



Dr. Freda Miller School Council

AGM - Agenda

June 6th 2024

1. Call Meeting to Order 6:04 pm

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

2. Approval of Minutes- Motion: Turab Second: Amber

3. Approval of Agenda- Motion: Kelsey Second: Turab

4. New Introductions-

5. School Administration Report

Opened to questions

- –currently in the midst of staffing for next year, #'s confirmed at 480 enrollment but could be 526 or more based on projections
- If numbers stay at 526 we would have
 - (3xK classes, 4xgr's 1,2,3,4 and 3xgr5)
 - 4 EA's, increased class sizes in most school, enrollment growth was funded however there was no extra program funding approved by Alberta Ed.
 - All schools are working with a tight budget and increased demands
- Anna (DFMS parent) introduced us to her Fund Alberta Ed (FB group) and her mission to increase funding for our children's education
 - to increase awareness of all the needs that we cannot fulfil in AB without increased funding and assistance from our governing bodies & to provide inclusive education that is funded which would support the learning of each individual child and their needs.
 - Ways to help include writing your MLA and speaking loudly, parents drive funding. Three resources Fund Alberta Ed, Support Our Students & Hold My Hand Alberta for more information.

6. Chair Report

a. Position Elections

- School Council Chair nominated **Janelle** (standing) Co-Chair **Anna** (new)
- School Council Vice Chair **Turab** (standing)
- Secretary **Amber** (new)
- Key communicator/social media coordinator **Saheedat** (standing)

b. Establish back to school event committee

- Any opportunity to have SES fund a catered event? Or purchase give aways for students (breakaway lanyard etc), book food trucks?





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- c. Saheedat to chair a committee to arrange a back to school event – muffin mixer?

- equity for all children so if there is a give away, all students would receive something
- 2 days of staggered entry for kindergarten
- opportunity for members of council and SES to meet & greet parents
- SES will support if funding is needed as per further request for funds
- School Open House, September 19- 6-7 pm, could do something that evening

7. Next meeting Date: Thursday September 19 2024

- DFMSSES AGM to take place October 17 2025 – this is where voting for our School Enrichment Society takes place
- Future Meeting Dates Next School Year 2024-2025
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Sept 19 2024

October 17 2024

November 21 2024

December none

January 23 2025

February 20 2025

March none

April 3 2025

May 1 2025

June 5 2025

8. Adjourn Meeting: 7:00pm

