



# YORKTON REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

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Yorkton Regional High School  
School Community Council  
Tuesday, April 5, 2022  
Meeting Minutes  
Teaching Theatre

**PRESENT:** Mike Haczkewicz, Johnna McBride, Al Kye, Donna Evans, Anaswara Reghu Puthuparam, Candace Karkut, Shelly Westberg, Erin Nicholas, Stephanie Buckle, Kim Poncelet, Yvette Swrota, Steve Variyan

**REGRETS:** Maggie Hrushka, Stephanie Buckle, Curtis Spelay, Danielle Maystrowich, Kaitlin Kelley, Vinay Junek, Marissa Budz, Greg Litvanyi

**Act of Reconciliation:** Danielle shared Treaty Four Acknowledgement

**MOTION:** M/S/C to adopt the April 5, 2022, agenda as presented.

**MOTION:** M/S/C to adopt the Feb. 15, 2022 minutes as presented.

**Financial Report:** M/S/C to accept the report as presented: \$2700.17, April 5, 2022

**School Promotion:** Band / Choir / Drama – Adelle Sawatsky

- Introduction
  - Kindersley
  - Destined to be a teacher
  - Voice, band, guitar....
  - Double degree, music and education; major in voice
- Courses
  - Concert Choir; 18 Grade 9-12 Students – sing four part harmony
  - FINE ARTS – music and visual art, drama and dance (Ukeleles) “Taking Action” is the theme for this class; gallery walk upcoming
  - Senior Band; 35 Grade 10 – 12 Students
  - Junior Band; 35 Grade 9 students
  - Jazz band – extra curricular 12 Grade 9 – 12 students
- School Year
  - Marching Band, FNL’s, Band retreat to Good Spirit Bible Camp, Retreat to Camp Lutherland, Choir at Remembrance Day Program
  - Larry Pearson, Mark Zaverucha, Jen Ingham – hats off to them for assisting with bringing back the Marching band
  - December – Christmas Carolling, Winter Concert for Student Body, Talent Show
  - SK Choral Fed Clinic and Tenor/Bass Workshops



- Yorkton Music Festival – sang at the Hi Lites Concert
- Upcoming Events
  - Spring Concert
  - Day trips for Choir, JR and SR band
  - Yorkton Band Camp
  - Fall Musical; Beauty and the Beast
  - Band Promotion with our GSSD feeder Elementary Schools

**Next Promotion:** Rainbow Club (Gay Straight Alliance) – inclusion for all, safe space, acceptance, education / awareness

**President’s Report:** Anaswera’s Report in place of Kaitlin

- Badminton – attending tournaments
- Track – started today
- Social Activism – fundraising for our year end trip, “Bunny for your Hunny”
- Hunger Games – food donation / or humanitarian aide for the Ukraine
- SRC Elections – Currently happening. A lot of students running for each of the positions. Nice to see the hype around SRC campaigning, and April 14 is the election, speeches and video.

**Principal’s Report:**

**Highlights:**

1. See Principal’s report for calendar of events – highlighted events:
  - a. End of quad 3, days away....moving into the last quad of the year
  - b. Football Night in SK – April 30
  - c. Spring Band and Choir Concert – May 4
2. Passing of Mick Parmar’s (YRHS Superintendent) wife; Andrea
3. 2022-23 School calendar approved – draft version of specific dates
4. School renovations to start up in the next three weeks
5. In-School Registration for next year, and Our School Survey Sessions just wrapping up
  - a. This will begin our scheduling process for the next school year
  - b. Learning leaders will have their numbers before they leave for Easter Break to create initial section numbers
6. Grade 8 Registration and Transition Meetings underway
  - a. Mr. Kyle been to all feeder schools
  - b. Mr. Reeve, Mrs. Westberg, Ms. Nicholas, Mr. Kyle have been visiting feeder Grade 8 schools to host transition meetings for incoming Grade 8 students.
7. Graduation
  - a. Commencement as tradition
  - b. Banquet / Dance: Parent organized
8. CSLC 2020 – vote taking place with our staff to make a decision about hosting in 2023
9. Final Exam AP
  - a. Feedback presently being gathered on the newly proposed draft
10. Grade 9 Minute Allocation with Fine Arts and PAA;
  - a. Fine Arts minutes at Grade 9 needs to be increased

- b. PAA minutes at the Grade 9 level needs to be decreased
11. Driver Training Instructor Contract has changed for next school year
- a. The present contract has created an issue for the last session of students that were scheduled to take Driver Training into July of 2022

**12. Approvals:**

- a. **MOTION:** M/S/C approves the use of microwaves in five different areas of our school; Staff Room, Alternative Education, Cafeteria, Commercial Cooking Lab, Entayan Room.
- b. **MOTION:** M/S/C approves the continued playing of the national anthem, O' Canada and the occasional playing of the "Flag Song" once it is available.

**GSSD Board Report: Steve Variyan's report**

- Calendar for next school year had been ratified
- Roof is done – facility upgrade, new cooler in cafeteria, new flooring in day care
- SSBA – SK School Board Association, school division advocate. GSSD Board was given a half day in-service on what SSBA has to offer.

**New Business:** – nil

**Next Meeting Date** –May 17, 2022 at 7 pm

**Adjourn:** 7:59, Shelly Westberg