**Glen Allan School Council**

**Thursday October 20, 2022 6:30**

Hybrid Meeting – Minutes

1. **Attendance:** Jennifer Ference, Chrissy Appleby, Christy Ravndahl-George, Jenn Campbell, Erin Barrett, Cathy Allen, Cynthia Cassidy, Stacy Robinson, Sheila Connolly, Rosa Bull, Jonathan Kuprowsky, Michelle Reschke, Kris Kasawski, Mandy McUna,
2. **Call to Order**: 6:30 p.m.
3. **Welcome and introductions**
4. **Minutes:** Approval of September 15, 2022 Draft Minutes (Attachment 1)

* Motion to approve minutes as presented made by *Cynthia Cassidy, Michelle Reschke*

1. **Trustee Report** *– Cathy Allen*, Trustee, Elk Island Public Schools

* ***Original to be attached hyperlink***
* Cathy Allan has been assigned the Advocacy Committee
* The Advocacy Committee is pre-emptively contacting local MLA’s to voice concerns for EIPS
* 98% of the summer projects maintenance list has been completed

1. **Principal Report** – *Jennifer Ference*, Principal
   * ***Original to be attached hyperlink***
   * Courtyard has been cleaned up and is showcasing the Orange Rocks that were painted for Orange Shirt day
   * Grade 6 parents volunteered and did a beautiful job updating the courtyard. May continue to add some plants to build a healing garden in the courtyard learning space
   * School education plan is on the website outlining Glen Allan’s core work. Literacy, Numeracy and positive school culture
   * The importance of completing the parent and student survey are the key measures that they gauge concerns
   * STAR math assessment will be used at the beginning and the end of the year as a math screeners.
   * Christmas Concert December 14 at Park Church Division 1 6:30 Division 2 7:30

**Assistant Principal Report** *- Chrissy Appleby*, Assistant Principal and Stacy Robinson

* Very happy with how Orange Shirt Day went.
* Lots of participation
* Rock painting was successful
* Edu-kit were utilized by multiple teachers
* Rock your Mocs day is coming up and children are encouraged to wear mocs, slippers or socks

**Teacher Report** – *Stacy Robinson*

* Terry Fox Day Assembly was a success. Student presenters did a great job
* Reading Week included parent and Bev Facey Students reading in the school
* Field Trips have begun
* Halloween will be doing an assembly instead of a parade
* Requesting parents do not send in treats and snacks just yet but teachers will be doing something
* Many spirit days will be added to the calendar, shortly

1. **Glen Allan School Council (GASC)** Vice-Chair Updates – *Sheila Connolly*, GASC (online)
   * Hot Lunch is October 27
   * Looking for a person to partner with the website management, please contact Sheila
   * Hot lunch coordinator Adrienne
   * Family Dance tentatively planned for March 10th, 2023 looking for a new DJ/Photo Booth (Erin B has a contact person for DJ)
   * Sheila is looking for additional help and eventually training a replacement for the coming year.

**Fund Development Committee Chair Updates** – *Jennifer Campbell and Michelle Reschke*, GASC

* Art Cards started being scanned last week
* Paypal Fee is being added to online orders for Art Cards order forms will begin on October 26th
* Asking for volunteers once the order forms are out

**Budget Vice-Chair Updates – Erin Barrett, GASC Financial Update**

* 22-23 Budget Approval Cynthia Cassidy and seconded by Kris Kasawski
* Money requested by the Glen Allan Disbursements $11,430.00 Approved Sheila and Seconded by Mandy

**Chair Updates** – *Christy Ravndahl-George*, GASC

* Nominated Rosa Bull for Treasurer position x 3: Rosa Bull is the new Treasurer! Congratulations!

1. **Parent Feedback**

* We should know the casino date by January/February
* Graduation shirts are still in the works date still to be determined
* Setting up electronic signatures with ATB Rosa, Erin, Christy, Sheila and Jenn C GASC to set up a group appointment.

Next Meeting (November 17 @ 6:30) and Adjournment at 7:43pm