

Nose Creek Elementary

School Parent Council

March 5 2024/ 6:06-6:44 pm/ NCES and VIRTUAL

Attendees

Suzanne-Principal	Nicole Miller
Bre Kaglar- Secretary Council/Fundraising	Fred Burley-RVS Trustee (Virtual)
Janine Mitchell- Fundraising Chair	Jen Minni- Co-Chair Schol Council
Kristin Reid- Treasurer Fundraising	Alyssa Wonnick (Virtual)

Agenda

- 1.Call to order.1800-1805
 - a.Approve last meetings minutes
 - 2.Trustee Update: Fred Burley 1805-1815
 3. Principal Update: Suzanne Martin 1810-1825
 - Chrome book update (indicated last meeting that new ones not needed yet) May need iPads, but will depend on grade structure. If grade 5s in school, may need Chrome books
 - Grade 4 pilot for science curriculum funding for learning day for grade 4
 - New NCES website, ?eta
 - Celebration of Learning March 21
 - AI April 29 PL day
 4. Council Update:Blake 1830-1900
 - Joint School Council, board meeting March 14, Jen only able to attend until 6:30. If anyone else available they can take her place
 - ASCA April 26-27, AGM April 28
 5. New business
 6. Adjournment 1900
 7. Fundraising 1900-2000
 - Prepak meats for bacon.
- **Trustee's Report-Fred Burley(Virtual)**
- All Info From RVSD Board meetings can be found at the following Link:
 - [The Brief: March 7, 2024 | Rocky View School Division](#)
 - New Schools approved by the Alberta Government for Airdrie
 - K-8
 - High School
 - 3 yrs total to have the schools functioning and running, just a band aid still for our growing economy.

- Approval for design funding and construction funding to get started on the schools
- Still working progress on the balance for RVSD schools
- Elementary school aged children can log in and give input as well regarding RVSD balance
- March 17 RVSD online goes down to collect data and give to the trustee board to make a decision
- March 14, joint RVSD meeting (March 7 deadline to register)
 - Indigenous presentation that is really cool to see
- ASCA and AGM Edmonton April 26/27 registration still open

➤ **Principal's Report-** Suzanne Martin

- Fees update
 - Kinder cap parents pay \$50 for the whole year
 - 1-4 cap set for \$100
 - Theses are for field trips for the whole year
 - Will be sent out in the beacon with more details
- Chrome Books
 - iPad expire over the chrome books
 - Possibly needing more chrome books with the possible increase in grades. Still no answer
 - We will know more in April, waiting on the budget that is released end of March
 - GR 4 piolet project for science. Teachers are planning with the new curriculum
 - Teachers getting support from jurisdiction with Subs to spend time to work on the curriculum
- New Website
 - Next few months we were not the first school choice.
 - Different approach. Not as much teacher interaction
- Celebration of Learning
 - Stations that connect with school education plan, Ex my blue print
 - Math games (numeracy)
 - Music room visit
 - Gym games
- Bookfair will run during the celebration of learning

- AI
 - Using AI at NCEM with Math
 - April 29 (PL Day) education centre to educate teachers on the dos/don'ts of using AI with students
- Enrollment
 - Projections (tentative) next year :
 - 2,3,4 grades pretty accurate
 - Kinder 94 registered so far
 - 133 grade 1 projected (approx. 7 classes)
 - Ppl not registering in kinder due to daycare, private kinder, preschool.
 - Always leads to an increase in grade 1
 - Possibly grade 5 addition to the school (pending boundary changes that are being decided by RVSD trustee board)
 - ★ Really wanting to know who is returning so Suzanne can pre plan for the best intentions for the students
 - ★ Needing to know boundaries RVSD and intent to return survey
- Immunizations
 - Grade 1-No info asking Suzanne
 - Looking for info for families that need to be updated
 - Suzanne getting more information from Alberta Health
- Playground expiry
 - Large expense
 - Suzanne emailing grounds for more info
 - Possible “Loan” from the fundraising team to payback if needed (approx. a hundred thousand to replace the playground)
- **Fundraising Committee Update**-No update
- **Council Chair Address**-No update
- **New Business**-No update

★ **Answers to some of the points above from Suzanne March 6th 2024**

- ★ **School Playground**
 - School playgrounds have a 25-year lifespan. According to the Director of Grounds, ours was installed in 2009; as such, we will be due for replacement by 2034.
- ★ **Immunizations**

- I've included information regarding immunizations in the Beacon that comes out on March 11th. [A sneak peek is available on our school website here](#) if you want to look at it.
- **Next Meeting April 9th 2024 6:00pm Design Commons**