

Pembina North Community School  
School Council Meeting Minutes from March 18, 2025

In Attendance: Lisa Lawrence, Stephanie Bellows, Lauren Wylie, Keeara King, Sherry Allen, Diana Hunt Caylene Royea, Daryl Chattagoon, Donelle Young

Meeting called to order: 4:00 pm

Review of Agenda: Keeara approved, Caylene second, motion carried

Approval of Minutes from Last Meeting: Lisa reads the minutes, Caylene approved, Keeara second, motion carried.

Trustee Report- See attached for full Details.

Highlights:

- School trustees, superintendent, and student representatives gather/shared their thoughts about the school and their learning.
- Pembina Hills formed partnership with Rupertsland Institute to enhance Indigenous learning and providing a land-based learning campout in June for 1<sup>st</sup> Nations students
- ASCA Board of Directors will host the ASCA 2025 Spring Symposium on Saturday, April 26, 2025.
- Graduation last week for participants in the Education Aide course
- 1<sup>st</sup> Week of July (career camp) introduce kids to many careers and giving them an opportunity to try/explore/learn about the many different careers that are available to them.

Administration Report- See attached for full details.

School Highlights:

- Spring Break next week
- Potential survey in regards to Spring Break lining up with Easter Break in future
- Progress Reports coming home Thursday March 20, 2025
- Raised \$7500 from Skate-A-Thon
- Golf Fundraiser for Outdoor Classroom May 31, 2025
- Upcoming events: PHSSAM

Old Business:

- Alberta General Council meeting which covers many things is on April 27 in Edmonton looking for someone from our council to attend.

- May 13 is a Pembina Hills Council meeting in Barrhead, again looking for someone from our council to attend.

New Business:

- PHSSAM is coming up in June. Lauren Wylie is organizing the event to be held at PNCS (see attached for full details)
- Fundraising from Skate-A-Thon (\$7500) after utilities and insurance we are hoping to update the rink with a railing for getting to the ice, hanging some hooks on the wall. Further discussion will take place at the next fundraising meeting.
- Hoping to do a skate room clean out in spring. As well as hoping to have classrooms/kids paint pretty things on the inside of the skate room.
- Lisa has revised the operating procedure for School Council had handed out copies to School Council Members. The updated copies are to be reviewed every AGM and discussed when passing on to new council members.
- Jack Adkins willing to do a presentation for parents on the dangers of vaping and smoking. Date is to be announced

Fundraising Report:

- Casino Account is at \$17,597.58
- General Account is at \$20,034.22

Meeting adjourned: 5:10pm

Next meeting: May 28, 2025 at 4:00pm in the Library

## **PHSSAM: PNCS June 6, 2025**

**Schools involved:** PNCS, Clyde, Busby and Dunstable

**Students Participating:** PNCS (50), Clyde (60), Busby (55) and Dunstable (25) = 190 Students

**Events:** 12 events from throwing, jumping, running, skip, and the relay at the end

**Supports:** The Jr. High students will be helping run the events as we will need 2-3 of them for each event, we will need help with a concession from parent council, group leaders (teachers) as well as just supervisors

**Time:** The events begin around 10:00am and the relay being the last event is at 2:00pm as long with closing ceremony.

**Groups:** We will have 4 groups per grade (2 for each gender) making 12 groups

**Group Leaders:** Teachers and school staff are the group leaders for the event

**Concession:** Just simple food such as hot dogs, hamburgers, chips, chocolate bars, Gatorade, pop, or water.

**Places:** Each event will have a student place 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, or 3<sup>rd</sup>. Each group will be given a set number of bracelets for placing and every student will be given a participation bracelet