



Friends of Rainbow Falls School Society – Meeting Minutes

Meeting date: March 25, 2025

Council Members	School and Trustee representation	Parents logged in/in attendance
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Amber Queen-Vanderstelt	X	Lisa Schultz	X	
Amber Patterson	X	Joseph Knight	X	
Candis Legacy	X	Shali Baziuk	X	
Glenda Durupt	X			
Kim Rogerson	X			
Melissa Price				

Call To Order

Meeting called to order at 1919 by Amber QV

Welcome and Introductions

Approval of Agenda

Motion to approve agenda for March 25, 2025, meeting agenda: 1st Candis L, 2nd Amber P

Motion carried.

Approval of Minutes

Motion TO approve minutes from January 28, 2025, meeting: 1st Amber P, 2nd Candis L

Motion carried.

Council Chair Report – Amber Queen-Vanderstelt and Amber Patterson

- Discussion for Grade 6 year end – support recognition of the end of the school year. Event and also recognition during the school in an event that parents would be welcome to join.
- This Friday is the last Kindergarten Hot lunch. – has been quite successful this year and we hope to continue next year.
- Freezie Friday will also continue and we fundraise \$80-\$100 per week
- Other funding options to explore:
 - Chestermere community grant – funds for 2026. Money is set aside for community groups. As a registered group we can apply for items similar to a translator machine for the office, and others. Could also look to put towards IT support for the growth of the school in the 2025/2026
 - We can also apply for the 100 Men/100 Women community circles.

Request applications:

1. **Year end Grade 6 Graduation Event – event and bussing (\$5000)**
 - Fun trip of movie and bowling.
 - \$1500 set aside in the budget projections already
 - Discussion related to support of students and consider inflation
 - Will partially support the request, up to \$2000
 - All in attendance Approved
 - **Motion Carried**
2. **Book Request – to be laminated with protective cover and used for future years - \$7000**
 - All in attendance Approved



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- **Motion Carried**
- 3. **Color House Day - \$1000 for rentals and supplies**
 - Year end fun day (We have already set aside \$500 in the budget projections, and have previously voted to support freezies for each student that day)
 - Propose funding the remaining items
 - All in attendance Approved
 - **Motion Carried**
- 4. **Grade 2 Team – Hatch chicks - \$187.95**
 - Supports Curriculum of life cycle
 - Discussion of getting a chicken to visit the Grade 2 classes for the full life cycle
 - All in attendance Approved
 - **Motion Carried**
- 5. **Learning Commons Request - Summer Reading fun (Mrs. Bell) \$1600**
 - Summer Reading adventure
 - Questions to explore – Looking for more information prior to approval.
 - How is this different from books available at public library
 - Once purchased with the school retain regular access to these books
 - **Motion Deferred**

New Business

- Upcoming Garden Scents fundraiser
 - Have heard back from the business and this is confirmed.
 - More information to come by the end of the week

Meeting Adjournment

- Motion: To Adjourn meeting at 1953 by 1st Amber P, 2nd Glenda D
- *Motion carried.*

Minutes prepared by Glenda Durupt