

## Lockerby School Council Meeting Minutes

**Present:** Principal Ryan Lafreniere

**Teacher:** Meghan Baggs

**Student:** Ameline

**Parents:** Diana Millett, Carla Delabbio, Angelina Kasunich (virtually), Gilberto Ciulin

**Regrets:** Subramanya Bhagavatula, Debbie Sokoloskie, Erin Holloway

**Date:** January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024

**Location:** Boardroom

**Meeting called to order at 6:05pm**

Item	Description	Discussion/Comments	Action
1	<b>Welcome/Introductions</b>	Angelina Kasunich welcomed all	
2	<b>Start time</b>	6:05 p.m.	
3	<b>Approval of Agenda</b>		<b>Moved: A. Kasunich Seconded: D. Millett</b>
4	<b>Declaration of Conflict of Interest</b>	None to declare	
5	<b>Approval of Minutes</b>		<b>Moved: D. Millett Seconded: A. Kasunich</b>
6	<b>Principal's Report</b>	<p>i. School Improvement Plan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Most recent attention to student success/achievement</li> <li>- Teachers to participate in thinking classrooms</li> <li>- Peter Liljedahl inspiration for vertical classrooms</li> <li>- Waiting on OSSLT Literacy scores for Grade 10</li> <li>- EQAO Grade 9 math next week</li> <li>- Composting bins being set up this week</li> <li>- Truth/Reconciliation: 5 Indigenous courses offered currently               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- 10% of currently enrolled self-identify</li> <li>- new posters coming with 3 official languages (English/French/Ojibway)</li> <li>- wishing to promote multiculturalism</li> </ul> </li> <li>- 20+ teachers currently signed up for Mental Health First Aid</li> </ul> <p>ii. Programming - STEP</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Incoming Grade 9 change to STEP 2.0</li> <li>- Some transitions for Grade 11/12</li> <li>- Integration Day to be set; will be special skill building days (1 day/week)</li> <li>- 2 direct instruction periods each week</li> <li>- Grand unveiling coming at the Open House on Jan 18<sup>th</sup></li> <li>- Feeder schools and Grade 8 teachers have been reached out to</li> <li>- Grade 11/12 to roll out in 2026 to select STEP specializations</li> <li>- Discussions had with Executive Council re: investing in updating school and technology               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Some classrooms will be renovated this year</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Cafeteria, library and auditorium renovations to come in future years</li> </ul> <p>iii. Open House</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Thursday January 18<sup>th</sup> @ 7pm</li> <li>- Parent Council will be located in the library (set-up at 6:30pm)</li> <li>- Parent Council may try to collect names of future council members interested</li> <li>- 7-7:20pm Auditorium welcome</li> <li>- 8pm Q&amp;A about STEP 2.0</li> </ul> <p>iv. Upcoming Events</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Open House</li> <li>- EQAO math</li> <li>- Grade 8 registrations</li> <li>- Schism night (Grade 10's)</li> <li>- PATHWAYS night (applied vs. academic pathways) Feb 7<sup>th</sup> for Grade 9 parents</li> </ul>	
7	<b>Chair's Report</b>	<p>I. PROGrant (Parent's reaching out grants)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- to provide events to increase parent involvement</li> <li>- ie: Numeracy nights bring families together</li> <li>- we were given approval for \$1000 grant; same grant as last year so will need to change application next year</li> <li>- possible Lion's club partnership? (Angelina)</li> <li>-</li> </ul> <p>ii. School Council Bylaws</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- no change currently</li> </ul> <p>iii. Other Items</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Career Fair put on hold; very little interest</li> <li>- For Open House: set priority for recruiting more parent involvement; volunteers</li> <li>- Set up an IDEA box for Student Council?</li> <li>- Special Events committee needs members</li> </ul>	
8	<b>Student Council</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Senior dance 100 participants</li> <li>- 12 days of holidays was a success</li> <li>- Open House coming up</li> <li>- Exams coming up</li> <li>- Bell Let's Talk Day 'Do-nut Stress' with coffee/hot chocolate</li> <li>- Next student council meeting January 16<sup>th</sup>; planning for second semester</li> </ul>	
9	<b>PIC report</b>	January 30 <sup>th</sup> "Social Media and Cyber Security"	
10	<b>Parent Involvement Fund</b>	-\$3200 currently on hand; give consideration to ideas for fundraising (ie: bingo/wing crawl night?)	
11	<b>Meeting Schedule</b>	February 21 <sup>st</sup> @ 6pm	
12	<b>Meeting Adjournment</b>	Adjourned at 7:33pm	<b>Moved: Angelina Seconded: Diana</b>

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