

**Parent Council Meeting – EGSS
Tuesday September 20th 2022 at 7:00pm**

Present

Council: Deanna Whiting, Hyunjoo Wagner, Jenny Yemen Barrett, Mindy Pumphrey, Jayne Jacobs, Audra Brown, Maggie McKerracher

Admin: Wayne Lorenz, Jacealyn Hempel, Paul Lavery

Trustees: Andrew Gustafson and Andrea Keenan

Meeting begins at 7:00pm

- Call to order – Deanna Whiting
 - Opening Prayer

Budget presented by Deanna

- No fund raising goal set for year - TBD
- Halloween Dance next event to be held

Approved by Sandra and Deanna

Approval of last minutes voting for election new council members

- Audra Brown - Treasurer
- Jayne Jacobs - Secretary
- Jenny Barrett - Vice Chair

Mindy and Deanna approved - motion carried

Maggie M. on hot lunch program

- Program starts week of September 19th
- Cobbs code 4835 can be used for 5% of sale going to EGSS
- Program requires additional volunteers. Please speak with Maggie

Wayne Lorenz presented update on current children enrolled and numbers of teachers and support staff

- 642 kids, 40 teachers, 17 support
- 4 new teachers for 22/23 year
- Wayne Lorenz retiring

- New Zen Den coming for teachers

Andrew and Andrea Board Report

- Granted 100k from Province to repeat engineering report. School needs significant repair or rebuild. Will know more from province on funding March 2023
- For high level review of meetings please look at Board Highlights on website
<https://www.smores.com/x7gh5-ctr-catholic-board-highlights>
- Funding for OutReach program in High River granted

Andrea on GRACE update

- Next meeting is September 27th 2022 at 1pm. If you want to attend, please let Andrea know. Two summits to be held this year one in Oct. and in the Spring

Administration Update

- Feedback from parents on staggered entry and whether it is a positive or negative way to begin school year

Closing Prayer

Meeting Concludes at 8:10pm

Next Parent Council Meeting set for October 18th at EGSS Library at 7pm