**Maude Clifford Public School**

9506 Lakeland Drive

**School Council Meeting Minutes**

**February 2,2022**

7:00 pm via Zoom

**Call to Order**- February 2,2022 at **Time-** 7:01

**Parents**: Stacey Anstey, April Grant, Alana Sieben, Vanessa Wolff, Megan, Paula, Courtney

**Staff**: Jason Mestinsek, Jill Peters, Rhonda Schneider

**Board** **Rep**: Rob Martin

**Welcome and Introductions**

**Land Acknowledgement:** I want to acknowledge that we are meeting on Treaty 8 Territory and we honor and acknowledge all of the First Nations Metis and Inuit peoples who have lived, travelled and gathered on these lands for thousands of years.

**Approval of Minutes**

**Date** February 2,2022

**Motion to Approve**: Stacey **Second**: Alana

**Motion Carried**

**Chair Report: Stacey Anstey**

* Trustee-Chair meeting Feb. 3 at 7:00pm via Zoom: topics that will be discussed include ASCA workshops and AGM/conference, COVID update, calendar discussion, draft K-6 curriculum, boundary changes update, and provincial student assessment updates.
* The Alberta government will be holding virtual engagements focusing on the draft K-6 curriculum. There will be up to 44 sessions offered across 5 regions (North, Edmonton, Central, Calgary and South). Parents can sign up for notifications about upcoming sessions and register for sessions at [*alberta.ca/curriculum-have-your-say*](https://na01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.alberta.ca%2Fcurriculum-have-your-say.aspx&data=04%7C01%7C%7Ce6efbbc4f03a49ce3f6e08d9e2798a4f%7C84df9e7fe9f640afb435aaaaaaaaaaaa%7C1%7C0%7C637789834084688018%7CUnknown%7CTWFpbGZsb3d8eyJWIjoiMC4wLjAwMDAiLCJQIjoiV2luMzIiLCJBTiI6Ik1haWwiLCJXVCI6Mn0%3D%7C3000&sdata=XxmUkqqotggfv7nBGX0FFGwzwJSY%2FA612Oc%2Fly5%2BPq4%3D&reserved=0)
* Attended the ASCA workshop on Jan. 27. Next presentation is Feb. 17, 2022 at 7:00pm.

Are there any questions or concerns that you would like me to bring to the Trustee-Chair meeting

**Treasurers Report: Vanessa Wolf**

Account Balance is at $13,431.18

Will attach spreadsheet to minutes

**Board Report: Rob Martin via Email**

**SCHOOL COUNCIL UPDATES – FROM JANUARY 25 BOARD MEETING**

* GPPSD Board’s, and ASBA organization’s, position advocating for a one-year delay to implementation of any of the draft curriculum.
* **COVID-19 UPDATES:** While COVID-19 remains in our schools, effective January 25 extra curricular inter-school athletics and field trips are possible again, subject to staff and student availability.
* **NON-CERTIFICATED CLASSROOM SUPERVISORS:** with the current staffing shortage, we are currently using non-certificated classroom supervisors in our classrooms to help fill the gap with substitute teacher shortages. More information available from our Human Resources department.
* **CALENDAR UPDATE:** Principals will be sharing 2 calendar options and seeking feedback from School Councils at their February meetings. We currently collaborate with our neighboring board when building our calendar, we also have families that teach and have students in our neighbor boards.
* **2022-2023 REGISTRATION DATES:**  The following registration dates are agreed to by all local Boards and will guide the registration process. Please direct people to talk with schools and/or visit our website to access our online registration program and encourage parents to promote their schools and our registration dates with their friends in the community:

**February 1st:** Communication, advertising and virtual open houses can begin

**February 23rd:** SchoolEngage, the online student registration portal, will open for parents to pre-populate Registration Forms

**March 2nd:**    Registration opens at 8:30 a.m. and forms can be submitted

* **GRANDE PRAIRIE COMPOSITE HIGH SCHOOL:** The new Grande Prairie High school is nearing completion, and everyone is very excited to get into the new school. Lots of work will take place between now and next September when students start to attend the new school.

**Principals Report: Jason Mestinsek**

No report this month

**Business**

1. Unfinished business

* Munch-A-Lunch: banking/payment/vendors
* Sensory Pathway: proposal/budget
  + <https://jump2math.ca/product/action-based-learning-math-bundle/?attribute_size=SCHOOL>
  + <https://jump2math.ca/product/sensory-path-going-on-a-bear-walk/?attribute_languages=ENGLISH+ONLY&attribute_install-on=Floor+Indoor>
  + <https://jump2math.ca/product/wild-walk-hallway-path/?attribute_languages=ENGLISH+ONLY&attribute_install-on=Floor+Indoor>

**Motion to Approve $6000.00 for sensory pathways and math mats**: Stacey **Second**: Alana

**Motion Carried**

* $500 Parent Engagement grant: any thoughts/ideas to improve parent engagement

**Table to next meeting**

**New business**

* Formation of a fundraising society to help make accounting easier
* **Table for discussion with board**
* End of year celebration

Grade 6 book legacy, **consult with Courtney**

**Adjournment and Next Meeting**

Meeting adjourned at 8:26 pm

Next meeting set for March 9,2022