

Sturgeon Composite High School
Council Agenda
October 19, 2021@ 6:00pm

In attendance: Sherri Devolder, Trish Murray-Elliot, Taryn Gerlinsky, Stacey Buga, Melanie Henderson, Anita T, Nikki Frank, Becky Lynn, Christina MacDonald

- Meeting called to order 18:03 by Taryn Gerlinsky
- Additions/acceptance of agenda – Helen Lawrence moved to accept agenda as read, Stacey Buga seconded.
- Review and approval of previous meeting's minutes (May 2021 & September 2021) - Approved by Helen Lawrence 2nd by Nikki Frank.
- 2021/2022 Nominations for Council
 - Chair – Taryn Gerlinsky
 - Vice Chair – Helen Lawrence
 - Secretary – Melanie Henderson
- Teri shared that the Grade 12 meeting went well.

Principal Report

- **Green certificate, work experience, Dual credit, RAP - Chantelle Cadieux is overseeing these programs. She is allocated one block of her.** Work exp 19 student 13 wrap students. More student to come next semester. Dual credit brought back next semester.
- We are contact tracing again. It looks a little diff than last year. Dedicated team this year (The Superintendent hired a contact tracing team. One teacher and two admin assistants). We currently have 1 positive case in grade 12. Parents contacted school nothing yet from government; waiting on gov to call to update spreadsheet. Currently Sherri is notified by parent/s. We still need parents to make appointment to enter building.
- We are live streaming the games.
- Cafeteria renos almost done. Waiting for renovations.
- New CISCO program- computer tech program (certified after 2 years) lots of registration; great feedback from students.
- New Childcare program has 24 students each semester. Great feedback from kids and parents. COVID has caused some delays on the practicum side, but otherwise is going well.
- Four new teachers hired – Split core classes to 20-23; including incoming new registrations.
- Math 10-3 class has been created to assist w/ getting grade 12's to get their math component for a diploma

- Table top (Games) club is every Tuesday and their lots of student engagement

Trustee report

Trish Murray Elliot– Jo is absent today due to a conflict in competing priority meetings.

Election update - new trustees-Stacey Buga -Morinville, Cindy Briggs - Bon Accord, Irene Gibbons – Gibbons.

Trish is asking the parents for ongoing support and encouraged parents to continue to reach out for any comments or questions.

Starting next week is orientation and meetings for the new board. They will decide on the new committees next week at this time. New school calendar will be presented to parent council next month.

Christina MacDonald – Touched on the mandatory vaccination for teachers and staff. This will be presented once the new board is selected and underway. Discussions underway and decisions will be forthcoming. Christina asked if parents will be invited to attend, and Trish has taken this under advisement.

Sherri encouraged everyone to attend board meetings.

- Old business

Nothing to cover

- New business

No new business

Next meeting – November 16th @ 1800

Meeting Adjourned at 18:27