



Attendees:	Jackie Belland	Amanda Klyne	Meeting Date: March 3, 2026
	Kandise Salerno	Pamela Santos	
	Rose Singian	Tara Patrie	Location: FMT School Library
	Kari Brennan	Andrea G.	Recorded by: Tara Patrie
	Dr. Ryan Feehan (Superintendent of Leadership Services)	Heather H.	
		Mary	

	Action By
The meeting was called to order at 6:33 p.m. by Chair Kari Brennan.	Info

- 1.0 Welcome and Introductions**

- 2.0 Prayer/Treaty 6, presented by Jackie Belland.**

- 3.0 Review and Approval of Agenda**
 - Made a revision to the title. A motion to approve the revised agenda was made by Pamela and seconded by Amanda Klyne. The motion was carried.

- 4.0 Review and Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes**
 - A motion to approve the minutes of the School Advisory Meeting held on January 13, 2026, was made by Rose Singian and seconded by Heather. The motion was carried.

- 5.0 Report**
 - a. Chair Report - No new items were reported from Kari.

 - b. **Principal Report – presented by Dr. Salerno:**
 - Thank you to all the families and staff who came out to help for our casino last week.
 - January 20 – Amesty International presented to Grade 9.
 - January – AOB and St. Joe’s presentations to Grade 9.
 - January 22 – MADD presentation to the Grade 9.
 - January 29 – Ski trip #1, great job Mrs. Belland skiing!
 - February 5 – Renaissance Rally and Talent Show
 - February 5 – FMT Open House @ 6:30 – 81 Families in attendance (70 last year)
 - February 6 – Staff PD day, started looking at what Grade 8 STEM is going to look like.
 - February 12 – SHAD Showcase, Grade 7.
 - February 13 – Valentine’s Day dance.



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- February 17 and 18 Shrove Tuesday and Ash Wednesday; kids loved the pancakes.
 - February 19 – Grade 6's visit day – butter making, tie dying, construction, relay race.
 - February 20 – Grade 7's went to the Science Showcase.
 - March 3 – Holy Trinity Grade 9 registration.
 - New student teachers Mrs. Eldon with Ms. Santiago, and Mrs. Fox and Ms. Nestorovich with Mr. Kamal.
 - Mr. Moore receives the Edwin Parr Teacher Award – ECSD Overall Nominee.

Looking Forward – presented by Mrs. Belland:

- March 4 – Concordia to present to Grade 9 students.
- March 5 – AOB registration for Grade 9 students; not as many going to AOB as Holy Trinity, but more than in the past.
- Demo of Learning (2:00 – 6:00 p.m.); the kids are leading it, showing their parents what they are working on.
- March 9 and March 16 – Grade 9 band to perform at Feeder elementary schools.
- March 10 – RAP presentation to Food and Construction Grade 9 students. RAP is a apprenticeship program – great discussion regarding the outline of the program and the benefits that come from joining this program.
- March 12 – Healthy Hunger Chik-Fil.
- March 12 and 19 – Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM) Grade 7 STEM.
- March 23 – FMM Faith Day for Grade 8. Face to face youth ministry, dancing, singing.
- March 26 – Healthy Hunger – Edo.
- March 27 – Landmark Cinema Field Trip “Project Hail Mary” – please note, the kids don't get back until 12:15 that day.
- March 30- April 3 – Spring break.
- April 6 – Easter Monday, No School

6.0 Standing Business

- a. Spring Fundraiser Bonnie Doon Flowers – Pansy Pots:
 - Selling for \$25 per pot. Committed to 30 pots at \$18.50 + GST (lower cost tier). Last year sold 49 pots.
 - Promotion starts next week via PowerSchool (post-Oilers watch party), allowing ~2 weeks before Spring Break.
 - Sales confirmation due April 4; pickup runs May 2–10 (around Mother's Day).
 - Kari to share promo materials with Dr. Solerno.



b. Future Fundraising Ideas:

Past: bottle drives, Purdy's chocolates.

New suggestions:

- "Lucky Ducks" (candy-gram style). Previously raised ~\$800; potential for junior high with student leadership involvement.
- Seasonal items (Easter bunnies, Kinder eggs).
- Themed days (e.g., "Magically Delicious" Lucky Charms Day, PJ Day with cereal sales).
- IKEA blankets sold for \$10.
- FMT lanyards.

c. Alberta School Council Engagement Grant \$500

- The \$500 grant cannot be used for the Oilers Watch Party, food, entertainment, past activities, fundraising, or prizes.
- Funds can be used for educational purposes such as guest speakers, workshops for school council members, parent resources (mental health, well-being, cyberbullying), multicultural or Indigenous initiatives, conference fees, and promoting the value of art.
- A STEM-focused idea is being considered, but it's unclear if it meets the grant criteria.

7.0 New Business

a. New Fundraisers

Oilers Watch Party:

- \$10 per family; includes pizza, with additional snacks (chips, pop, candy, licorice) for sale.
- Glow sticks (blue/orange) and candy to be purchased.
- Motion: Mary moved to approve a \$500 budget from the general account for canteen snacks; seconded, motion carried.
- Parents must attend with children; event promotion ongoing.

Teacher Appreciation Lunch (June 4 tentative):

- Amanda leading; sourcing catering and flower quotes.
- Dietary needs noted (vegetarian, nut considerations).
- Quotes to be presented at the May meeting for approval.

Grade 9 Farewell (May 21, 2026):

- School council offered support; Jackie Belland to connect with Grade 9 representatives.

Lucky Charms Fundraiser (March 25):

- Cereal and milk sale paired with a PJ Day.
- Motion by Andrea to approve \$500 approved from the general account for supplies; seconded by Andrea.

8.0 Next Meeting – May 5, 2026, at 6:30.

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- 9.0 Motion to adjourn by Kari – The meeting was adjourned at 7:51 p.m. Seconded by Mary.
Thank you to everyone for attending this meeting.
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