

Parkside Junior High School Council
Annual General Meeting October 23, 2024

Attendance:

Kandis McInnes- President
Alissa Gertner- Secretary
Dara McKim- Parent

Nina Ruddock- Vice President
Tonya Elgie- Parent
Jonn Baird- Principal

The meeting was called to order at 6:32 p.m. by Kandis McInnes. Alissa Gertner moved to add the trustee report and elections for all executive positions to the agenda. Nina Ruddock seconded the motion and all were in favour.

Kandis made a motion to accept the previous minutes and Nina seconded the motion.

Reports:

President- Kandis McInnes

Kandis welcomed Dara and Tonya to the meeting.

Administration- Jonn Baird

A Truth and Reconciliation Day video by CBC was shown in PSC. The students were able to participate in Indigenous games. A pep rally for football and volleyball was held October 7th. Photo retakes are on October 29th. Remembrance Day will be celebrated at the school November 6th. November 29 marks the day for the annual Christmas tree lighting and market at Parkside. There is a playoff football game tomorrow.

Term 1 will end November 22. Electives will end November 22 also. New electives will include, Art Extension, Teens in Business, Basketball, Foods, Low Order Games, 3-D Printing, Work Experience, Drama and Baking. PSC group projects continue and will include postcards for veterans. Basketball will soon be starting, coaching is in place.

Council will be given the opportunity to voice an opinion on the strategic plan in the new year.

PAT results were above the provincial average for Parkside.

The Parkside School Modernization Project has been announced the approach for proceeding is still being discussed. The phased approach with the students in school would delay the time line and the students would lose access to the gym. Using the Cultural Centre or Ralston School may be an option. Ralston is underutilized but bussing would be needed. Planners are hoping for students to finish the year in Parkside. Contractors will inspect the school, November 29th, the project will be going out to tender. Another option is to decant students, this would increase costs but may be quicker. The superintendent will bring the final plan forward.

Trustee- Pam Cursons

November 26th will be the next Council of School Council Meeting.

Elections:

Alissa nominated Kandis McInnes for president, Kandis let her name stand for nomination, all were in favour of Kandis as president. Kandis was announced as the incumbent president.

Alissa nominated Nina Ruddock for vice president. Nina accepted the nomination and all were in favour of Nina being vice president. Nina was declared the vice president.

Kandis nominated Alissa Gertner to return as secretary, Alissa accepted and all were in favour. Alissa was declared returning secretary.

Kandis nominated Dara KcKim for treasurer, Dara allowed her name to stand and all were in favour, Dara was elected the new treasurer of council.

The date of the next meeting was set for November 20th at 6:30.

Alissa made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Kandis seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:24 p.m..

Friends of Parkside Annual General Meeting
October 23, 2024

Attendance:

Kandis McInnes- President
Alissa Gertner- Secretary
Tonya Elgie- Parent

Nina Ruddock- Vice President
Dara McKim- Parent

Kandis called the meeting to order at 7:25 p.m..

Alissa made a motion to add elections to the agenda. Nina seconded the motion. The motion was carried. Nina made a motion to adopt the previous meeting minutes and Kandis seconded the motion. The motion was carried.

Kandis made a motion for Friends of Parkside to supply a free treat on Halloween. Nina seconded the motion. The motion was carried. Friend of Parkside will discuss a plan for Toonie Treats after Halloween.

Old Business:

The cookbook was submitted to The Cookbook Printer. Alissa will submit school facts and the Junior High Urban Dictionary words for the cookbook fillers. Alissa made a motion to order 300 cookbooks, Nina seconded the motion, the motion was carried.

I.F. Cox would like a proposal letter for funds that they would like to donate to our school. Kandis will look into this.

Elections:

Alissa nominated Kandis for president, Kandis agreed to let her name stand, a vote was taken and all were in favour. Kandis will return as president.

Alissa nominated Nina for vice president. Nina agreed to let her name stand, an election was held and Nina was declared vice president.

Nina nominated Alissa for secretary, Alissa agreed to let her name stand, an election was held, all were in favour. Alissa will return to her position as secretary.

Alissa nominated Dara McKim for treasurer, Dara agreed to let her name stand, an election was held, all were in favour and Dara was declared treasurer.

The next meeting was planned for November 20th.

Nina made a motion to adjourn the meeting and Kandis seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:38 p.m..

