

G.S. Lakie School Council AGM Meeting Minutes

September 19, 2024

Attendees: Brad, Aimee, Matt, Tisha, Jolene, Karma, Stephanie, Jackie, Indie, Denise, Janene, Chantelle, Kristina, Cynthia, Michelle

Call to order by Trisha 6:32pm

Brief Description of Council Position and roles by Tisha (Division Council being an opportunity for a parent volunteer to be a voice for the school at meetings (first Monday of each month beginning in October) and report back at the next Council meeting, and Roles of Council and Society Members

Brad called for positions three times

The following have accepted the following roles for 2024/2025

Chair-Tisha

Co-chair- Karma

Secretary-Michelle

Treasurer-Indie

Two Division School Council Reps for Lakie-Kristina and Cynthia

Voting Rep-Tisha, Karma, Michelle, Indie, Mike, Jacquie, Cynthia, Denise

Non-Voting Rep-

Motion to Adjourn- Tisha and seconded by Indie

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Call to Order 6:44pm

Review and Approval of Agenda

Brad went through the following Items from the Administration Report:

Welcome and Introductions

School start up

The multiple forms of communication the school uses

Staffing changes

Increased student enrollment this school year

School push on attendance and the importance of student attendance

Change to use of Personal Devices and Social Media in school

Division wide initiative to respect school staff and parents personal time/mental health- send emails/texts after 7am and before 6pm

Mission/vision process for school for this school year

Received Assurance Survey results two days ago from Spring 2024-will share at the next meeting and will be available to view on the website

Matt went through the following items from the Administration Report:

Fundraising-going very well this year

Extracurricular Sports-Zones for X-country will be October 9, 2024, Volleyball

Canteen running very well with parent volunteers Monday/Wednesday one week and next week Tuesday/Thursday

School Clubs-Lists have been posted and students are encouraged to get involved and try new things

Field Trip Permission Forms-needed to switch to hard copies because of the high cost
Permission Click started charging

Bussing-still waiting for the lists because of the mistakes Southland made in organizing the first list (left all the grade 6's who should have been on a bus off the lists), increase cost for renting busses

Aimee went through the following items from the Administration Report:

Assessment is done based on Curriculum and reporting is down on PowerSchool-report card based every term which gets archived/saved and moves with the student; PowerSchool will no longer be closed before or after new term

ISP's and Benchmarking- there's been a significant increase in students who require English support

LST

PL Focus-helping teachers find balance and focus on growth, reflection and trust

The Division is focusing on assessment

Trustee Report-will be talked about at the next meeting

Treasurer Report-it is balanced and will be talked about at the next meeting

Division School Council- the first meeting will be in October 2024

Staff Appreciation- requesting \$250 for teachers and other staff at the school to be acknowledged three times this school year, if you have ideas and want to help in organizing let Tisha know

Updates-none

New Business-considering a new photo provider

Upcoming Events-October 9th Gater Gab

Next Council Meeting October 17th 7pm

Tisha motioned to end the meeting; Indie seconded the motion