

Escuela Glenmeadows School

Agenda - Council/Society

Tuesday, Nov 18, 2025 @ 6 pm

In Person Meeting



Pre-Meeting Introduction and Explanation Council/Society Meeting Process

| Council Agenda Items | Lead | Time |
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| 1. Call the meeting to order and ask for amendments to agenda Called at 6:01 pm | Pete | 1 |
| 2. Approve September 2025 Minutes (sent pre-meeting) Approved by Christina and seconded by Meagan | Pete | 1 |



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| <p>3. Admin and Teacher Rep Reports: Introduction of new Vice Principal – Carmen H</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Teacher Rep Reports<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Dec Hour of Code Will be done in winter and potentially extended depending on interest. Dec 8th – 14th.● Curriculum Updates New alberta social curriculum being implemented for K –6.● School Development Plan Year two of three year plan. Big Goal is bilingual literacy. Last year seeing improved report cards to 35% from 41% (1s and 2s). Increase in diversity and inclusion sentiment from 57 to 67%. Continue to grow on goal setting, writing improvements and Spanish literacy. Using more professional resources and programs. Will be finalized and posted on school website.● PowerSchool Marks Marks are being updated constantly and can be checked by parents● Class Reps and Volunteers Getting organized now● Compound Update – painting and Gagaball. Teachers are going to be teaching the kids the new games to play.● Residencies – Swimming and dance booked, STEM, etc Dance through havanna in feb. Kids will get 3 to 4 lessons each. Clubs are going to start up again soon.● Concerts – Dec 16th● Upcoming Open Houses – January 8th 6pm. Please invite any families you know that have younger kids.● Weekly Sabes Que and Teacher Messages. Ray requested that we ask the parents we know how they feel about the Sabes Que and the weekly teacher emails, do you get value to you as a parent to knowing what your child is doing in class weekly? It was brought up that the best way to view the message is to have it in the body of the e-mail and not an attachment. Christina sent out a poll to the Grade 1, 2, and 4 and most parents are reading and finding value in the weekly Sabes Que and the teachers email. The next most used resource is What's App. No one is using the school CBE website. Google classroom can be very | Ray / Carmen | 20 |
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| <p>overwhelming, so if there is something the teacher wants parents to review with their child, could they please point that out directly. If there is something to be worked on, could the teacher please e-mail about that.</p> <p>Chatted about the fairness of using e-mail vs Whats app for the parent voluteer lead to get volunteers. Countil to put together some kind of “Best practices” for the Parent Volunteer Coordinators</p> | | |
| <p>4. Council Roles / Updates :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● STEM Committee Lead - Kathleen G. <p>Working to catch up after the strike. Have received the list from the teachers for the makers space drive. Going to run that ASAP. Need to have the list posted by Toa before it can work. Will run until Christmas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Volunteer Coordinator – Tao L. - Absent ● Language & Culture Committee – Cindy. - Absent ● Community Liaison – Georgia P. - Absent ● Grade 6 Grad Committee - Kristin P. - Absent ● Key Communicator – Marie Jones. - Absent ● Library & Literacy Committee – Minjee L. - Absent <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Bookfair – Thursday Dec 11th 4 volunteers needed 9:15am – 1pm 1pm-3:50pm | <p>Pete</p> | <p>15</p> |
| <p>5. Important Events and Dates:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Parent Engagement Night – proposed March 5th. Group liked the topic Beth proposed. ● Winter Concert – Dec 16th ● Candy Cane Walk ● Holiday Reading and Ugly Sweater Challenge. Need to start advertising for the Ugly Sweater and the Holiday Reading. | <p>Pete</p> | <p>5</p> |



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| <p>6. Reminders:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are you part of your Grade What's App Chat?? • The all-important POLICE CHECK CLEARANCES! • Check the Volunteer Sign-Up page often as opportunities are posted as they arise - https://signup.com/go/uvCtNgp Ray will look into if Alanis is able to tell people when their police clearances expire. • Observation of traffic rules (and safety!) around the school - parent blitz for 2 weeks (signs, vests, to ensure parking safety at drop off/pick up) <p>Meeting</p> | <p>Pete</p> | <p>5</p> |
| <p>Society Agenda Items</p> | <p>Lead</p> | <p>Time</p> |
| <p>1. Call the meeting to order and approval of agenda Called to order at 6:55pm. Approved by Megan, 2nd Britt</p> | <p>Christina</p> | <p>1</p> |
| <p>2. Approve September 2025 meeting Minutes (Minutes sent pre-meeting). Approved by Britt, 2nd Christina.</p> | <p>Christina</p> | <p>1</p> |
| <p>3. Treasurer report We need to spend 33,000.00 by April. Ray is looking into a second Gaga ball pit. He will get us wish list. Looking into a SeaCan, Society will get a couple quotes and Ray will look into insurance and if it needs a base. Christina motioned to approve up to \$17,000.00 budget for a gaga ball pit to come out of Casino funds. Seconded by Megan. All approved none opposed. Cheryl motioned to approve up to \$7000.00 budget to a Seacan to come out of the Casino funds. Seconded by Britt. None opposed.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • September & October spends. No updates. • BBQ and Apple Fundraising. No updates for BBQ. Apple fundraiser raised \$ 1262. \$77.99 raised for Mabels Labels. | <p>Cheryl</p> | <p>10</p> |
| <p>4. Events Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome back BBQ debrief. <p>BBQ was a hit!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Halloween Dance moved to Valentines Dance – Feb 5th | <p>Melissa</p> | <p>10</p> |

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| <p>530- 730pm. Plans are still in the works.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Festival June 18th – Coordinator needed for day of and a team to plan it out. | | |
| <p>5. Fundraising Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fall – Apples.• Winter – Plants cancelled• Spring Plant fundraiser - Megan• Other? Call to parents? Discussed possibility of just having a cash call to parents or another way for parents to just donate funds directly towards the school. Carmen forwarded a link to Christina and Britt. Cheryl will also ask the bank about this option when she meets with them on Friday. | Natalie | 5 |
| <p>6. Adjournment. Call the meeting to an end at 7:30pm.</p> <p>Next Meeting January 13, 2025 @ 6pm</p> | Christina | 1 |