

Covenant Christian School Council

Meeting minutes

April 24, 2024

Present: Donavin Simmons, Candace Dreger, Shauna Balehowsky, Amber Abel, Coralie Abel

Next meeting: May 30th at 9:30am in the Conference Room.

I. Land Acknowledgement and Devotion

Candace opened with introductions, and a land acknowledgement. Devotion shared by Candace referencing Psalm 78. We were encouraged to pass and share our faith down to the next generation. God is faithful throughout the generations.

II. Approval of minutes from February.

All in favour.

III. Staff Appreciation

- Parents signing up for supervision on recess was a hit with the teachers.
- The teachers and staff were grateful that they could all eat together and build community.

IV. Alberta School Council Engagement Grant

Taylor Nurtition will be presenting tonight at 6pm.

V. Principal Report

1. April 9th BGSD's new superintendent, Mike Borgfjord, came to CCS. He met with our principal, teaching staff and learned about TFT.
2. CCS was able to take part in seeing the solar eclipse on April 8th. The lunch hour was changed and the students were not outside doing anything unsafe. The eclipse provided an opportunity to be wonderstruck.
3. Grandparents & Special Friends day is May 31st. The staff are preparing for it and are looking forward to welcoming everyone into our school.
4. This years "Celebration of Learning" document is beginning to take shape. The copies will be sent out digitally but hard copies will be on hand.

5. Looking forward to next year, students will receive a report card in January and in June. This will allow more time for teachers to give rich, valuable feedback. It will also allow for change to parent teacher conferences. The conferences will be later in the year giving both parents and teachers the opportunity to have conversations about progression seen throughout the year.
6. The change in report cards also allows our CTF options to change for Junior High. Students will now be able to receive four options throughout the year.

VI. Next Meeting

Thursday, May 30th at 9:30am in the Conference Room

VII. Closing Prayer

Candance