

Haysboro School Council Meeting Notes

Date: 2025-09-18 @ 6:30 pm

Meeting

- Hybrid in person and online via MS Teams
- Attendees: Andrea W, Erin B, Julie C, Diana S, Kendra S, Kendra N, Michelle J, Jamie S, Joel B, Allan L, Dana G, Rae L

All interested Haysboro parents & guardians are welcome! Kids are welcome!

1. Call to Order

- a. By Julie at 6:32 PM

2. Land Acknowledgment

3. Approval of minutes from previous meeting

- Nominated by Julie, seconded by Kendra all in favour

4. Staff Updates: Ms. Mahon Gr. 4/5

- Students have been getting used to the routine
- Interested in field trips to Rothney Observatory and Fish Creek

5. Administration's Message: Erin B and Andrea W (30 min)

5.1 School Updates

- Thank you to council for T-shirts, projector, speaker, outdoor classroom almost ready
- Elder Shirley is excited about the rock circle
- Terry Fox was a great success, so happy to see the support from families, kids were very enthusiastic
- Camp is confirmed for 5/6 in the spring, we've asked everyone to have an outdoor adventure for Gr. 1-4 as well
- Ms. Mahon & Ms. Bano are great new additions to our school
- Thank you to the Garden committee for planning tea and current work in the garden
- Trickster is confirmed for first week of Feb. will build an entire production within a week. They book 1-2 years in advance and travel all over AB. They hire professionals and work with each class over the week and Thursday evening will be the full scale production.

6. School Council General Business Items: Council (20 min)

6.1 Events and Initiatives

- First Day of school 2025 – feedback and thoughts for next year?
 - Consider changing location next year
 - Balloons or bubbles
 - Keep food

6.2 Fundraiser Updates

- School Council – has to be previously earmarked fundraiser earnings. Typically for camp or the equal opportunity fund
- Other fundraiser possibilities for the year: Purdy's, Pies, Plants
 - Will revisit ideas in October
 - Any non-specific donations should be directed to Education Matters

6.3 School Council Hosted Events

- Fall Dance: Diana volunteered to lead. Kendra, Julie will support
 - Date: November 6, 6:30-8
 - Require volunteers
 - Booking gym 5-8pm
- Another one possibly in April
 - Art walk?
 - Consider other events (listen for ideas from other schools)

6.4 School Apparel (Online Store)

- Decision to open in October
- Possibly round up the nearest dollar to two to fundraise
- Julie and Kendra will make apparel decisions

6.5 Trickster Video

- Video from a grade 4 performance

7 Discussion

Online chat & in person

Send follow up questions & comments to haysboroschoolcouncil@gmail.com

8 Upcoming Meeting Dates

- October 16th

Dates subject to change

9 Adjournment: 7:22pm by Julie

