

**Mary Bergeron School Council Meeting**  
**Monday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2025**

- 1) Call to Order: 7:33 pm
- 2) In Attendance: Kaitlyn Zslnka, Laura Kulyk, Kaitlyn Spreen, Nina Small, Sarah Williams, Jocelyn Pettitt, Brittany Wiltse, Allison Riopka, Brittany Looyenga, Kevin Leis, Darcy Reynolds, Katie Roy, Dani Cooper, Kristen LeHoux, Katie Rivard, Kesia Vandyk, Tricia Hehn, Krysta Hawboldt.
- 3) Old/New Business:
  - a. Snack Program:
    - Going well – lunch numbers typical for September
    - Applied for a grant from Vermillion Energy & TC Energy
    - Discussed looking into the National School Food Program Funding, Jocelyn will follow up
    - Lots of donations from Cram the Cruiser
    - [BC School Food Toolkit - Building Healthy Inclusive School Food Environments](#)  
Krysta Hawboldt will send to Katie Roy to explore
  - b. Hot Lunch/Club Moo:
    - Training the grade 5's
    - Session is out now for hot lunch until December, first one is September 24<sup>th</sup>
    - Send ideas to Katie Roy for "in house made" ideas
    - Still looking for volunteers if anyone is interested
  - c. Picture Day:
    - 2 Volunteers on deck (Laura Kulyk & Britney Wiltse)
  - d. Halloween Plans:
    - Haunted House in the gym
    - Sensory Room
    - Need volunteers- reach out to Tricia Hehn if interested
  - e. Book Fair:
    - Potentially November 3<sup>rd</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup>, but stay tuned for updates
    - Parent teacher interviews are Nov 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>
  - f. Playground Update:
    - Sarah Williams gave a presentation on where we are at with our CFEP grant application and the two options available with Blue Imp
    - Allison Riopka made a motion to put a \$50,000 deposit down on either playground option with Blue Imp to secure the quote/project as that bolsters our grant application.  
Motioned by: Allison Riopka  
Seconded by: Tricia Hehn  
All were in favor
      - Sarah Williams will propose the options to the teachers on the committee for feedback and bring those details to the next School Council meeting in October to discuss and finalize
- 4) Treasurer's Report:
  - More detailed report available upon request but here is an overview:  
The current balances for the accounts as of Sept 22, 2025 at 4:28pm are:  
Council Chequing Balance: \$3,258.31 BUT \$1706.25 is remaining from a donation from Wide Open Slashing for our Food Program and \$291.15 is left over from the PC Children's Charity Equipment grant to be used for equipment only. So our actual balance is: \$1260.91

- Fundraising Chequing Balance: \$2,843.00  
Fundraising Savings Balance: \$105,976.79
- Vote to approve the new School Council Operating Procedures  
Motion made by: Krysta Hawboldt  
Seconded by: Laura Kulyk  
All were in favor
  - Laura Kulyk gave a highlight of the proposed budget for the 2025-2026 School Year.
    - Allison Riopka made a motion to give the school \$10,000 out of fundraising money raised to go towards school field trips which has been normal procedure for many years.  
Seconded by: Dani Cooper  
All in favor
- 5) Teacher's Report:
- Nothing to report
- 6) Principal's Report:
- No new staff to onboard this year. Have 1 less teacher and 3 less EAs, but that could change after the budget is completed
  - Sitting at 396 for enrollment (more kids than last year, one less classroom), final numbers get submitted September 29<sup>th</sup>
  - Kokums in the classroom (2 elders come into the grade 1 & grade 2 classroom working with them). So far very successful and is a new innovative way to address learning outcomes.
  - Wellness Navigator- Delaney Ueland coming in 2x a week to work with the kids on social emotional learning
  - No update on the potential strike
- 7) Trustee's Report:
- Lots of candidates running for election
  - School visits in November
  - Gave update on September board meeting
- 8) Elections:
- Chair- Tricia Hehn
  - Vice Chair- Katie Roy
  - Treasurer- Laura Kulyk, Kaitlyn Spreen will shadow her for the year
  - Secretary- Krysta Hawboldt
- 9) Next Meeting: October 20 at 7:30 pm
- 10) Meeting Adjourned: 8:48 pm

**Fundraising Meeting Minutes**  
**September 22<sup>nd</sup> , 2025**

- 1) Call to order: 8:49 pm
- 2) In attendance: everyone but Jocelyn  
Chair: Allison  
Vice Chair: Brittay  
Secretary: Krysta  
Directors: Dani Cooper, Kristen Lehoux, Katie Roy, Kesia Vandyk, Kaitlyn Spreen
- 3) Lineup for the year:

- Purdy's (Christmas)- pick up Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>
- Mom's Pantry- pick up Dec 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>  
\*Packages go out before thanksgiving
- Wydnowski's
- Flowers

4) Meeting adjourned: 9:00 pm