

William Mason School - School Community Council Meeting Minutes
November 28, 2024

- 1) Call to Order, In Attendance: Trevor Davidson, Andrew Rushby, Kacy-Jae McLean, Nicole Kelsey, Marcy Burka-Charles, Larissa Bond, Christie Milne, Alyson Karalash
- 2) Meeting Minutes from Prior Meeting, not read
- 3) Reports
 - a) Chairperson Report - Kacy-Jae McLean
 - i) See Playground Report
 - ii) Successful pizza lunch
 - b) Principal Report – Trevor Davidson
 - i) Playground Completion. Great job by installation and landscape crew.
 - ii) Christmas Family Night – Dec 12. SCC will volunteer.
 - iii) Sports – Volleyball is finished. Thank you to our coaches for a great season. All four squads played well and enjoyed the seasons.
 - iv) Sensory Room – Repainting and remodel of existing Columbia room. Orders have arrived for equipment/furniture for the room. In operation soon.
 - v) Soup & Sandwich Sale – Grades $\frac{3}{4}$. Pre-order only. Dec 13th.
 - vi) Turkey Dinner for students – Dec 20
 - vii) After school Christmas movie – Dec 17
 - viii) Downhill ski day at Wapiti – Feb 7. Grades 3-12.
 - c) Treasurer's Report - Tiffany Ealey
 - i) Grant Account: \$2066.68
 - ii) SCC Lunch Account: \$400.62
 - iii) Playground Account: \$15,013.73

(1) Note: NESD paid for GST/PST. This is the reason for the large sum remaining.
- 4) SRC Report – Amanda Moeser
 - a) We recently had 8 SRC members attend a Horizons Leadership Conference in Nipawin on November 21st. They received messages from Cody Deaner (wrestler) and Jeff Gerber (motivational speaker) such as creating a sense of belonging in the school, developing positive relationships with staff and students, and new pep rally ideas and chants. There will be a Saskatchewan Student Leadership Conference back September 23-25, 2026 in Nipawin, so this mini conference brought a lot of excitement for that conference.
 - b) It was nice to have a quiet month in November but we are entering into a crazy month in December with dress up days:

- December 5-- Xmas Socks and Sandals Day
- 6-- Xmas PJ Day
- 9-- Xmas Classroom Decorating Competition begins!
- 10-- Xmas Bingo
- 11-- Christmas Card decorating
- 12-- Green & Red Dress Up Day & Candy Cane Sale at lunch
- 13-- Candy Cane Sale
- 16-- Reading Buddies & Cinnamon Bun & Hot Chocolate
- 17-- After School Xmas Movie
- 18-- SRC Outdoor Activity
- 19-- Anything Xmas Dress Up Day
- 20-- Classroom Judging Contest & Ugly Sweater Day; Turkey Dinner
- c) Our fundraisers will be the fruit sale fundraiser in February and Lake Country Coop gift card sale in May again.
- 5) Old Business
 - a) Playground
 - i) Playground installation was completed November 8th. Grand Opening to be planned and discussed for Spring 2025.
 - ii) With remainder of money left in the playground account. Kacy-Jae spoke with Spectrum Signs in Nipawin & received quote. Other monies will go towards Grand Opening/Thank You and Buddy Benches. Other upgrades to be discussed if there are remaining funds.
 - b) SCC T-Shirts to easily identify members in - tabled until after election in January
 - c) AGM Date/Elections: January 16, 5:30pm. Positions up to election: Chair, Co-Chair, Secretary, Treasurer.
- 6) New Business
 - a) Literacy Week: January 26 – February 2. Family Literacy Day: January 27. Theme: Learn to be Green, Together.
 - i) Will send out Literacy Packages again this year. Will put them together after the lunch on January 23rd
 - b) Dec 20 – Christmas Dinner. Request for volunteers. SCC will volunteer.
 - c) OurSchool Survey: Handouts were provided and discussed at meeting.
- 7) SCC Lunch: Taco in a Bag. January 23rd
- 8) Adjourn Meeting, meeting adjourned.