

École Campbelltown School Council Minutes

April 17, 2024, 6:30 pm – 7:15 pm

École Campbelltown School

In attendance: Taylor Cullum, Melissa Manolescu, Andrea Brown, Kelly Eves, Shaheen Alarakhia, Rachel Bruce, ccc, Letitia Dempster, Kelly Bertoncini, Rosie Chew, Don Irwin

Regrets: Greg Probert

1. Call to Order 6:32 pm

a. Welcome

b. Introductions: Executive, Administration, Staff, and Parents

c. Quorum, Minutes, and Agenda - quorum achieved, Minutes and Agenda accepted as presented

2. Reports

a. Trustee

- See attached

b. Principal

- Variety of field trips to come and volunteers are appreciated
- Earth week next week - initiatives include waste-free lunches, donating used shoes and school yard clean-up
- Volunteer luncheon for all those who have volunteered at the school this year to attend - thank you from the school for volunteering! Please RSVP as it helps to plan the quantity of food; invitations were sent out from teachers. Please contact the office if you did not receive an invite and would like to attend.
- FNMI - self-identified students partook in a smudging activity, a blanket exercise planned for grade 6
- Happiness wall in the grade 5 hallway for for all students to participate in by writing down events/moments/etc. that make them happy on papers from the office, which will then be posted on the bulletin board
- Track and field - district-wide event is for Grades 4-6, and teams have already been selected; likewise, badminton - Grades 5-6 - teams have already been selected for district tournament

c. Committee of School Councils (COSC): next meeting May 1 at 6:30 pm

- Last meeting on April 3rd, good conversation provincial government preservation of choice - EIPS wants a safe and welcoming environment for all students regardless of race, gender, etc. (refer to policy)
- ASCA resolutions were moved to a separate meeting due to time constraints of the meeting
- Brief discussion on composting and organic collection in schools

d. Parent Liaison Association (PLA)

- Nothing to report

3. New Business

a. Alberta School Councils' Association (ASCA) 2024 Advocacy Resolutions – discussion and vote

- Results: these were discussed with keywords identified that amendments may help to strengthen or clarify; it is assumed that most resolutions will be subject to changes at the AGM and that our representative will make the best choices on our behalf based on our discussion at this meeting.
- Our vote was taken based on the exact wording presented in each recommendation to provide direction should the wording not be changed at the AGM:
 - P24-01 - No
 - P24-02 - Yes
 - P24-03 - No
 - P24-04 - 1) Yes 2) Yes
 - P24-05 - Abstain
 - P24-06 - Yes
 - P24-07 - Yes
- A motion was made to delegate Andrea Brown to represent Ecole Campbelltown School Council and vote on our behalf, as per the discussion at this meeting (April 17). Made by Rachel, seconded by Sheena, the motion passes.

5. Meeting Dates (6:30 pm)

a. May 15, 2024

B. June – TBD (AGM only)

6. Adjourn - 8:27 pm