

GENERAL STEWART SCHOOL COUNCIL AGENDA

Monday, November 20th, 2023 7:00pm

Annual General Meeting

(MINUTES)

Attendees

Nadine Bosma, Chris Harris, Britni Mazur, Kenten Grunau, Andrea Eng,
Heather Keith, Rachel Hague, Jessica Robinson, Robbie Charlebois

1. Welcome!
2. Adoption of Agenda (Heather Keith)
3. Treasurer's Report - Rachel (School council account balance is \$3693.25. School account balance remains the same at \$720.06)
4. Hot Lunch Report – Jessica (All are booked for the rest of the year, except for m&m, because we don't have a date for sports day yet. Made \$170 from Boston pizza hot lunch on November 8th)
5. Adoption of Oct.16th, 2023 Minutes (Rachel Hague)
6. Business Arising from Oct. 16th, 2023 Minutes
 - a. Halloween Carnival Feedback (All positive, Chris states they are open to do the haunted house again, just wasn't done this year)
 - b. Digital Wellness Feedback (Jessica went, small attendance for both school divisions)
 - c. Enrichment Day (Sports very popular, this time was split to be just grades 1-3, grades 4-5 will get to do sports next enrichment day)
 - d. Picture Day and Retakes (They are no longer providing a complimentary class photo, only if that photo package is purchased)
 - e. Remembrance Day Assembly Feedback (Some missing the email regarding child involvement and attire)

f. Parent Teacher Interviews Feedback (Most being done in person which is encouraged, but still offering options for teams and phone interviews)

7. School Report – Chris Harris

a. Reporting Period 1 Nov.24 – available on-line at 8:00 am (Candice will send an email reminder to parents, to access via PowerSchool)

b. Holiday Celebration Concert – Celebrate Around the World – class and school songs (December 13th 6:30pm and possibly 10:45am. Book fair open only after concert)

c. Spirit Week – Dec.18 – 22

Monday – Ugly Sweater Day (Chris suggests a flames jersey)

Tuesday – Red and Green Day

Wednesday – Grinch Day

Thursday – Pajama Day

Friday – Skating Clothes and Skates Day (9am-11am at Henderson. Tim Hortons, 300 Timbits, 2 containers hot chocolate, filling cups only half full. Table closer to the ice)

d. Book Fair from December 11th – 15th. We won't have it open before the Concert on the 13th.

Alley Construction update – They have just completed and are moving out.

e. School Results Report will be up by November 30th (Will be posted to the website)

g. LCI Drama Performance Field Trip – Bus to go see Peter Pan (December 7th)

h. Volleyball finishes up this Friday – Thank you to Mr. Ward! (Basketball starting after the winter break)

8. District School Council Report – Next Meeting – Dec.4th (Minutes on the division website)

9. Correspondence

10. New Business

a. Skating Party – Tim Bits/Hot Chocolate 9-11am

b. Setting up Christmas Tree (December 4th at 8:30am, Rachel and Heather volunteered)

c. Fund raising Ideas (Panago on Monday/Tuesday around international pizza day. Sugar cookies for valentines. Bootsma donuts)

11. Adjournment

Next Meeting – Monday, January 15th, 2024, 7pm

Building Bridges to a Higher Level of Student Success

Important Dates

Nov.24 – Dress Up Day - Animal Day Grade 1 Theme

Nov.24 – Report Cards available Online

Nov.28 – Galt Museum Field Trip Grades K & 2

Dec.6 – Taco Time Hot Lunch

Dec.7 LCI Drama Field Trip Peter Pan

Dec.8 -15 – Scholastic Book Fair (December 8th possibly just for setup)

Dec.13 – Holiday Celebration 6:30 pm

Dec.22 – Skating Party Henderson Arena 9-11am

Winter Break -Dec.23- Jan.7. 2024

School Start – Jan.8, 2024

Jan.10 – Pizza Hut Hot Lunch (To change to January 17th)