

# CJES SCC Meeting

Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2025

6:30 pm – Room #28 @ CJE

## Agenda

1. **Call Meeting to order** – Chair Melissa Scheltgen

a. Time: 6:34pm

2. **Welcome** to members and all in attendance.

3. **Land Acknowledgement:**

a. I would like to begin by acknowledging that we are on treaty land, referred to as Treaty 4 Territory and that the Town of Canora and all the people here are beneficiaries of this treaty. Treaty 4 encompasses the lands of the Cree, Saulteaux (SO-TOE), Dakota, Nakota, Lakota, and on the homeland of the Métis Nation. We respect and honor the Treaties that were made on all territories. We acknowledge the harms and mistakes of the past, and we are committed to move forward in partnership with Indigenous Nations in the spirit of reconciliation and collaboration.

4. **Introductions** – please state your name as well as name and grade of your child.

a. **In Attendance:** Shannon Leson, Melissa Scheltgen, Lena Scheltgen, Lisa Lizotte, Taunya Kondratoff, Shawna Stangel, Lisa Fast, Andrea Goodhe, Jacob Prychak, Coutney Pozniak, Melissa Pozniak, Alliana Herriges, Prairie Crane, Lauren Mentanko

b. **Regrets:**

5. **Review of SCC Meeting Norms**

- a. We will treat each other with respect.
- b. We will use our time wisely by starting on time and ending on time.
- c. We will distribute tasks equally amongst members.
- d. Topics outside of the set agenda will not be discussed.
- e. All SCC team members are considered equals.
- f. We will follow the CJES-SCC Code of Conduct.
- g. We will ask questions when in doubt.
- h. We will complete our assigned tasks by our assigned deadlines.

6. **Review the CJES-SCC Code of Conduct**

As a Member of the School Community Council, I shall:

- a. be guided by the policy, vision, goals and principles of the Division and School program.
- b. endeavor to be familiar with school policies and operating practices and act in accordance with them.
- c. practice the highest standards of honesty, accuracy, integrity and truth.
- d. encourage a positive atmosphere where individual contributions are encouraged and valued.
- e. recognize and respect the personal integrity of each member of the school community.
- f. apply democratic principles.
- g. consider the best interests of all students.
- h. respect and maintain the confidentiality of student information.
- i. limit discussions at school council meetings to matters of concern to the school community.
- j. use the appropriate communication channels when question or concerns arise.
- k. promote high standards of ethical practice within the school community.
- l. accept accountability for the decisions of the Community School Council; and,
- m. declare any conflict of interest.

7. **Approval of today's meeting agenda:**

- a. Motion to approve today's meeting agenda by: **Taunya Kondratoff**
- b. Seconded: **Lisa Lizotte**

Discussion to Amend the November 7<sup>th</sup> Meeting Minutes That Lauren Mentanko was in attendance and to be added to the minutes

Motion to amend the meeting minutes: **Lisa Lizotte**  
Seconded by: **Taunya Kondratoff**

**8. Minutes from last meeting read:**

- a. Motion to adopt the minutes as being read by: **Andrea Godhe**
- b. Seconded: **Melissa Pozniak**

**9. Ward 3 GSSD Board Member's report (Shannon Leson):**

- \*\*\* Discussion of meeting taking place at a different location for more participation
- \*\*\* Discussed the new assessment tools being used

**10. CJES Principal's report (Shawna Stangel): **Read by Ms. Stangel****

- \*\*\*Projection for next years student total is 164 (Have not seen these numbers since 2022/23)
- \*\*\*2 new hired EA's, Justin Brown & Holly Slowski,
- \*\*\*welcomed back Meghan Dixon & thanked Amy Kish for her work with students and staff

**\*\*\*Grade 4 SCC Leadership Team Report**

- \*\*\*Students met 3 different times to make decisions regarding the Christmas festivities.
- \*\*\*Met to decide on which movie to play.
- \*\*\*Planned all the winter holiday festivities which included, door decorating competition, red, white and green shirt day, whacky hair day, sparkle & Jingle Bell Day, holiday sweater and socks day, PJ and Movie afternoon, made visits to all the classrooms, placed votes on which logo to choose for the school.
- \*\*\*have started planning a week full of Pre-February break festivities.

**Continuing with Principal's report (Shawna Stangel)**

- \*\*\*Classroom swing project has raised \$27,368.37
- Have made a CN Community Application for \$25,000.00
- Donation drive will be held in February

**\*\*\*Extra Curricular at CJES**

- NASP
- Indigenous Drumming/Singing Group
- Craft Club
- Beading Club
- Yoga
- Games Club is a potential opportunity for the new year

**\*\*\*Three more family Engagement Days coming**

- Family Literacy Day/Week – January 27<sup>th</sup>-31<sup>st</sup>
- Winter Olympics – March 14<sup>th</sup>
- Play Day – June 20<sup>th</sup>

- \*\*\* CJES has practiced numerous School Safety drills which include Lockdown and Evacuation drills.

- \*\*\* CJES is continuously looking for volunteer, which do need to have a completed CRVS search check.

