

Denne School Council – Monday, October 7th 2024

Attending – Jessica S, Katherin C, Krista D, Magali F, Jairan J, Sarah B, Jessee R, Amleek M

Staff – Kim Maybury, Ms. Salter

Agenda Item	Facilitator	Time
Introductions	Kim	5 min
Review and Approval of Minutes	Secretary	5 min
Role of School Council Norms of Engagement	Kim	15 min
Elections of Executive	Kim	10 min
Principal/Teacher/Treasurer Reports	Team	15 min
Outreach	Council Committee	20 min

Minutes:

Roles of School Council

The School Council is an advisory body to the Principal.

•The Council provides advice on the following areas:

Advisory -

-School improvement planning, school-based services and community partnerships, budget priorities, principal profile, local school calendar, use of school facilities, etc.

Outreach -

-Developing a sense of community, communication strategies, workshops/seminars, planning/fundraising for extra-curriculars, etc.

YRDSB new multi-year strategic plan

Building Unity, Achieving Excellence

The student-centred plan focuses on three priorities:

Student Achievement. We promote and support high expectations for all.

Health and Well-Being. We build healthy environments and positive relationships.

Human Rights and Inclusive Education. We learn and grow together, and affirm our diverse identities.

Who is part of school council?

•Councils are comprised of parents, the principal, one teacher, one admin/support staff (if available) , one community rep (if available) and a student (where appropriate).

- Elementary – up to 9 parent voting members

Members are elected annually within the first 45 days of the new school year

What are some responsibilities of council members?

ALL Council Members

- Maintain a school-wide perspective on issues
- Regularly attend school council meetings
- Participate in information and training programs (if available)
- Act as a link between the school council and the community
- Encourage the engagement of all parents
- Participate on sub-committees and assist with tasks of the school council

Council Voted in:

Chair – Magali Fuller

Co-Chair – Jairan Jahani

Treasurer – Sarah Blue

Secretary – Jessica Smythe

Teacher Report –

Cross Country is well underway

Volleyball – Int. Boys and Girls

Unity Community – announcements, slide deck, bulleting board

Recess Drop In – Two Weeks

Snack Shack – Wednesday

Principal's Report

PLC Meetings – During the Instructional Day

100 minutes/Grade Team

“Your Story Matters Here” – Authors night, May

Progress Reports due to the office on October 28, 2024.

Community Outreach

Welcome to Denne P.S. Breakfast

Wednesday October 9, 2024

8:15 am – School Library

To do:

Invitation/Flyer – school office

Organize Menu – school office

Purchase Food

Set Up/Clean Up

Representatives from Council

Treasurer Report – \$9 075.14

New Business –

Request for scientist in the school and a dance workshops – council to contribute funds

Welcome Breakfast on Wed Oct 9th at 8:15am.

Any other school improvement plans the council can contribute?

Request for updated volleyball/basketballs - \$500

Communication –

Tentative Next Meeting – Monday November 4th

Meeting ended at: 8:27pm