

**Steffie Woima School Council
MEETING MINUTES
Steffie Woima School Staff room
May 22, 2025 @ 6:30 pm**

Members must be present to vote. Proxies are not permitted.

***indicates items for which a written document/report will be attached/provided**

1.0 Open and Introduce Land Acknowledgement.

2.0 Call to Order 2

Meeting called to order by Megan at 6:33pm

Introduction of Guests and Executive Members

Members in attendance: Angela Eadie-Gyori, Dawn Normoyle, Trish Hammond, Margaret Bjornson, Megan Weiskopf, Kate Martin, Chelsea Sarginson

3.0 Review of Agenda (motion to accept)

Motion: To accept the agenda as is by Margaret, second by Kate

Vote: All in favor

Resolve: Agenda accepted

4.0 Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting (motion to accept)

Motion: To accept the Minutes with the correction of spelling of “hears to hearts” in 5.1 by Margaret, second by Kate

Vote: All in favor

Resolve: Agenda accepted with correction

5.0 Reports

5.1 Financial

No changes

5.1.1 Financial Statements (motion to accept)

Motion: to accept the financial statements by Kate, second by Margaret

Vote: All in favor

Resolve: Financial statement accepted

5.1.2 Current account balance: \$234.85

5.2 Committees

5.2.1 Fundraising Committee

● **Kate Martin-** No fundraising happening. Will update other info in Fundraising meeting.

5.2.2 Hot Lunch Program

● **School Adviser-** All still going well

5.2.3 Breakfast Club

● **Trish Hammond-** Still doing well. Have some grant money we need to still use up so looking into items such as cinnamon buns or pancake breakfast. Kids have been enjoying the special items (did oranges today). Breakfast program can also provide the fruit for the Marathon as that will be the special items for that week.

5.2.4 Marathon Committee

- have not been able to meet as much as we like. Next meeting will be on Tuesday May 27th at 6:30pm online.
- Breakfast club will provide the snack for the day
- Donations so far:
 - Drop it dance studio has donated a basket that has a 10-punch pass, boom box inflatable, hat, glowsticks and licorice
 - Trish & Richard Hammond (WFG) donating the bike again
 - Pauline Valley is unsure at this time if she will sponsor again. She liked the shirts (since it also had sponsors logo on it). She is curious to the size of the cookbook for printing and for the size/placement of the sponsor logos.
 - Kate said she will follow up with some of the last sponsors again and see if they will be again.
 - Megan will check with her work as well

6.0 Standing Business

6.1 Principal's Report: Mrs. Eadie Gyori & Mrs. Normoyle

- The students had Ray Hopkins come and do a farm safety presentation in each of the classrooms
- grade 12 classes came back for the HJ Cody gives back. They did lots of fun games and activities in the gym
- Mental health week – lots of activities done around the school including some chalk painting of some great positive messages.
- Tam from YES program will not be with us next year as she is having a baby
- 2737.6 hours read at the read-a-thon and it raised over \$4000.
- Playground update
 - having lots of rain and mud but construction is progressing with delays.
 - Play and Park & Chinooks edge have been amazing and going smooth.
 - Fencing can not come down until the final inspection has been done. --Fencing was not donated so we will need to pay for it.
- HLAT- exams and marking done
- Leduc Band was in today to perform with their choir and band
- Our choir went and performed with the Red Deer Symphony and did a great job
- Next year:
 - budget- just in final stages
 - Staffing- not yet finalized
 - Transfers happen first!

- 2 transfers in (Music & FI)
- One transfer out (Mme Jess)
- we are not hiring any teachers for next year.
- we are currently over staffed by one teacher but we have a teacher on maternity leave
- Currently working on contracts and final decisions
- Sports day – 2 circuits (K-3, 4-6)
- Swimming - lots of swimming coming up
- ELA part A PAT exam May 28
- Grade 6 Fox Run tours May 28
- HJ Cody grad walk May 29
- Indigenous Culture Camp – May 30
- Marathon and Sports day June 6
- Field trips
- We will be doing a fundraiser on the Wednesdays in June for the Sendero Center (sexual assault center)

7.0 New Business 15 mins

- Tim from Fit Set Ninja has reached out but it is too late in the year to book something so we can look into something next year
- Parents matters – (Kate updated)
 - new superintendent hired
 - some questions were brought up at the meeting such as strategies for coping with issues.
 - presentation on AI
 - they shared their ideas on success at schools (ex. HJ Cody gives back)
- Symposium – Both Trish and Megan were on the meetings. There were 4 breakout rooms in each morning and afternoon sessions but you could only pick one each time. Went into ones about councils, had some good information.
- Big Moo – teachers are wondering what is happening with this. Council has decided to not spend the money on this as it is expensive and funds are lower due to the Playground stuff. Will look into the cost of items such as DQ Dilly bars, ice cream treats from store or ice cream pails for ice cream cones from the Real Canadian Wholesale. Treats will be handed out the last week of school

7.1 Marathon Update and Info

- Marathon is happening on June 6th with changes to how it is done and where it is done.
- Need to look at sending out a link/template and message about the cook book to get recipes for it.
- Breakfast program to provide the fruit snack at it
- Need to see if we need helpers from the schools or parents at it (Angela looking into)

8.0 Next Meeting of the Steffie Woima School council is Sept 23 , 2025 @ 6:00pm

Adjourn: meeting adjourned by Megan at 7:46pm

Action Items:

- 1) Chairperson: Month check in with Mrs. Eadie Gyori**
- 2) Chairperson: Update Nicky for the school newsletter.**
- 3) Vice-Chairperson -**
- 4) Secretary: Provide summary (or draft minutes) of meeting to Chairperson within one week.**

****Meeting Minutes pending approval at next council meeting****