\*\*\* Family engagement days for the remainder of the school year will be:

-Family Literacy Day/Week – January 27-31<sup>st</sup>

-Winter Olympics Friday, March 14<sup>th</sup>

- Play day – Friday, June 20<sup>th</sup>

\*\*\*Education Week was held on November 24-30<sup>th</sup>/2024 and was a success.

\*\*\*School Fees to date have 75% paid

(39 Students left to be paid)

\*\*\*Potential Future Alternate School Calendar

- Extension in school day – In addition to having 10 -11 more days off a year  
Parents in other communities have shown interest for the reasons being  
(help with Harvest, Seeding, Hunting)
- A year away from the decision

\*\*\*There is a survey available online for two separate calendars to vote for the following school year with small changes to dates.

\*\*\* GSSD is going to announce the Special Advisory Council Initiative, which focuses on families with intensive needs.

\*\*\*Round Dance for Truth and Reconciliation – January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025

\*\*\* Funding requests – Cookie Day/Donut Sale

200 cookies/ roughly \$1/per cookie

Motion for SCC to financially support Valentine's Day cookie sale - Melissa Pozniak

Seconded – Lauren Mentanko

Donut Sale

\*\*\*Motion to purchase donuts by SCC – Taunya Kondratoff

Seconded – Andrea Godhe

#### **11. Treasurer's report (Lauren Mentanko): Totals are as of January 8:**

- a. \$13,724.79 in our CHEQUING account
- b. \$4381.40 in our SAVINGS account
- c. Bills paid:
- d. Upcoming expenses:
- e. Other:

Minutes will need to be amended with correct account amounts

\*\*\*\*\***AMENDMENT**\*\*\*\*\* January 24, 2025

Chequing Account - \$14,268.54

Saving Account - \$4381.40

#### **12. PD – SCC Modules:**

- f. Modules #2 and #3 sent out for pre-learn
- g. Discussion, questions, etc.
- h. Feedback from Executive

#### **13. New Business**

- i. Chicken Tenders lunch
  - i. Update from January Lunch – N/A (has yet to happen)

- ii. Set date for February/March lunch – Monday March 17<sup>th</sup>  
Discussion for supporting CCS Hot Dog Fundraiser – They would deliver to CJES on May 19<sup>th</sup>

Discussion for Spaghetti/Meat ball Lunch – Date to be decided next meeting

- j. Purdy's Chocolates Update
  - i. Christmas sales \$25.22
  - ii. Easter – YES - Taunya will organize
- k. Upcoming Fundraisers Discussion
  - i. 50/50 in past
  - ii. Movie nights
  - iii. Dance
  - iv. Walk/Dance/Skip a thon
- l. Other ideas
  - Little Caesar's
  - Ladies Night (Shawna will check with super intendent for approval) \*Prairie suggested the drumming group to play at the lady's night)
  - Growing Smiles
  - Internal Ice Cream Fundraiser (Hosted by Student Community Council)
- m. February: Staff Appreciation Week Discussion – February 10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup>  
Monday February 10<sup>th</sup> – Morning Coffee/Muffins provided by SCC  
Thursday February 13<sup>th</sup> – Lunch and Supervision provided by SCC  
(4 volunteers needed for supervision)
- n. March: Green Donut/Long John snack for Winter Olympics
  - i. School can order and organize delivery for the morning of
  - ii. 2 or more Parent volunteers at the station for the afternoon to cut and serve
- o. SCC Documentation and Communication – Google Drive [cjes-scc@gmail.com](mailto:cjes-scc@gmail.com)
  - i. Discussion
  - ii. Motion: Taunya Kondratoff
  - iii. Seconded: Lisa Lizotte
  - iv. Action to follow
- p. SCC Meetings
  - i. Discussion
  - ii. Virtual Options for future  
Motion to make availability to community members to join meetings virtually  
– Andrea Godhe  
Seconded – Taunya Kondratoff
- q. Constitution Amendment:
  - i. Sent with agenda for pre-read
  - ii. Discussion
  - iii. Changes/Edits necessary
  - iv. Motion to submit the amended Constitution to the board for approval: Melissa Pozniak
  - v. Seconded: Andrea Godhe  
  
Motion for Shawna Stangel to Submit the amended Constitution to the School Board – Jessica Kwas  
Seconded – Lisa Lizotte
- r. GSSD Feast and Round Dance – Saturday, January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025

- i. All SCC members, community, and families are invited to attend
  - ii. Begins at 4:00pm at Yorkton Regional High School
- s. Other:

**14. Old/Carried business**

- t. Bill payments to school for School Fees Incentive Draw and Harvest Celebration Snack
  - i. Snack was popcorn twists
  - ii. Games
- u. Bill Payments to school for Ice Fishing Treat Bags and Hot Chocolate Station from Winter Wonderland
- v. Other:

**15. Next Meeting Dates:**

- w. **March: Thursday, Mar 6, 2025**
- x. **May: Thursday, May 1, 2025**
- y. **September: Thursday, Sep 25, 2025**

**16. Adjournment:**

- i. Time: **8:03pm**