



MHHS & Canyon School Council Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, Sept 16, 2024 @ 5:00 PM, MHHS Learning Commons

In Attendance: Aynsley Baker, Christy Hollingshead, Lori Hodges, Crystal Barrios, Bonnie Whitford, Bryan Burns, Stephanie Monteith, Daneille Radvak, Eliza Grose

Today's Agenda: [Sept 16 - School Council Meeting Agenda](#)

	Agenda Item	Discussion
1.	Call to Order	Call to order by Chair at 5:02 PM
2.	Adoption of Agenda	Motion to adopt agenda by Danielle, seconded by Christy
3.	Approval of Last Meeting's Minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meeting Minutes - May 29, 2024 	Motion to approve by Danielle, seconded by Christy
4.	Election of Officers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chair Vice-Chair Secretary 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Aynsley Baker - will continue as chair Rashelle Leishman - will continue as vice-chair Bonnie Whitford - will continue as secretary
5.	Business Arising from the Minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tabling of 2023/24 Chair Summary Tabling of 2024 Operating Procedures Tabling of 24/25 MHHS Goals Increased School Communication (Halton2Go) Academic Feedback 	<p>ASCA Summary Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Link to ASCA Summary Report Accomplishments from last year - advocacy for need of white bus, which is now in service Successful feedback circle from parents in regards to jr high core classes being held daily Joint meetings with Canyon parent council, alignment of PD days when possible Ongoing - moving sports council under the umbrella of School Council <p>Operating Procedures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Link to Operating Procedures <p>Annual Framework</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Annual Framework <p>Council Goals</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Council Goals 24/25
6.	Principal's Report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Principal's Report 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Halton2Go App - up and running and accessible to parents
7.	Trustee Report <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Had opportunity to spend a day on the land with the Rupertsland Institute to learn more about the Metis perspective ASCA - need to choose whether we opt in or opt out
8.	Teacher Report - Stephanie Monteith	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Back to School - it's been busy but everybody seems to be settling in

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • New bell schedule - it's been an adjustment, but it's nice to have daily consistency • PMD Policy - has been going better than expected, more conversation in class • Challenges to find other ways to complete activities where cell phones were used (alternate assessment where students used to use cell phones to record to make podcasts, or time science experiments) • Halton2Go - teachers are learning how to use it and are learning how to best use it to communicate with parents • ELW - lots of work but great value for kids
9.	<p>New Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sports Council 	<p>Parent Concerns/Questions</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requirements for students to be in good standing (academically and with regards to attendance) in order to be eligible to play • Scheduling (particularly for tournaments) - request for better and earlier communication of schedules • Coach Selection <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Is there an opportunity for others to express interest in coaching? • Questions about weekend policy for bussing? School is not offering transportation unless its for an overnight weekend trip • How can we support the student athletes more - offering clinics or camps? <p>S-Endorsement Training - the division does not have any funds to provide s-endorsement training.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class 4 + S-Endorsement required to drive white bus • Class 4 - Written test and medical • Consider teaming up with Livingstone to create opportunities for s-endorsement training • Also consider providing funds through booster club to cover costs associated with obtaining licensing
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10.	<p>Next Meeting Dates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monday, October 28, 2024 @ 5:00PM • BOOSTER CLUB Meeting - October 28 @ 6:00PM 	
11.	Meeting Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 6:07PM

Action Items	Person Responsible
Add PMD policy to next meeting agenda so that parents can provide feedback to the board.	Lori/Aynsley
Exploration of opportunity to provide s-endorsement training to potential bus drivers.	
Link updated athletic handbook within the app.	Bonnie/Bryan
<i>Items included below from previous meeting(s):</i>	
Create award sponsorship request package for businesses for next year.	Fall Project to work on with Parent Council
Inquire further about potential funding (grant proposal writing support) as well as potential connection with SASCI.	
Look into hosting an S-endorsement course in Pincher Creek for potential bus drivers.	Aynsley, Lacey & Lori
Clarification and information on white buses - Questions around costs for maintenance, gas, insurance, etc.	Lacey & Lori
Review Goals Framework document (Aynsley will send out) and provide feedback	All Council Members