

## **\*\*MINUTES\*\* PCSS Parent Council Meeting - Nov 28, 2024**

Chair: Jessica Bueckert Vice Chair: Cheyenne Gouda Secretary: Rotating

1. **Call to order at:** 6:31pm

2. **Welcome and Introductions**

2 min

In Attendance: Jessica Bueckert, Julie Windebank, Clark Peters, Lori Wolfe, Nora Holben, Cheyenne Gouda, Jamie Seyama

3. **Review of the Agenda**

2 min

Approval of the Minutes of the previous meeting as presented. Approved by Julie W. Seconded by Nora H. , All in favour.

4. **School Report**

5 min

- Volleyball season wrapped up. Sr. Boys and Girls made it to Zones. Jr Girls made it to CWAJAHAA, Jr. Boys- undefeated.
- Pep Rally for our sports teams last Thursday, Awesome to hear from coaches as we celebrate our kids!
- Basketball is beginning. Special thanks to our coaches, Mrs. Blair, Community Coaches: Graeme Ball, Gerald Wagner
- Student Leadership is doing great, loads of upcoming December activities
- Remembrance Day was terrific, great to have the 3 schools and the town come together
- Feedback on Parent Teacher Interviews, last year we had 41% via phone calls and this year: 22% of 311 interviews, # up from 280 last fall.
- Town and CESD Library update. Info for PAC: Currently renegotiating our agreement with the Two Library Board.
  - a. Aligning with Organizational Priorities (committed to equity and efficiency across the division, CESD working with it's communities to have a municipal/ school division agreement)
  - b. Adapting to Changing Educational needs
  - c. Fiscal Responsibility

5. **Trustee Report** - Sherry Cooper not in attendance

6. **Town Report**

-Shaun Kranenborg not in attendance.

Jamie Seyama, Penhold FCSS

- Snow Angels has started up. If you know of anyone who need assistance removing snow, have them contact [fcss@townofpenhold.ca](mailto:fcss@townofpenhold.ca) for a sign. If you see a sign and could help remove the snow from the residence, it is greatly appreciated. We also thank the schools for all the help they do throughout the season as Snow Angels.
- Stocking Stuffers for Seniors has launched for this year. The Stocking Stuffers for Seniors Program's goal is to provide seniors that may be more isolated and/or who need extra support this holiday season with a few small items from their wish list. Forms can be found on our website if you are wanting to donate or know a senior who would benefit from this program.
- Christmas Services are available through Christmas Bureau, Salvation Army and the Outreach Centre. We also welcome anyone to reach out to us for more information on supports and resources any time during the year.
- December Craft & Connect Night, December 17, 6:30 – 8:30 pm. We will be doing macrame ornaments. Register with [fcss@townofpenhold.ca](mailto:fcss@townofpenhold.ca)
- Next level of Adulting Unlocked workshops for ages 16-20. This one is on self-defence. December 11, 3:30 – 5:00 pm. Register with Jamie or the library.
- Babysitting Fundraiser- December 8<sup>th</sup> from 5:00-8:30pm & December 15<sup>th</sup> from 1:30-5:00pm. Stay tuned for more details.
- PYC December Calendars are ready.

- PYC will be closed from December 23<sup>rd</sup> – January 3<sup>rd</sup> and with normal grades 7 & 8 programming to resume on January 6<sup>th</sup> and Teen Night on January 7<sup>th</sup>.

7. **Parent's Matter Update**, no update this month.

8. **Old Business**. N/A

9. **New Business**

- \$50 School Credit Draw for those in attendance, and the winner is Nora H. Clark will email Lori the winner from last month was Julie Windebank.
- Question if ASCE grant can cover Parent Council engagement of \$50 per meeting. According to the grant, it can not be used for cash or prize incentives.

10. **Next Meeting Date**: January 23, 2025 at 6:30pm

11. **Adjourned at**: 6:57pm

12. **Action Items**

## **\*\* MINUTES \*\* PCSS- Parent Society Meeting, November 28, 2024**

President: Angela van der Loop

Vice President: Jessica Bueckert

Treasurer: Lori Wolfe

Secretary: Rotating

Financial Auditors: Julie Windebank and Nora Holben

1. **Call to order:** 6:58pm
2. **Welcome and introductions:** In Attendance: Jessica Bueckert, Julie Windebank, Clark Peters, Lori Wolfe, Nora Holben, Cheyenne Gouda, Jamie Seyama
3. **Review the Agenda:** Approved by Julie W. Seconded by Nora H., All in favour.
4. **Approve the minutes from the last meeting.,** Julie W., seconded by Nora H. All in favour.
5. **Treasurer's Report.** Update will be available at the next meeting.
6. **Old Business.** N/a
7. **New Business**
  - a. **School Casino Requests:** Approved the spending up to: \$1200 for Spirometers, \$1500 - Heat Press and accessories, and \$3000- Sr. Basketball Uniforms. Motioned by Juile W., seconded by Cheyenne G. All approved.
9. **Next meeting date:** January 23, 2025 at 6:30pm
10. **Meeting adjourned** at:7:27pm

Action items: n/a