

OBK School Council Meeting # 5

Date:	February 4th, 2016
Time:	6:30 pm – 7:30 pm
Location:	225 – 28th Street SE. OBK Campus
Participants:	Raiha Idrees – Principal Nada Merhi – Fundraising Committee Ahlam Sadden – Treasurer Zobia Masroor – Volunteer Committee Nida Aziz – Secretary Anjum Dawood – Parent Participant

Meeting Minutes

Opening Dua

Discussions:

Principal Raiha:

- Presented and explained her report to the School Council from December 2015 – February 2016.
- Explained why grading template is a better option than measuring in percentages with regards to Term 1 Report Cards.
- Working on setting up Home Logics offered by CBE - For more information visit:
<http://schools.cbe.ab.ca/b847/homelogic.htm>
- Leadership Award will be given to students demonstrating Islamic conduct.
- Thrilling Thursdays are highly appreciated by students.
- Parents of Grade 4 – 7 are required to fill out online survey by February 26, 2016 sent by Alberta Education. Parents are welcome to use translation services at school and use schools' computers' lab.

- Palliser Regional School Board has chosen to assess Calgary Islamic School this year. One on one meeting with teachers and parents will take place. Waiting on the dates to be announced.
- Student Council is formed and Kawthar Aroua is a Student Representative.
- Alishba from Student Council wants to do a presentation on how Muslims are portrayed in media.
- Anisa from Student Council is taking the lead to help Syrian Refugees and planning on holding a welcome dinner for them.
- May 28, 2016: Student led - Girls and Boys Conference will be held focusing on child bullying, servant leadership and 7 habits of highly effective people.
- Mathletics online learning system was chosen over IXL.
- School has approximately CDN \$5,000 allocated for procurement of books for the library as part of the school budget.
- School is submitting a grant for the Library sponsored by Indigo.
- Zobaria, Nida, Ahlam, Anjum and Nada are volunteering with the librarian to bring some good and interesting selection of books.
- April 28, 2016: Palliser is organizing a Leadership Quality Conference.
- Cooking classes will be starting soon for 4 – 6 Graders.
- School is available to the community to hold events such as Yoga Classes and Spa Events for ladies, Pottery night, cricket matches, movie nights etc.
- School council has been consulted to contribute approximately CDN \$1,650 for Arabic Teaching Staff to receive training in Chicago, IL. Decision pending.
- School council contributed towards purchasing bookends for the library.

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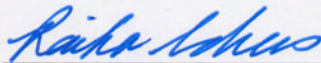
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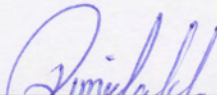
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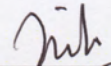
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