

Carbon School Council Minutes

April 17, 2024

1. Call to Order: 6:33 PM

2. Agenda:

- 2.1. Additions to Agenda
- 2.2. Approval of Agenda: Kim motions to approve agenda; Tina seconds

3. Review of Previous Minutes:

- 3.1. Approve Minutes from Meeting on March 20, 2024. Tina motions to approve minutes; Tara seconds

4. Correspondence:

- 4.1. Linden PAC discussion questions; we will create a shared Google Doc that we can all add our bits and pieces into the response

5. Reports:

- 5.1. Treasurer: N/A
- 5.2. Junior High Representative: N/A
- 5.3. Vice-Principal/Teacher Representative:

Substitute Teacher For Ms. VanBavel - Feb. 29th - March 29th, 2024

- Ms. VanBavel was away for medical purposes, and we were lucky to have a young teacher step in and help during that time.
- We are grateful to have Ms. VanBavel in her 3/4 grade class.

Spring Break -March 29th - April 7th, 2024

- Everyone had a good break!

Mini Raiders - April 8th - 15th, 2024

- We have completed another year of Mini-Raiders. It was beautiful to see the growth many of these students had in different sports, but more importantly, the older participants' leadership in making the program run.

Bacon and Smokie Fundraiser - April 10th, 2024

- We have been running our Fundraiser for over a week so far, and the reception from the community has been excellent. The Fundraiser will conclude on the 26th of April. Delivery is scheduled for May 13th.

Drama Production - April 11-12th, 2024

- Students participating in Drama at Dr. Elliott participated in Drama Productions last week.
- The grade 9 students collectively presented a play they wrote to a small audience.
- The grade 8 students decided to have AI write their play, and it was interesting to see the different roles created for them.
- It was wonderful to see the work that they put into their course.

National Volunteer Week- April 15th - 18th, 2024

- We have prepared a small thank you to all those who help us and our school community

Coming Up:

April 26th, 2024 - Dress Up Day - Inside Out

April 30th, 2024 - Badminton Divisionals

May 15th, 2024 - Jr. High Track and Field (Away All Day at Dr. Elliott)

May 16th, 2024 - Jr. High from Dr. Elliott coming to Carbon School in the afternoon for Collaboration Day; Will be an "Escape Room" and potential for archery

May 28th, 2024 - Jr. High Zones for Track and Field all day @ Rockyview

Some general school things:

1) ESports - New Esports league for students to participate in from Carbon School

2) Bike Rodeo - Bring Community Assistance to help Ms. VanBavel's class with their project. (Carbon Fire Department, Kneehill County, and RCMP, etc)

3) Swimming Lessons - The village has kindly provided a discount so that we can provide lessons to our students this year.

4) Jr. High Survey going out to families about Dr. Elliott's programming

5) Changing Preschool from Monday/Wednesday to Tuesday/Thursday- we will have to have a discussion with her in regards to the potential change and will have to possibly rework the schedule

5.4. School Board Trustee- N/A

6. Old Business:

- 6.1. \$500 Alberta School Council Engagement Grant - Promotional Materials Update; will continue to have discussions with Meringue promotional company
- 6.2. Parent/Student Carbon/Linden survey update- continues to work on this with the School Division and will require the approval prior to being sent out.
 - need to address a seemingly lack of communication between Dr. Elliot and Carbon Schools; there seems to be a disconnect between the schools
 - huge factor is the transportation and the amount of time spent on a bus
 - Ryan went through the examples of questions which potential will be posed to parents/students/teachers

7. New Business:

7.1.

8. Adjournment: 7:47 PM

Next Meeting Tri-Campus @ Linden: May 13, 2024 at 7:00pm
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