JACK HULLAND SCHOOL COUNCIL Minutes of Regular Meeting December 1, 2021 Via ZOOM

"School Council would like to acknowledge that we are on the lands of the Kwanlin Dun First Nation and the Ta'an Kwach'an Council and thank them for allowing us to live and work on their traditional land."

Administration:

Jeff Cressman: A/Principal

Nita Daniels: Vice Principal

Pam Booth: A/Vice Principal

Present: Council Members:

Misty Ticiniski: Chair Rachel Hrebien Sheri Graham Lea Pigage Kirsten Pattimore Jesse Bouchard

Jerry Zahora: Secretary Treasurer

Regrets: Aura-Lea Harper: Council Member

Guests: Ryan Sikkes: ADM: Student Support Services

Donna Miller-Fry: Superintendent of Schools

Steph Young Valerie Ireland Odessa Epp Rebecca Hurtig Randy Lupishinski

"Pandas" Taelor Mason

1. Call to Order: Meeting was called to order at 7:0PM

 Adoption of Agenda: Moved by Lea, second by Sheri, THAT the agenda be adopted.

CARRIED

3. Adoption of Minutes: Moved by Jesse, second by Rachel, THAT the Minutes Regular Meeting, October 6, 2021, Special Meeting, October 26, 2021, Special Meeting, November 3, 2021 and Special Meeting November 24, 2021, b adopted.

4. Introduction: 7:15PM

Lea provided an introduction. Thanked the Kwanlin Dun First Nation and Ta'an Kwach'an Council for allowing us to live and work on their traditional land. Meeting is to deal with specific items..

5. Principal's Report:

ACTION: Report to be emailed to Jerry for distribution to council members.

Some highlights:

- Parent meeting last week led by S/Council
- Letter from ADM re: Holds at the school. Admin team to advise what is happening at the school
- Drumline practiced in hallways
- Xmas concert practiced
- Salmon fry's are hatching in the school
- Jeff Cressman: A/Principal is staying at JH until Jan. 5. 2022
- no classes reporting exposure notices
- All staff at JH is vaccinated
- PD Day: on Nov. 12th: discussions were held about the mental health at JH
- Boys and girls make it to the playoffs. Mr. Frizzell and Ms. McKenna coach Both teams: Volleyball

6. Reports: Committees:

- 6.1 Transportation Committee: Meeting to be held Dec. 2/21. Info will be provided when available
- 6.2 Health and Safety: Meeting held this week; will do list from Oct.

 Jan: meet in aft. To fill out accident folders, etc. to help with time.

 Emergency Bag: discussed having blankets, etc. for emergencies.

ACTION: To be discussed in January.

- School Growth Plan: Mtg. held Sept. 23: Oct Mtg. discussed improving math learning. First Nations ways of Doing and Knowing.
 Nov. 18th; mtg. cancelled. Next meeting to be held in January. Once Principal is back meeting to be scheduled.
- 6.4 AYSCBC: are meeting this weekend and an update will follow.
- **7. Treasurer's Report:** Balance in account \$7,057.45. A report was provided to council members.

MOTION: Moved by Lea, second by Rachel, THAT the Jack Hulland School Council reimburse Jerry Zahora in the amount of \$88.25 for the purchase of a gift.

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8. Old Business and Correspondence:

9. New Business and Correspondence:

9.1 Solutions tracking update: Kirsten provided information. Solutions tracker for ideas that parents that sent to council.

Working on developing a document. Set up a couple of committees.

Parent Handbook:

"Code of Conduct": for the school. This is up and will reach out to parent's community

for volunteers. Parents asked to email JH email.

Will be updated once S/Council meets with Dept. and Administration to make sure

it is all prioritized for the school.

ACTION: Working session: Misty to reach out and organize with department and administration. Please advise Misty know your schedule and availability

Short term: ASAP. Rachel would like to have group meetings in January .

9.2 Presentation Request: Rachel provided an update. Karen Campbell from the Dept. has been approached, to discuss Brain Trained Trauma

sessions

department.

Hope is to have meetings in January. Council will work with the

Lea discussed the Neuro sectional model.

ACTION: A link will be provided to council to watch video

9.3 School Council Planning Session: Lea reached out to AYSCBC to obtain quotes from consultants or to share what parents have brought up. Rachel discussed the prioritization of commitments made to parents is the focus at this time.

Council to work on first and then see what we want to accomplish before the end of their term. Parent solutions!

Taelor Mason: Feels the department needs to provide support. This should not be up to School Council to fix these issues.

Misty advised, council wants to see and figure out what as a council they can help with and figure out what the department can be held

accountable

for as well.

Taelor: What supports are in place? The Dept. said Dec 3 they would

provide

answers for some solutions.

have to

Kirsten: Dec 3rd: update: to make sure answers are provided and most

be provided by the Dept. Then going forward from there.

Ryan Sikkes advised, that yes, Dec. 3rd was agreed to answer. The Chat questions to be provided within 2 weeks.

9.4 Playground: Lea discussed the playground for children with disabilities. A swing has been installed. Would like to create more spaces to be more inclusive. Suggestion to relocate the swing set from the back of the

school.

This is added to the Capital project for the spring.

Additional structures were discussed. Perhaps ask if parents can help build. Janet Moore at the department has been contacted. This can be done however, they will have to be checked by Safety.

Canadian Tire has also been contacted (they helped with the new park at Shipyards) and they put Lea in touch with others.

Nita advised that the "From the Ground Up" fundraiser has been used to add on to playground structure.

Discussions on the costs of replacement or updating of structures is very expensive. Do one at a time.

Taelor suggested reaching out to the City of Whitehorse, Parks and having them do a visit and see.

Odessa Epp advised that Castle Rock are the ones that installed the new playground at Shipyards and she will reach out to them and see if they are certified to do this.

ACTION:

Meet with teachers and see what they would like to see being installed.

Play Systems North: is a local playground designer. They can provide digital tendering.

Nicole discussed the slide for the handicapped students. They cannot do this alone and teacher has to climb with student to top and left him, so child can be able to slide. Swing was very appreciated and is used by 2 students at this time!

Nita would like to participate in these discussions. ACTION: Lea, Nita, Misty, Jesse and Odessa will work out to set up a meeting to pursue this further. Taelor: has a lot of contacts so they can reach out to her as well. Accessibility issue: this has been brought up in the past. Taelor advised to set up a meeting via Zoom, through email and Facebook. Setting up a recurring Zoom link and put this info on the Website to advise parents. Can be through emails to parents and as well in the Newsletter. 9.5 In Camera: MOTION: Moved by Jesse, second by Sheri, THAT the Jack Hulland School Council moves into camera at 7:55PM CARRIED MOTION: Moved by Jesse, second by Sheri, THAT the Jack Hulland School Council moves out of camera at _____ **CARRIED** 10. Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at _____ Next regular meeting, January 5, 2022

Misty Ticiniski:
Chair

Jerry Zahora:
Secretary Treasurer