

Calgary Arts Academy School Council Meeting Minutes

December 5, 2023

Attendance

CAA Administration:

Kimberly Hoey, Principal (Knob Hill)

Alyson Moore, Principal (Rosscarrock)

Juleta Severson-Baker, Vice Principal (Erickson Centre)

Parent Council Members

Erin - Chair / Co-President

Haley – Co-Chair / Co-President

Bob – Treasurer

Cathy – Secretary

Blythe – Director of Governance

Nancy – Director: Casino

Carrie – Social Media

Joanna – Fundraising Coordinator

Vacant Position: Vice President

High School Student Council Representative:

Lev

Total Participants: 48

1. Welcome and Call to order.

Meeting called to order Erin Wright at 6:33pm

2. Approval of Agenda

Motion: Erin Wright

Seconded by: Carrie C

3. Approval of November 7, 2023 Council Meeting minutes

Motion: Erin Wright

In favour (in chat)

4. Chairperson's Report – Hayley Nicol & Erin Wright

a) **Jubilee Show**

Was amazing! Art of Community was shown throughout the show.

b) **Jubilee T-shirts Thank you**

Thank you again to all the volunteers who came to label all the t-shirts

c) **CAA High Parent Involvement**

We were lucky to attend the CAA Board Meeting. The biggest take away from that was the high parent involvement. Thank you for supporting the kids and community!

5. **Principal's Report – Kimberly Hoey (Principal)**

Thank you Erin and Hayley for coming to the board meeting.

Thank you to council for providing dinner for Jubilee. Also thank you for the treats and goodies on parent / teacher conferences.

AERR results on website for the 2023 school year.

November was busy with Jubilee prep. Art of Community highlighted. 600 students from K-12. We are all so grateful! Thank you to all the parents for joining the year 2/3's on stage.

Congrats to all!

December:

We have the annual loonie and twoonie drive.

Mitten tree for project warmth – you can donate used mittens as well as new.

K-12 Thrive Days this month! Please sign the AOR that was emailed out. This is a well-being event focus on self awareness and mental health.

Juleta Severson-Baker (EC Principal)

Last month we introduced Lev who is not able to join us this evening.

We saw so much pride in Jubilee. High School students helped out back stage and even cleaned up the kinder room – thank you!

Thrive Days for 10-12 was great! Students came back glowing.

Dec 18/19 field trip to University of the Arts where they will be doing silk screen and laser cutting in high tech studios.

Grad Council created and working on helping and advising on graduation.

Student Council is hosting movie afternoon. Watching Monster High and will sell concession items.

Diploma Part A – Jan 11th. Please watch for emails for exam prep and tutoring.

I hosted the year 9's while the 10-12's were at Thrive. Great opportunity for them to ask lots of questions for next year.

6. Updates and Topics

Volunteer Police Clearance Checks - Volunteering in any capacity at the school you need a police check. Cost is \$20. Take a screenshot that you have applied and then you can start volunteering at the school. Give a copy to the school once you have it.

a) **Market Collective**

You will receive a pass plus a buddy pass to attend and this is a great opportunity to get volunteer hours and work the CAA booth

b) **Staff Appreciation – Thank You – Feedback**

Thank you to all who volunteered for staff appreciation.

We saw less than previous. Feedback?

-Not much notice given

-Hard to drop off items during the day

-Finding the time to make things

c) **Volunteering**

Charter – 10hours per family, per year

Please send an email if you are struggling with getting your hours. We have lots of ideas

d) **Upcoming Classes / Workshops**

Home Alone / Babysitting details to come

Parents: If you have a skill please contact us! (crochet, sewing, singing, dance, etc..)

Parent Survey to come out.

7. Upcoming Events

Growing Smiles Pickup – Dec 6 @ 2:45

8. New Business

New fundraisers are coming! Watch for those announcements

Mulch donations to KH Campus

9. Adjournment

Erin (Co-chair) adjourned the meeting at 7:08pm

The next meeting will be held on January 16, 2024 at 6:30pm on Zoom

Council Zoom Chat:

Michael Hurd attending

Dr. Chad to Everyone 6:32 PM

Chad Yaeck

You to Everyone 6:32 PM

Cathy Schwenning

Siobhan to Everyone 6:32 PM

Siobhan M Snyder

Kerry to Everyone 6:32 PM

Kerry Stewart

Sheri Bailey to Everyone 6:32 PM

Sheri Bailey here

Justin Halwa to Everyone 6:32 PM

Justin Halwa

Denise to Everyone 6:32 PM

Will Kwong and Denise Powley

Carrie Cemka to Everyone 6:32 PM

Carrie Cemka

Morgan to Everyone 6:32 PM

Morgan Luchinski

Danica Marshall to Everyone 6:32 PM

Danica Marshall

nancy to Everyone 6:32 PM

Nancy Koutselas

Rebecca Rowley to Everyone 6:32 PM

Rebecca Rowley

Qamar Rasheed to Everyone 6:32 PM

Qamar Rasheed

Bob McEwan to Everyone 6:32 PM

Bob McEwan

T Wenzel to Everyone 6:32 PM

Tammy Wenzel

Phil to Everyone 6:33 PM

Philip Andrews

Nataliya Feofanova to Everyone 6:33 PM

Natalia Feofanova

Jessica Thorburn (she/her) to Everyone 6:33 PM

Jessica Thorburn

Philip Wah to Everyone 6:33 PM

Philip Wah

Blain's iPhone to Everyone 6:33 PM

Blain Bodwell

TattiSnow to Everyone 6:33 PM

Tatiana Snow

Nicole Hemphill to Everyone 6:33 PM

Nicole Hemphill

J Blair to Everyone 6:33 PM

Jennifer Blair

Javier Palacio to Everyone 6:34 PM

Javier Palacio

T Wenzel to Everyone 6:34 PM

My camera is on but always takes awhile to work for some reason. I'm not techy so I have no idea why it takes awhile.

