

Carbon School Council Agenda

April 19, 2023

1. **Call to Order: meeting called to order at 6:32 PM**
2. **Agenda:**
 - 2.1. Additions to Agenda- no additions
 - 2.2. Approval of Agenda- Kim N approves agenda as read; Kealey G seconds; motion carried
3. **Review of Previous Minutes:**
 - 3.1. Approve Minutes from February 15, 2023 - Kim N approves minutes; Mary L seconds; all in favour
4. **Correspondence:**
 - 4.1. Conversation with Mary Proctor & Bevan Daverne, re: Carbon no longer sharing Tri-Campus Principal- assurance that we will be included in the Tri-Campus. Ryan Hatch will be more available to make decisions that immediately impact the school, as he takes on the Principalship for 2023/24 school year, and this will not disrupt the teaching that he will be undertaking.
5. **Reports:**
 - 5.1. Treasurer- bank account has not been opened as of today's date
 - 5.2. Junior High Representative- no representative available
 - 5.3. Vice-Principal/Teacher Representative: Mr. Hatch/Ms. Van Bavel-
 - 5.3.1. Ms. Van Bavel- looking for new hands-on ways to teach the curriculum. She has come across an opportunity to apply for a grant for a Tower Garden. Ms. Van Bavel has received the system and was in attendance to show the Council the setup and has asked for the School Parents Association to fund a portion of necessary "Grow Lights" to ensure the proper operation of the system.
 - 5.3.2. Principal Report

February & March:

It has been a busy few months with many amazing things happening in our wonderful school:

Feb.17th - Winter Carnival and Jump Rope for Heart - The students had an amazing day working together and participating in activities in and outside of the school. It was a beautiful

day and wonderful to see the Jr. High Students and Elementary Students working together at the different stations.

We also participated in Jump Rope for Heart on the same day. We had stations set up in the GYM where the students could try different types of jump rope. We gave the students prizes donated by Jump Rope for Heart, a great way to end the day.

Feb.28th - Pink Shirt Day. We had quite a few students that participated in this amazing day.

March 9th - Our Jr. High Students, combined with the students from Dr. Elliott, could do one of two fun activities.

- 1) A group of Jr. High Students went to Nikiska for a day of Skiing. Some students came home sore, but they had a wonderful day, and the weather was great.
- 2) There were a second group of students that went to Drumheller and were able to attend a movie at Napier Theater. They had a great day at the theater and then were able to come back to the school and help out some of the Elementary students with an activity until the end of the day.

March 15th - Our students could attend a presentation by Alberta Musical Theater on Jack & The Beanstalk at Dr. Elliott. We were able to transport the students back and forth from our school, and they had a great time watching the presentation.

March 23rd - We had our parent-teacher interviews at the school. It was great to touch base with many of our parents from our school.

March 31st - The grade 7 students from Carbon and Dr. Elliott came to our school for Leadership activities. They worked on building school identity and the impact that they will have on the world.

April 6th - 20th - Bacon Fundraiser. We have been very lucky to work with the Tri-Campus and offer schools this tasty fundraiser. We have worked with Sunterra for this great event.

April 7th - 16th - Easter Break!

April 16th - 22nd - National Volunteer Appreciation Week. We are very grateful for all our support throughout the year, especially from the PAC this year.

Our teachers have been working hard to create unique opportunities for our students. Ms. Van Bavel will be sharing something very special with you tonight. We are also providing an opportunity for our students to visit the Tyrell Museum at the end of the week.

Tri-Campus students will not have school on Friday, May 12, 2023

UpcomingEvents

April 21st - Tyrell Museum

April 25th - Jr. High Report Cards
April 27th - Decade Dress Up Day
April 28th - Collaboration Day
May 1st - 5th Grade 8 Marketplace (Dr. Elliott)
May 5th - Grade 8 & 9 - Carbon School
May 8th - Bacon Delivery
May 12th - No School
May 13th - ACME Grad
May 15th - Grade 9 ELA Part A
May 17th - Grade 6 ELA Part A
May 17th - Jr. High Track Meet
May 19th No School
May 22nd - No School
May 24th - JR. Division Track Meet
May 24th - Tri-Campus PAC
May 30th - Jr. High Track Meet Zones (Calgary)

5.3.3. Joan Boles- final Tricampus collab days- Grade 7-9 Teachers met and the elementary in the afternoon. Much of this collaboration was centered around New Curriculum and Assessment, differentiation. Hoping to continue this work into next year.

5.4. School Board Trustee- not in attendance

6. Old Business:

6.1.

7. New Business:

7.1. Open Bank Account for Carbon School Council; Kealey G motions to open Bank Account at Connect First Credit Union in Carbon, Kim N seconds, all in favour; carried.

8. Adjournment: meeting adjourned at 7:09 PM

Next Meeting: May 17, 2023 at 6:30pm
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