

Rimbey Elementary School Council Meeting Minutes

January 14, 2025

Call to Order: Meeting was called to order by Kelly Leblanc at 5:20pm

Roll Call: Kelly Leblanc (Chairperson), Alannah Bancroft (Vice Chairperson), Jenni Whatmore (Secretary), Matilda Kleinsasser (Treasurer), Trudy Bratland (WCPS Trustee), Stacy Sargeant (Vice Principal), Suzanne Bergeron, Mandy Klein, Lena May, Lyndsey Rumsey and Allison Goodwin.

Agenda: The agenda for the January 14, 2025 School Council meeting was amended in the following ways:

Addition - New Business- 4.2 Meeting Dates

The amended Agenda was presented by Kelly Leblanc. Amended agenda approved by Lena May. Jenni Whatmore seconds. Carried. [RES Council Agenda January 14, 2025](#)

Minutes: The minutes from the Council Meeting held on November 12, 2024 was approved by Lena May. Alannah Bancroft seconds. Carried. [RES Council Meeting Minutes November 12, 2024](#)

1.0 Reports:

1.1 Principal Report presented by Stacy Sargeant: [Jan 14, 2025 School Council Principal Report](#)

1.2 Trustee Report presented by Trudy Bratland: [October/November 2024 Parent Council January 2025 Parent Report](#)

2.0 School Council Foundation News/Updates to Share with Council:

2.1 Candy Cane Dance was a successful event with the Rimbey Elementary parent council purchasing all candy canes in variety of flavours

2.2 Breakfast with Santa was also a successful event. Kelly Leblanc has already saved the date with the town for Saturday, November 29, 2025

2.3 The Outdoor Classroom project fundraising is continuing a continued success

2.4 Hot Lunches for the remainder of the school year have been posted onto the parent portal, with the exception of a few events, such as sales for the Grade 6 trip, that will be posted as they come up

2.5 Hot Lunch Volunteers are still needed, Kelly Leblanc will continue to post on Facebook when volunteers are needed. Bre Button will also be adding Kelly's contact information, in regards to hot lunches, in the next email sent to parents, in hopes of reaching more parents

2.6 Grade 8/9 Book Project was successfully completed by all students included, currently the grade 8 books have been printed/binded with the invoice being given to the foundation. RES parent council will also cover the costs to print/bind the grade 9 books once they are completed. The student involved also enjoyed an afternoon of hot chocolate and cookies together, which the foundation also covered the costs of

3.0 Business from Minutes:

3.1 Staff survey/wishlist will be discussed further at the foundation in regarded to more purchases from the wishlist [Staff Survey 2024](#)

3.2 Blue Cross Grant for breakfast program was unfortunately denied

3.3 Letter to the Minister has been printed for signing [MLA Letter](#)

3.4 ASCE Grant by Suzanne Bergeron will need posters/advertising created, times are to be determined but the dates have been confirmed as follows:

February 25, 2025- Play: Aren't they just supposed to do it?

March 12, 2025- Who said it has to be perfect? Managing perfectionism in your home and studies. [Funding Manual for School Authorities 2024-2025 School Year](#)

4.0 New Business:

4.1 Wolf Creek Summit will take place on January 31, 2025 which Jodi Bramfield, Kelly Leblanc as well as other parents, teachers and students will be attending

Next Meeting: Tuesday, March 11, 2025 at 5pm

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned by Alannah Bancroft at 5:53pm