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## Yorkton Regional High School

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### YRHS SCC Meeting Minutes April 25, 2017

Main Conference Room @ 7:00pm

**In Attendance:** Lisa Washington, Cheryl Popowich, Mike Haczekwicz, Johnna McBride, Noreen Balabuck, Shelly Westberg, Dennis Nesseth, Susan Onda, Stephanie Newsham, Steve Variyan, Teresa Miller, Sherry Shindle, Jen Ingham

**Regrets:** Matthew Balysky, Ben Koroluk, Wanda Recinos, Haley Koch, Jenny McKay

**Motion:** M/S/C to adopt the April 25, 2017 agenda as circulated

**Motion:** M/S/C to adopt the March 24, 2017 minutes as read

Financial Report presented by Mike Haczekwicz  
Bank Balance as of April 25, 2017 is \$4367.76

YRHS Program Promotion

**Next meeting:** Mid- Year Review of Learning Improvement Plan and Data Mining

Mr. Haczekwicz voiced 'Shout Outs' to the various groups below;

1. Great Pumpkin Award (new tradition in the Land of Orange)
2. Wayne Clarke, Kelsey Kuz, Dave Langley – doing good things in their perspective departments
3. Fe de Jesus, Sherrie Belgarde, Emma Castle – welcomed new staff members
4. More staffing announcements to come

Upcoming Events – listed in Principal's Report

Information / Discussion Items

1. Staffing Updates:
  - a. Preparing for an anticipated FTE cut of 3.0
  - b. Holding certain programs / supports in high regard and are not willing to give up these positions or programs with upcoming cut backs
  - c. Minimum number of students required to offer a class is 18 (unless program dictates otherwise – such as computers, welding stations...)
  - d. Teacher redundancy – GSSD Retirement Incentive

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- e. Scheduling is not an easy process, especially with budget constraints, and this task is not taken lightly by administration, or department heads. Choices are made through a magnifying glass – looked at through all lenses and from all angles. We all have to trust in the process.
  - f. Theodore Court Case – all comments are to be redirected to the director of education.
2. My BluePrint – Dennis Nesseth / Jen Ingham
- a. Tracking students' credits and graduation plans
  - b. This is a new program that is allowing us electronically to track student credits and graduation pathways and set short term goals for each semester.
  - c. There are "surveys" that can be completed regarding interests, abilities, learning styles and knowledge...suggests some career options for students to explore to see if they are interested for post-secondary.
  - d. Link courses to career goals including Post-Secondary links. Pre-requisite checks are part of the plan.
  - e. Reviewed the Preliminary Grad and Post Grad Plan from My Blueprint. Walked through Grades 9 to 12 plan of action
  - f. Explained that this is a Preliminary plan – we are discovering the program and we are working to implement it for all students. Once that is done, we will focus on exploring my BluePrint in more depth.

SCC Approval/Feedback Requested: NIL

Business Arising from the Minutes:

Board Member Report: Steve Variyan

1. Theodore Court Case: an opportunity to find some savings, but this will drag on and we shouldn't expect changes over night.
2. Budget: decisions at the board table are also very difficult and time consuming. It is not just school staff numbers that will be affected, it will affect other areas as well. Some announcements about the budget will be made available to staff on Friday of this week. The Board has some time to review cash saving measures that have been discussed.

Next Meeting: Wednesday, May 31 @ 7pm.

Adjourn: Shelly Westberg 7:00pm

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