), STEPHANIE ZLUKOSKY (PARENT REP), DANIELLE OLSON (PRINCIPAL), NICOLE LACOURSIERE (VICE PRINCIPAL), ADIN DERENIWSKI (PSSD BOARD REP), MONIQUE SALUD (TEACHER REP), COLEEN ROWLEY (TEACHER REP)

- 1) Call to Order – 7:01 PM
- 2) Motion to Adopt Minutes from Nov. 2022
- 3) Errors or additions to the agenda
- 4) PSSD Board Report – Adin Dereniwski
 - a. Board Report provided by Adin
 - b. Assessment has changed Gr. 1-9 in PSSD – positive feedback
 - c. Edsby continues to be work in progress
 - d. French Immersion Program - expanding into Gr 6 @ EWES for 23/24
 - i. Gr. 6 will have options to participate with WCMS peers in Gr. 6
 - e. MLA meetings for local constituencies (Innovative Stewardship Goal in Divisional Strat Plan)
- 5) EWES Administrative Report – Danielle Olson
 - a. Christmas Concerts/Winter Festival was a great way to end Dec and go into winter break
 - b. Working on School Goals – revisiting what has been set out and setting new goals
 - c. Parent/Teacher conferences upcoming
 - d. Literacy Support Plans with Teachers and SERT teachers
 - e. Reconciliation team and Mental Health/Wellbeing teams are connecting and working on activities and events



- f. Metis Storyteller is being brought into school to engage and educate with students – 2 days booked through a grant with City of Warman
- g. SRC is hosting several events
 - i. Dress like a celebrity
- h. 4 new College of Nursing students introduced and working in school
- i. January – 2nd Lockdown drill
- j. Kindergarten Registration

6) SCC Financial Report – Nicole Lacoursiere

7) Old Business

A. Darkside Doughnuts Teacher Snack – total cost, teacher reaction, timing?

- a. Approx. Cost \$240

B. One Book, One School – A Boy Named Bat

How to spend Decentralized funds

Try to touch each/most school goals throughout the year

1. Literacy – One Book One School

- a. Cost \$2008.13 for 300 copies of the book
- b. If we charged families \$5.00 per book when they signed up to participate... assuming we had 300 families participate then that would be \$1500 so would only cost the SCC \$500.
- c. Comes from Decentralized Funds

2. School to send out order forms to be returned by Jan 25

- a. Danielle to order before Jan 27

3. 4-6 weeks – set of questions every week (every few chapters)

4. Prizes for Question Draw

- a. Prizes to be determined based upon the number of families participating; TBD on number/value of prizes in Feb SCC Meeting

5. Reconciliation – Persephone play

- a. Took place, students enjoyed, was a great aspect of reconciliation goals

6. Rocks & Rings are booked and paid for

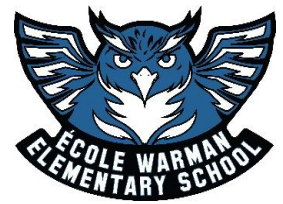
7. Edsby program – Parent/Student “Easter Egg” hunt

8. Parent Engagement in School – Welcome Back BBQ✓

9. Increased Sense of Community within the school/outside – Halloween Dance✓

10. Mental Health – Step up for Mental Health 5K –SCC presence✓

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8) New Business

- A. Possible Spring Event - Outside scavenger hunt? , Another Dance? , Feed the Teachers; Wednesday soup day in the month of March?
- B. SRC wants to work with SCC to do a school wide Bingo – there are number of prizes still to use up
 - a. SRC to setup and sell popcorn etc.
 - b. Fundraiser for the Playground; Community Initiatives; Practice letters/numbers
 - i. Could ask community/parents to donate prizes/door prize
 - c. Targeting end of March
 - d. Option to split time between older and younger grades on same night to spread it out a little
- C. Book Exchange – engage parents/families
 - a. Could coincide with Bingo night
 - b. Students to bring in good condition unwanted books to exchange for tickets and take new to them books
 - c. To discuss more at next SCC meeting
- D. Divisional Communication on communication
 - a. Divisional communication goes to one student only; if there is multiple students registered to the same email it will only go to one student.
 - b. The division is not always able to share; depending on circumstances and involvement of other parties (i.e. if RCMP is handling the matter and doesn't want it shared) it may not be something that is mass communicated from the division.

9) Next meeting – Feb 13 @ 630 – Virtual

10) End of Meeting – 7:45pm