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School Council

May 22 2025

7:00-8:00PM

Learning Commons

Minutes

1. Call to Order 7:10PM
2. Opening Prayer: Josine Vandenberg
3. Introductions: 22 in attendance
4. School Vision, Mission and Review Council Purpose: Debra
5. Approval of Agenda: Jocelyn
6. Approval of Minutes: Abby
7. Committee Reports
 - a. Rocky View School Board Trustee Report: Fiona Gilbert, Trustee (10 mins):
 - board meeting today (budget day) the budget was passed as it was presented; 29,511 students next year in Rocky View. From a high level budget from Rocky View schools about 80% of the dollars are spent on people (teachers/support staff), 20% operational. All dollars received for instruction are used for instruction.



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- Modularity. 27 were requested, 5 were approved. These 5 are going to Airdrie. CCA is still receiving the 2 that were approved last year. They should be completed by September 30, there was some slow down with permits.
- Board met with the new minister of infrastructure via zoom for 25 minutes, and had time to tell him a little bit about who Rocky View is.
- Transportation fees have gone up \$70 per bused student, fees will most likely continue to go up, there has not been a fee raise in 4-5 years, due to deficit
- June 30 is the cut off for early bird discount for busing

b. Administration Report: Josine Vandenberg

- Budget projected for 410 students; 2.8 million (95.4% towards staffing) (3.9% supplies (paper, light bulbs, etc.) (.7% carry over/rainy day fund)
- Portable, permitting slowed things down a bit, projected for September 30, these portables are being used right now, the move can only start sometime in July
- Tech: 30 ipads will need to be replaced for grades k, 1, 2 at a cost of \$38,000 (reason for replacement; software updates stop coming, security becomes a risk, apps & tools stop working, slower performance over time, tech standards keep evolving)
- Tech Evergreening (more will be explained on this at June's meeting)
- This year: Mr Kurtz will be in grade 3 for the remainder of the year
- Mr Burwash is no longer with Rocky View Schools; he has taken a permanent position in Canmore
- Mrs Vriend will be teaching grade 1 next year 25/26



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- Mrs Miller will be teaching grade 4 next year 25/26
- Mrs Madore will share with Mrs Simpson in grade 3 next year 25/56
- Mrs Steinke will be in grade for while also taking on the role of learning support next year 25/26
- Mrs O'Neal will be full time next year 25/56
- Two positions are open as of right now at CCA
- There will be about 11 shifts in staffing next year
- We are using a data driven approach to create classes, we will not be asking for friend requests, your teacher knows your kid and knows who they work well with
- In August you will get an email from your child's teacher
- two classes of each from kindergarten to grade 4, then there will be one grade 5 class, one grade 6 class, one grade 7 class and 3 grade 8 classes
- Grade 8 Mr. Jackson
- Grade 8 Mrs. Kubik
- Grade 7 Mrs. Debow
- Grade 6 Mrs. Coverdale
- Grade 6 (unknown at this time)
- Grade 5 Ms. Green
- Grade 4 Mrs. Steinke
- Grade 4 Mrs. Miller
- Grade 3 (unknown at this time)
- Grade 3 Mrs. Madore/Mrs. Simpson
- Grade 2 Mrs. Walz
- Grade 2 Mrs. Dimnik
- Grade 1 Mrs. Vriend

At CCA we are a community of learners journeying together to discover our full potential as expressions of God's Love



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- Grade 1 (unknown at this time)
- Kindergarten Ms. Meszaros
- Talent Show is on June 6, we can not accommodate parents, there will be a dress rehearsal on June 6 at lunch if parents would like to come
- CCA Reads - Wednesday Pizza with the Principal in the park (about 80 kids)
- Family Life 1st week of June. Friday's email will include what they will be going over and resources. If you do not want your child to participate in Family Life email your teacher and cc Mrs Watts.
- Parent survey, email was sent out and it is open until June 6
- Awards June 18; grade 1-2 8:30-9:15, grade 3-4 9:30-10:15, grade 5-8 12:40-1:30
- Voices of Praise performing June 18 12:10-12:30
- Grade 8 Farewell June 19 6:30-8:30
- Sports Day is on June 24
- June 25 last day of classes

d. Chair Council Report (Debra)

- Fun Lunches are going well, we raise between \$200-\$300 each fun lunch
- Next fun lunch is pizza on June 6th
- Subway fun lunch one June 13th
- Popcorn treat day last week of June

8. Adjournment: 8:19pm - **Next meeting- June 12 @ 6:30PM**