

TES SCC Meeting Minutes

Date: Thursday March 12, 2026

Time: 7 pm

Location: Online Zoom Meeting

ATTENDEES: Sandra Norum, Michelle Allgrove, Janelle Higgins, Stacy Lair, Alicia Sopatyk, Carmelle Kubat, Chantelle Cresswell, Brenden McEwan, Corissa Wilkinson, Kaylynn Friswell, Leeyan Brinklow, Jessica McKee, Kirsti Bowditch, Tess Richardson, Kerstin White, Jimmy Nichols, Terrah Casemore, Vicky Nichols

1. Meeting called to order: 7:05 pm

2. Agenda

- Additions/Changes – Add to new business – communication and fundraising
- Motion to Adopt- Michelle, Second- Janelle

3. Minutes of the Last Meeting

- Motion to Adopt-Michelle, Second- Carmelle
- All in favour- yes

4. Financial Report

- Balance of \$6754.99
- All cheques cleared

5. Motion to adopt Financial Report- Jessica, Second- Alicia

6. Old Business

- Staff appreciation- Family pizza was good just had a misunderstanding and delay in delivery.
- Chains created by classrooms and were appreciated
- SLCs will be held next week. Sign up genius will be sent out for food for the teachers
- Pre authorized engagement baskets for SLCs
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7. Principals Report

- Grade 5 family engagement – multiplication bingo, chili lunch
 - Lots of positive feedback
 - Teacher bills not submitted for SCC
- Grade 3 poetry event upcoming and may request support from SCC
- Report Cards to go out on Edsby April 29
- Staff appreciation treats were appreciated
- Student mentorship
- Grade 5 leadership program
- CHUMs is ongoing

- Staffing – New outreach and interviewing for a temporary EA
- School spirit days being held for March
- March madness challenge for kindness
- Telemiracle – raised \$1699.95 through activities including PJ day, helping hands, buckets for coin collection, etc.
- Community partnership with Salvation Army to provide chili lunch for students and Tisdale Suicide Awareness through kindness cards.
- Extra curricular activities – archery has 2 coaches and 5 attending Melfort regionals, girls club hosted by the Kinettes, and looking into options for potential boys club.
- SLCs will be held March 18 and 19
- SIP on March 23 – working on school goals
- Neighbourhood forest program – families can order trees
- Focus on respect and kindness throughout the school
- Presentation from SK Acquired Brain Injury Assoc. will include activities potentially at the end of March.
- School pictures received positive feedback. Class composites had some mistakes and are still waiting to receive them.
- Building updates- Bathrooms received updates to mirrors and counters. Roof is on the list for repair this summer.

8. Discussions from Principals report –

- Family engagement
 - K and Grade 5 celebrations \$400-\$500
 - Other grades - \$100
- Is there opportunity for SCC to come in on SIP days to introduce ourselves and get feedback from teachers?
- Playground equipment – bills from company not paid. Found out 2 weeks ago and is dependant on an inspection. Trying to get updated pricing on ground covering.

9. Approval of Principals Report – Michelle approves, Carmelle seconds

10. New Business-

- Communication between SCC and School
 - School website needs to be updated with SCC
 - Contact through SCC email- need to activate an account
 - Could use an SCC facebook page to communicate
 - Alicia to be the contact for Facebook posts and Jessica will be the email contact.
- Fundraising
 - Policy on fundraising in school advised by SCC and approved by Stacy
 - Monitor why we are fundraising
 - Work with other community SCCs to ensure we are not fundraising in the same way at the same time and to pace it out so we are not asking a lot at one time.
 - Have a fundraising plan in place- Telemiracle, Terry Fox, Jump Rope, etc.
 - Fundraising ideas – Late April to mid May – Family Pizza frozen pizza fundraiser
 - Jays – Meal fundraiser

- Have a plan in place by the end of May for next year and be transparent with families about why and what we are fundraising for
- Create a subcommittee for fundraising to help take the pressure off the school. Money will go through the division.
- Stacy Lair Updates
 - Calendar survey asking questions for feedback, constitution updates
 - SCC workshop April 30th at Melfort KVC
 - SCC Hub year long plan
 - Edsby Group
 - Constitution Committee – start new template for best practice ideas. SCC advises the board to approve the constitution. Janelle, Jessica, and Alicia to be the SCC committee and will meet with Stacy to discuss.

11. Motion to set Date and Time of the Next Meeting

- Next meeting May 14, 2026

12. Motion to Adjourn at 8:45 pm- Janelle motions, Jessica seconds