



MARCH 2024 PARENT COUNCIL MEETING

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March 19, 2024

École Good Shepherd School Library 7pm

1- Opening Prayer, Treaty Acknowledgement, and call to order by Jenny B @ 706pm

2- Attendees

Parent Council Executives: Jenny Yemen Barrett, Mindy Pumphrey, Christine Wilson, Holly Couillard & Kat Johnston, Audra Brown

School Administrators: Jacealyn Hempel, Brittany McDonah & Paul Lavery

School Board: Andrew Gustafson & Andrea Keenan

Regrets

Parent Council Executives: Jessica Theroux, Ashely Schwab

School Administrators:

3- Presentation - Ideas to Support Your Children at Home to Become Avid, Engaged Readers

Presented by Kathy Collins, literacy educator.

4- Parent Council Update - Jenny Yemen Barrett

Parent Teacher Potluck sign up is live, spots to be filled.

May 1st Math-a-thon, donation requests are out, and some donations have started to arrive.

5- Principal Update - Jacealyn Hempel

Annual Education Results 2022/2023 (Grade 4) presented. EGSS out measured the provincial average in all 8 categories. Surveys were sent to parents, student and teachers plus PAT testing results were used.

6- Board and GrACE Update - Andrea Keenan

Parent engagement was last week, we need more parent involvement.

Social Media campaign new theme: Tell us your story.

2024/2025 school calendar is approved and posted.

Council of Councils is May 7th, networking for parent councils.

Grace Summit May 9th in Edmonton, understanding what we do as a province for Catholic education.

Ward 1 meeting, May 22ne at HTA. Engagement with parents' teacher and kids

7- Closing Prayer and meeting adjourned @ 812p by Jenny.

