

MINUTES

Your School Council minutes

October 26, 21/6:00pm | *Meeting called to order by* Cherie Lovsund

In Attendance

Cherie Lovsund
Scott Jaspers-Fayer
Sharon Shave - Secretary
Michelle Villadsen
Chantell Strowbridge
Shelby Smigelski – Vice Chair
Colleen Shukalek – Staff Representative

Welcome & Introductions

Cherie Lovsund welcomed all and did introductions.

Review of Agenda and Approval of Minutes

The minutes from September 21, 21 were approved by Michelle Villadsen and 2nd by Scott Jaspers-Fayer.

Principal's Report

Principal Cherie Lovsund presented:

- **Enrollment** is up at Duffield school by 45 students. 10 in the last month. Classrooms needed some adjustments in EA schedule and starting Nov 1st we have hired two new staff. One to replace Mrs. Satermo as she starts maternity leave and another staff member to assist the Gr 4 8 & 9 classes in Literacy and Numeracy.
 - **Reno's** are almost completed. Gr 9's will move to a bigger room and the foods lab is near completion.
 - **Nutrition Nook** has started and lots of children are in need. Lunches are provided or snacks to supplement what a student has brought. Freson Bros donates bread on a weekly basis so we are able to make sandwiches for kids that don't bring anything.
 - **Cohorts** – Mr. Jaspers does the schedule, will rotate locations but keeps Grade cohorts together. Duffield is no longer in an outbreak status due in part to our staff & parent's daily screenings.
 - **Zoo School Field Trip** – Grade 5 attended Zoo School for the week of Oct 18-22. Cherie gave a brief overview of the program.
 - **VB Teams**- are heading into the finals we are excited to be back playing sports at Duffield School
 - **Remembrance Day** – Duffield will be having a virtual ceremony Nov 5
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AGM Executive Elections/Membership

Dpac still has some positions open

Chair – Vacant

Vice Chair – Shelby Smigelski

Secretary – Sharon Shave

Communications Director – Nicole Beutler and 2nd by Michelle Villadsen

Fundraising Liaison – Chantelle Strowbridge

The school will canvass in monthly newsletters for volunteers, as well as the council will advertise on their Facebook Page.

New Business

- **Council Priorities 21/22**

- (i) Cherie reviewed in school covid protocols. Kids are doing well wearing mask and distancing.
- (ii) Grade 9 – Mrs. Shukalek inquired if there will be any financial support for the year end Grade 9 celebrations.

Adjournment & Next Meeting Date

Cherie Lovsund adjourned the meeting and Michelle Villadsen 2nd the motion

Next Meeting: November 30th