jason.a to Everyone 6:34 PM

Jason Avramenko

Morgan to Everyone 6:34 PM

Yes

Carrie Cemka to Everyone 6:34 PM

in favour

Bob McEwan to Everyone 6:35 PM

in favour

T Wenzel to Everyone 6:35 PM

in favour

Siobhan to Everyone 6:35 PM

In favour

Kerry to Everyone 6:35 PM

In favour

Sheri Bailey to Everyone 6:35 PM

in favour

Denise to Everyone 6:35 PM

In favour of

Phil to Everyone 6:35 PM

Favour

Nicole Hemphill to Everyone 6:35 PM



You to Everyone 6:35 PM

in favour

jason.a to Everyone 6:35 PM

Favour

Shekhar Arya to Everyone 6:35 PM

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Danica Marshall to Everyone 6:35 PM

Yes

Philip Wah to Everyone 6:35 PM

in favour

TattiSnow to Everyone 6:35 PM

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Javier Palacio to Everyone 6:35 PM

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Danica Marshall to Everyone 6:35 PM

Yes

J Blair to Everyone 6:35 PM

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Philip Wah to Everyone 6:35 PM

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Bob McEwan to Everyone 6:35 PM

in favour

Qamar Rasheed to Everyone 6:35 PM

In favor

Justin Halwa to Everyone 6:35 PM

in favor

You to Everyone 6:35 PM

in favour

Morgan to Everyone 6:35 PM

in favour

Carrie Cemka to Everyone 6:36 PM

Amazing work to students and staff! Miss Maye caught me tearing up haha

Bob McEwan to Everyone 6:36 PM

Yup was great!!

Siobhan to Everyone 6:36 PM

Awesome yes...

Philip Wah to Everyone 6:36 PM

That was our first, it was great

Danica Marshall to Everyone 6:36 PM

I was so amazed!

Juleta Severson-Baker to Everyone 6:37 PM

T-shirt labeling was SO SO helpful! Thank you!

Siobhan to Everyone 6:37 PM

welcome!!!

Jessica Maye to Everyone 6:42 PM

My favourite thing!! <3

Carrie Cemka to Everyone 6:42 PM

Miss Amanda is persuasive.

Jessica Maye to Everyone 6:46 PM

We always love their help!

You to Everyone 6:51 PM

Market Collective Sign Up Genius

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C094CA4A62FABFCC52-46318847-market#/>

Hayley (Adyson, Rylee, Everly's mom) to Everyone 6:52 PM

<https://marketcollective.ca/>

Tawna moura to Everyone 6:53 PM

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Bob McEwan to Everyone 6:53 PM

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T Wenzel to Everyone 6:53 PM

for me it's hard to drop stuff off during school hours. That's usually my setback.

nancy to Everyone 6:54 PM

for me a little bit more time might have helped

jason.a to Everyone 6:54 PM

I'm also lazy....or busy. One of those. But finding time to make and transport is...difficult....AND....I'm not confident in my cooking...seriously....

Hayley (Adyson, Rylee, Everly's mom) to Everyone 6:55 PM

Please email council if you have any feedback you would like to share or ideas you have moving forward privately. Thanks!

council@caaschool.com

Siobhan to Everyone 6:57 PM

Could Donations to different projects work? Like the gardening group?

Working out hours to donation ===

Javier Palacio to Everyone 6:57 PM

There will be casino volunteer next year. Those are at night

Calgary Arts Academy School Council to Everyone 6:58 PM

Yes Javier there will be a casino in 2024 and that counts to hours

Javier Palacio to Everyone 6:59 PM



TattiSnow to Everyone 7:00 PM

Crochet and any dance class - ballet, lyrical, acro dance, aerial yoga structure permitting

khoey to Everyone 7:00 PM

The 2/3 students are amazing at sewing now and were so mindfully focused on their stuffy creations. I can't wait for them to share them with their families!

Juleta Severson-Baker to Everyone 7:00 PM

I can take that question back to the HS students!

Jessica Maye to Everyone 7:00 PM

I have a lot of students in 2/3 that want to learn to crochet ;)

khoey to Everyone 7:01 PM

Me too!

khoey to Everyone 7:01 PM

(I want to learn)

TattiSnow to Everyone 7:01 PM

Ella - my child also loves crochet and might enjoy teaching the littles 🥰

You to Everyone 7:02 PM

Fill Your Freezer Fundraiser

<https://calgaryartsacademy.myteamfund.ca/>

jason.a to Everyone 7:03 PM

If we have skills, who do we contact?

Carrie Cemka to Everyone 7:03 PM

council@caaschool.com

Jessica Maye to Everyone 7:10 PM

IT WAS THE BEST!!!