

Rosemont School Council (RSC)
April 2025 Monthly Meeting Minutes

Purpose:

School Councils provide a means for parents and community to work together with administration, staff and students, to promote the well-being and overall effectiveness of the school community. Its main role is advisory and as follows:

1. To help build a sense of community within Rosemont School.
2. To develop and promote our school's presence within the larger community.
3. To promote parent involvement at Rosemont School.
4. To enhance the educational experiences of students at Rosemont School.
5. To develop a school financial plan to support chosen initiatives.

Date: Tuesday April 15, 2025

Location: Rosemont School (Room 6)

Time: 6:00 PM-7:00 PM

Attendees: Rachel Au, Kate Campbell, Jen Cooper, Brenna Doyle, Matthew Guilherme, Kim Hurtig, Raymond Johnson, Rebecca Jones, Victoria Ohlhauser, David Rasmussen, Andrea Robichaud, Haley Walker

AGENDA ITEMS

1. Call Meeting to Order	David Rasmussen	Meeting called to order by David R at 6:04.
2. Approval of Agenda	David Rasmussen	- Motion by David R to approve April 2025 Meeting Agenda. - Motion seconded by Raymond J. - All in favor – motion passed.
3. Approval of Minutes from last meeting	David Rasmussen	- Motion by David R to approve March 2025 Meeting Minutes. - Motion seconded by Matthew G. - All in favor – motion passed.
4. Business Arising from Minutes	David Rasmussen	None.
5. Teacher Update	Ms Brar Ms Sloman	Planned teacher update from Grade 5/6 teachers cancelled as both teachers are sick.
6. Principal's Update		
a. School Engagement Feedback	Andrea Robichaud Rebecca Jones	- School Planning Survey Results reviewed: https://rosemont.cbe.ab.ca/documents/e452c684-dbb1-4ee2-abf9-880f5a884c5b/Rosemont%20School%20Survey%202025.pdf - School Planning Meeting Evaluation Results reviewed: https://rosemont.cbe.ab.ca/documents/f85345c7-ec51-4f52-bc14-b6fa5cfa1ed7/Rosemont%20School%20Planning%20Meeting%20Evaluation.pdf - Overall, good feedback.
b. RAM Process	Andrea Robichaud Rebecca Jones	- Timeline: - April 10: RAM received. Admin is reviewing. - April 22: Admin to meet with CBE downtown. - May 1: Reconciliation of proposed budget. - May 29: any required openings are posted. - June 9: second round of postings. - More info to follow next meeting.
c. Restart Program	Andrea Robichaud Rebecca Jones	- Div II students currently taking this program addressing Physical Education and Wellness. 1 session / week x 10 weeks (ends June 5). - Hoping to get KickStart (for Div I) next year.
d. Upcoming Events	Andrea Robichaud Rebecca Jones	- Apr 17: Fun Snack (Cobbs) - Apr 23: Celebrate Character – Steve Harmer Assembly - Apr 24: Grade 1/2 Heritage Park Field Trip - May 5: Kindergarten Little Red Reading House

		• May 5: Div II Humane Society Presentation (Don't Feed the Bears) • May 6: Div I Humane Society Presentation (Bunnies and Hares) • May 6: Fun Lunch (Banzai) • May 8: Kindergarten and Grade 2/3 Celebration of Learning • May 13 – 15: Trickster Residency • May 13: Provincial Achievements start • May 16: Melrene Saloy-Eaglespeaker Residency • May 21: Grade 4/5 Calgary Zoo Field Trip • May 22: Kindergarten Welcome Night (4:15 – 6:00) • May 28: Grade 6 PAT ELAL Part A • June 2: Grade 5/6 Heritage Park Field Trip • June 4: Patroller Picnic (9:00 – 2:30) • June 6: Grade 6 Vaccinations • June 13: Grade 6 PAT Math Part A • June 16: Grade 6 PAT ELAL Part B • June 17: Grade 6 PAT Math Part B • June 18: Grade 6 PAT Social Studies • June 20: Summer Solstice – Whole School Learning on the Land • June 23: Sports Day / Fun Snack • June 24: Grade 6 Celebration • June 25: Family Fun Lunch Picnic 12:30 – 1:10) • June 25: Report Cards available on PowerSchool • June 26: Last Day of School – early dismissal (1:10)
e. Breakfast Program	Andrea Robichaud Rebecca Jones	• Background statistic data is showing need to provide breakfast to approximately 15 students. • Rosemont has submitted application – in queue (inspection complete). • Will be Grab & Go style to limit cooking requirements.
f. Parking	Andrea Robichaud Rebecca Jones	• Ongoing concerns. • EverActive, Calgary Police involved. • Collective Team to develop plan for new year.
g. RCC	Andrea Robichaud Rebecca Jones	• Still no firm update. • Happy Souls has applied to take over in-school care program.
7. Upcoming Events		
a. Movie Night	David Rasmussen	• Movie Night (Minecraft Movie) to be held Sunday April 27, 10am at Sunridge Cineplex. • Free tickets to volunteers and teachers. • Current budget = \$1000 may be insufficient to cover increased costs. ○ Motion by David R to shift available funds from Seasonal Party, Winter Carnival, and Parent Education Night (total = \$1500) to Movie Night to cover increased costs. ○ Motion seconded by Brenna D. ○ All in favor – motion passed. • When purchasing presale tickets, families will have option of donating to cover cost of ticket, so expecting some portion of costs will be covered.
b. Kindergarten Orientation	David Rasmussen	• Good idea for RSC to attend Kindergarten Orientation to introduce and promote RSC / RFS to new families. • David cannot attend. Raymond to check if he can attend.
c. October Costume Party	David Rasmussen	• Community Hall is reserved for Oct 24, 25, 26. • Planning committee to work with Jackie re Haunted House. • Motion by David to proceed with this event. • Motion seconded by Matthew G. • All in favor – motion passed. • Concerns around costumes – planning to keep this in mind.

8. Rosemont Community Liaison Update	Matthew Guilherme	• Pub Night held last Saturday – success. • Stampede Event planned for July 5. • Grade 6 Farewell booked for June 20 (5pm) ◦ Contract is outstanding – committee to work with Jackie to finalize this.
9. Parent Education Night	Jen Cooper	• Decision to postpone CBE Talk to start of next year – more timely delivery of information highlighting resources available. ◦ Plan to hold in September. • Still targeting to have Paul David do live talk in June. ◦ David R to email, cc Jen C to organize booking.
10. Volunteer Coordinator Update	Amy Cooper	• Still need more volunteers for casino. ◦ Kim H to send summary for Admin to include in Rosemont Reminder. • If outside volunteers are required to fill spots, consider gift of Movie Passes?
11. New Business	David Rasmussen	
a. Fun Lunch Update	Kate Campbell	• Kate C is stepping down – need a coordinator for next year. • Booking Family Fun Lunch Picnic is good opportunity for shadowing if anyone wants to take on role. • Any option to replace Popsicle Fun Snack (these are hard to keep cool). Kate to look into and send options.
b. Open Positions for 2025-26 Year	David Rasmussen	• Volunteer Coordinator • Fun Lunch Coordinator
12. Meeting Adjourned	David Rasmussen	• Meeting adjourned by David R at 7:10.
Next Meetings:	Tuesday May 20th 6pm (AGM)	