


School Goal: We will facilitate a culture of engaged learning at Lochearn to result in greater success for all students in the 2016-2017 school year.

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| <p>November 9, 2016</p> | <p>School Council Minutes</p> |  |
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Additions to Agenda - none

Approval of Minutes - Crystal Sieppert, all in favor

Chairperson's Report - nothing to report

Trustee's Report - discussed location of Umbrella meeting, could it possibly be changed to different month so that no risk of winter driving. Meeting is in Buck Lake to accommodate Drayton and Rocky. 40 people attended last meeting. Heidi will take information back. No one able to attend from Lochearn this time.

Principal's Report

Information Items:

Accountability Survey - Danielle reviewed with PowerPoint, 19 parents out of a possible 60 responded to the survey. Watch for another survey in February.

School Goals:

1. implement strategies that foster **student wellness** by attempting to ensure all students have a significant connection with at least one adult in the school.
 - variety of clubs
 - mentorship program
2. implement **pedagogy** that promotes student understanding of the link between lesson activities, assessment and the intended learning outcomes in all curricula.
 - inquiry based learning
 - assessment for learning
3. establish a **collaborative response model** that identifies the needs of individual students and results in a specific plan of action through the implementation of **Program Planning Team** meetings.

- continue with Program Planning Team process
- continue with implementing Collaborative Response Model

4. implement strategies that deepen staff and student understanding of **First Nations, Metis and Inuit** culture and that support the process of reconciliation.
 - celebrate diversity (*presence of affirming First Nations, Métis and Inuit images, art, posters, books, videos and positive messages celebrating diversity*).
5. implement strategies that enable all students to develop and enhance skills in **literacy and numeracy**, including reading, writing, mathematics, technology, languages and media.
 - literacy focus: focus on balanced literacy, common assessments, assessment for learning
 - numeracy focus: focus on number sense, common assessments, assessment for learning

November 18 Portfolios go home

November 23 Learning Conferences, 4:30-7:30 p.m. (1:1 interviews 4:30-5:30pm)

November 24 Learning Conferences, 4:30-7:30 p.m. (1:1 interviews 4:30-5:30pm)

Some discussion regarding format for first session conferences, preference for first ones being 1:1 and second set being the student led conference. Suggestion to include short comment section on midway report so there is more of an accurate idea of what is happening vs. very general report. Higher attendance for upper grades during the student led conferences.

Past Events:

Health Active Team- went to the Healthy Active Schools Symposium

Peacemakers went to Calgary for WeDay

Family Dance

Upcoming Events:

November 10 Remembrance Day Assembly, 12:00 noon

November 11 No School – Remembrance Day

November 14-24 AHS, School Oral Health Services (K, Gr 1, 2 and select Gr 3's)

November 18 K2/K3 attend

November 18 Portfolios go home

November 23 Learning Conferences, 4:30-7:30 p.m.
November 24 Learning Conferences, 4:30-7:30 p.m.
November 25 No School – Day in lieu of Learning Conferences
November 29 Hot Lunch - K2/K3 – 1st break
November 29 Assembly, 12:00 Noon, in the Gym
November 30 Hot Lunch – K1, grade 1-5 – 1st break

Next Meeting: January 18th, 2017

Meeting adjourned at 12:37

Friends of Lochearn Elementary
Wednesday, November 9, 2016

Additions to Agenda - none

Approval of Minutes - Lacey Beach-Brown

Chairperson's Report - nothing to report

Reports

Treasurer - Jamie not here

FundRaising/Volunteer Coordinator - Sam not here

Hot Lunch - Katelyn advised that no updates at this time.

Milk - nothing to report

Old Business:

Quest Theatre- \$2750 in donations, donations still coming in

New Business: none

Next Meeting: January 18th, 2017

Meeting adjourned 12:41