



OP School Council

November 18, 2024

Location: OP Library or via Google Meet

Children Welcome

Land Acknowledgement

As we begin I would like to recognize the land we are on. To the South of the Red Deer River is Treaty Seven and the land that our school resides on, North of the Red Deer River is on Treaty Six. Red Deer is located on ground that was traditionally used by the Blackfoot, Stoney and Cree people. They would come to this area for hunting and trading. The Metis people also traded along the Red Deer River. It is important that we recognize and give thanks for the use of this land.

1. Call to Order 3:46

2. Addition / Adoption of the Agenda - Agenda will be sent out the week prior to the council meeting

3. Approval of Minutes - Approved

4. New Business:

- **Trustee Report and Questions .**
- **Principal's Report** – Ryan Kure [School Council Meeting November 18, 2024 - Google Slides](#)
 - Carla Feldberg, Family School Liaison Counsellor (FSLC) - The gift of giving
 - Jenn, Oriole's nest - Free play, building 21st century skills, child lead, adult supervised
 - Trickster Theater Residency update
 - Theme: Nurturing Belonging / Acts of Kindness
 - Nov 25-29, 2024
 - Parent volunteers well covered
 - 2 actors are French speaking
 - Five Guys fundraiser - \$855 last two months - Last fundraiser Thursday 21, 2024
 - Grant applications in progress - Kinsman Club \$1000, Red Deer Mechanics \$1000, Red Deer Kinettes \$250, Optimist Club \$1000, 5 Guys \$850 so far, AGLC Money- challenging to accept
 - 2023-2024 Results Report - full report posted on the website
 - WITS (Walk away, Ignore, Talk it out, Seek help) starts November 20, 2024
- **Chairs Report** – Sona Macnaughton
 - [Financial Report](#)

- donation of \$750 to Food Drive Holiday Season Hamper
- Alberta School Council Engagement (ASCE) grant - learning opportunities information for next meeting
- Upcoming Fundraisers
 - Hot Lunch November 20th, 2024
 - Purdy's Fundraiser - Pick up December 16th 2024
 - Snowflake Ball update:
 - Budget: \$500 - DJ: \$100
 - Silent Auction
 - Hot chocolate and coffee - Starbucks
- Upcoming Social Events
 - Trickster Nov 25 - 29, 2024
 - Snowflake Ball December 18th

5. Round Table – Questions or comments from attendees, ideas for the upcoming school year, etc.

- Bottle drive - tentatively second week for January 2025
- Discussion to start a society to be able to better handle the fundraising initiatives.

6. Next Meeting(s)

- **Oriole Park School Council** – December 16th, 2024

7. Adjournment - 5:01 pm