

CAA School Council Meeting Minutes

June 1, 2021

Attendance:

CAA Administration:

Michelle Stonehouse (Principal)

Rhonda Morrison (Administrator, Knob Hill Campus)

Executive Member Attendance:

Christy Ford, President

Cara Overholt, Vice President

Stephanie Westlund, Treasurer

Erika Holter, Secretary

Blythe Butler, Director of Governance

Additional School Council members present: 11

Total parent attendance: 18(ish)

Quorum established. (Quorum minimum = 4 School Council members, including at least 2 executive members)

1. Welcome & Call to Order

Christy Ford called the meeting to order at 6:33 p.m.

2. Approval of Agenda

Christy Ford moved to approve the agenda. Stephanie Westlund seconded the motion. Agenda approved.

3. Approval of Minutes from May 4, 2021 School Council Meeting

Christy Ford moved to approve minutes. Tammy McDonald seconded the motion. Minutes approved.

4. Chairperson's Report

Christy Ford expressed heartfelt gratitude to the many volunteers, teachers, and members of the CAA community who made for a wonderful year.

5. Principal's Report

Michelle Stonehouse and Rhonda Morrison echoed thanks to the parents and CAA community for their support during the past year.

Friday is the year nine graduation. It was delayed to accommodate the student's wishes for an in-person event. Family won't be able to attend, but the event will be recorded and shared.

An online store that will sell CAA merchandise will be launched next year.

The book drive that was spearheaded by Year 10 students and Calgary Reads is doing quite well.

A few upcoming dates and events were noted:

- A COVID-friendly sports day will be held on June 18
- There will be a send-off of some kind for Year 4 students
- National Indigenous Peoples Day on June 21st
- A talent show is planned for the last day of school

6. Updates

Growing Smiles

Some of the herbs that weren't in great shape were replaced. For next year, may explore a new supplier, as well as may push the date to after the May long weekend.

Garden

The garden is looking amazing. All volunteers were thanked for their hard work. Additional volunteers are still being sought for watering.

7. New Business

a) Healthy Hunger Coordinator

It is still unclear whether this will be cleared to go ahead next year. If it is a go, a new Healthy Hunger coordinator will be required.

8. Parent Discussion and Questions

Discussion was held on whether a COVID vaccination clinic would be set up at the school, and it is unlikely that Alberta Health Services would designate a school for this purpose.

There was a query about whether yearbooks can still be ordered. Administration will check whether this is possible and advise. It is likely to be a higher cost if so.

9. Adjournment

Christy Ford moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:55 p.m.

The next Council meeting will be held in September.