

## **École Agnes Davidson School Council Meeting**

**Tuesday October 10, 2023 7:00pm**

A l'école Agnes Davidson, les terres sur lesquelles nous vivons, jouons, et apprenons font partie du territoire visé par le traité no 7 et du territoire traditionnel des Niitsitapis (Pieds-Noirs), Nakodas (Stoney), Tssuut'inas et la Nation des Métis (Region 3)

At Agnes Davidson, we live, play, and learn on the traditional territory of the Niitsitapi, Nakoda, Tsuut'ina people (Treaty 7), and the Métis Nation (Region 3).

**1. Welcome and moments of Gratitude** (5 minutes)

**2. Executive Roles to be filled** (3 minutes)

a) Secretary – Terri Miller

b) Vice Chair – Jo Ann Hill

**3. Approval of Agenda** (1 minute) - Approved by Michelle second Danni

**4. Approval of Minutes** from September 12, 2023 (1 minute) - Approved by Megan second Tyler

**5. Reports**

a. Principal's Report (Terra Leggat) (5 minutes)

Assessments are being done

b. Vice Principal Report (Megan Cummings) (5 minutes) Grades 1-3 New Science Curriculum, Grades 4-6 New Math Curriculum

So far so good, things are going well. Division supports school towards the new curriculum.

We are doing an Indigenous piece of learning every morning. We are going to be doing some work in Oct. Language it means. Staff wellness, teacher mean. We have the BBBS house involved in our school using universal strategies and supports looked after the child as a whole. We had Family Centre come into our school as well. Angel Tree -They support families who

are dealing with hardship. Carly Burns is in charge, you can find link on our website. Registration to sign up is open now, and it closes Dec. 8<sup>th</sup>.

25 names for LOTG: Carly is working on these. Also, we are grateful for the families who are making the extra donations.

Lost and Found: We have a table in the hallway with all the lost and found items, If not picked up, items will be donated to My City Care.

Aggie's Brew Label: We have Holiday labels coming in, and they are closing on Oct. 17<sup>th</sup>. For the little ones we are asking for parental consent.

Volleyball: We have Volleyball starting on Oct. 24<sup>th</sup>. We will have 2 teams. Also, we have brand new jerseys for the players and the coaches.

c. Staff Rep Report (5 minutes) Wear Blue, Yellow and Green on Oct. 13<sup>th</sup>. Also we are having a food tasting day. Buckwheat pancakes cooked on one side, cooked with molasses.

Parent Teacher Interviews will be on Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> for our kindergarteners. Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> till 8pm for grade 1-5.

Sensory experiences, bins for grade 3's who are learning fractions can use measuring cups to measure out some oatmeal.

Kindergarten will be doing a Pie fundraiser this year, from the Pie Store. It will rotate each year. Will happen after Christmas, family Day week.

d. District School Council (5 minutes) We are looking for representatives for the committee. Advisory roles, policy advisor and poverty Intervention.

Community engagement- casual scholarships.

Housekeeping.

e. Alberta School Association (ASCA) (5 minutes)

Pay fees. Templates – agendas and minutes. – Resources are there \$100 well spent. Alberta School Engagement Grant – no food/catering.

Housekeeping – class sizes. Social Studies Survey- Alberta Government website.

f. Trustee (5 minutes) Christine Light

Taste of Nations- Grade 3 wonderful turnout.

Learning beyond kids.

School Boundary committee in Nov. Westside parents to engage. Oct. 5.

More interest in speaking in board meetings. Engage with the public.

Request information regarding vaping within the division. Middle Schools and High Schools. Putting a detector in the public washrooms- detects smoke bodies in the rooms, detects aggression.

Touring Medicine Hat- see if the program (early learning interventions) is working. Families choosing daycare or this program.

Fully funded Kindergarten Mon-Thurs.

Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> is the next Board Meeting

**6. Old Business (2 Minutes)**

a. Parent French Classes – Results of the Survey (Tyler)

Oct. 11<sup>th</sup> plan a meeting. Oct. 30 Announce Plans

i. High School Students can receive credit for teaching and for babysitting as well- however, the interest of high school students is low.

**Next Meeting: Tuesday November 14<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm.**