



CIS – OBK School Council Meeting #7

Date:	Tuesday, March 5, 2019
Time:	6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Location:	Upper Floor in the open space – OBK Campus
	225 – 28 Street SE, Calgary, Alberta, T2A 5K4

Attendees

Names	Positions
Raiha Idrees	Principal (CIS – OBK)
Ahlam Sadden	Chairperson
Zeshan Hyder	Secretary
Adil Sandhu	Treasurer
Lloyd Boody	Palliser Regional School Director
Saba Adil	Parent
Ouassila Boucharif	Teacher
Zobaria Masroor	Parent
Rida Bin Salama	Parent
Rubina Zaman	Parent





Agenda Items:

Time	Item Description	Responsible
18:00 – 18:05	1. Call To Order	Volunteer
	Opening Dua	Ahlam Sadden
	Summary of Agenda	Zeshan Hyder
	Approval of pending Meeting Minutes	
18:05 – 18:50	2. Discussion on School Council Initiatives	All Present
	Election of new Treasurer	
	• 2019 – 2020 School Calendar	
	Account Update	
	Alberta Culture Days Grant Information	
	 Update on Food Drive / Orphan Sponsorship Program 	
	After School Tahfeeth Program/Cooking Classes	
	After School Soccer Program Division 1	
18:50 – 18:58	3. Questions / Comments / Recommendations	All Present
	 Questions / Comments / Concerns / Recommendations 	
	Topic for next School Council Meetings	
	 Next School Council Meeting to be held on Tuesday, April 16, 2019 at 6:00PM 	
18:58 – 19:00	4. Closing Dua	Volunteer





Minutes:

Dua by Rida @ 6:05PM

Lloyd Boody, Palliser Reginal School Director introduced himself.

Notice was sent last week to the Parent General Body, that a new Treasurer is to be elected. Job responsibilities of the Treasurer read by Ahlam Sadden. Nadia Herati was elected Treasurer by unanimous vote.

Current Account Ledger:-

- \$2,300 Balance.
- A cheque of \$600 to be paid by School Council to the school for inline skating.

Upcoming expenses this year include:

- Approximately \$1,000 deposit for Inline Skating for School Year 2019 2020 if it will be offered.
- Costs pertaining to the upcoming Sports Day in 2019 (approximately \$2,000)
- Graduation in June 2019 (depending on funds needed after school fundraising)

Palliser Regional School has a charitable status. If parents want to make charitable donations, they can and they will receive tax receipts.

The Principal thoroughly explained the School Calendar for 2019 – 2020. At the request of MCC, both scenarios / calendars were considered; with Mondays as half days and with Fridays as half days so that public Friday prayers (Juma) could be accommodated at the school.





Based on the School Calendar instructional hours calculations, the school will not be able to meet the instructional hours requirement by Alberta Education if Fridays were to be changed to half days since there are more Fridays than Mondays in the school year. More Mondays are off in the school year due to STAT holidays. The calculations indicate that if we have early dismissals on Fridays, the school will be short by 20 - 28 hours of instruction. The only way to meet the Alberta Education requirement and to keep the school start time and end the same is to have shorter Mondays.

After careful review, Monday half days calendar was approved by unanimous vote by all Parent Council members present. Overall calendar approval by Parent Council.

Approximately two weeks ago; the Society started public Friday prayers (Juma) @ Rehma Musallah. Hani Saleh has been requested by the Principal to look into this. He was on vacation when the Juma prayers were started at the Rehma Musallah.

Parking lot is currently having issues related to parking. People are not parking properly. We require a code of conduct / booklet. Garbage is being dumped on school premises and this is becoming a problem as well.

A suggestion was made to have the students at the school to do a video log (vlog) about all the issues that the school is experiencing. This will allow wide spread awareness of the issues at hand. The school will also issue a notice regarding parking lot issues.

Voting to be done by the Student Council whether they will allocate funds this year for the Food Drive or the Orphan Sponsorship.

More life skill programs should be incorporated into the "After Tahfeeth" program.

The after-school soccer program for Division 1 will be postponed to next year since its too late in the year to start.

Dua by Adil Sandhu at 19:08PM





Minutes Approved by:			
Principal Raiha Idrees	Chairperson Ahlam Sadden	Secretary Zeshan Hyder	





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