

Busby School Advisory Council
January 12, 2026—5:00pm
Busby School

1) Meeting called to order at 5:22pm by Victoria. Land Acknowledgement.

In attendance (18): Daryl Chattaroon, Victoria Demmink, Sylvia Fischbuck, Delanna Spargo, Kyli Ford, Jen Stoby, Miranda Srayko-Slifka, Charlene Hengen, Kendall Wojciechowski, Melissa Wortman, Megan Romaniuk, Autumn Hamilton, Alyssa Pfaeffli, Cheryl Hunter, Erin Hamaliuk (Harder), Aubrie Baddiuk, Superintendent Brett Cooper, Trustee Nolan Mast.

2) Previous meeting minutes: Sylvia adopted her November 3, 2026 minutes as presented and reviewed. Charlene seconded. Carried.

3) Standing business:

- a. Busby swag supplier: Previously discussed potentially using Burke. Go Logo (used a few years ago) had better pricing. Order sheet that went home on Nov. 3/25 reflected Go Logo prices (lower pricing). Ended up going with Go Logo for shirts, hoodies, and zips (Burke did not match). Victoria said they were very easy to deal with and would recommend in the future. Embroidery Den was used for toques (no minimum order of 24).
- b. Back to school pancake breakfast recap: Autumn made the motion that parent volunteers will continue to do the cooking. Charlene seconded. Carried.
- c. Playground slide repair: One of the support bars was coming up through the slide. Sam's step-dad, who is a welder, fixed the slide a second time over the holiday break. Facilities should be the ones dealing with the maintenance, but by the time they got back to the school, it was already done (possible miscommunication—Aubrie had been asked if she knew anyone local with a mobile welder, but Facilities would have covered the cost if the fix wasn't donated). In the future, Facilities (school board) should take care of the repairs out of the Facilities budget. The playground gets an annual inspection by a certified individual, but they can't anticipate one-offs like the slide. Criteria to actually shut down a playground is pretty high; may remove certain parts before that would happen.

4) New business:

- a. Hot lunch:
 - i. January 21 (grade 4): Alyssa is doing grilled cheese sandwiches and tomato soup
 - ii. February 18 (grade 3): Stephanie, Karin (not here today, Megan will reach out to them)
 - iii. Food dye concerns were raised, as certain students have sensitivities. If an easy dye-free substitution is available, it will be provided to those student specifically.

- b. Babysitting concerns: Last meeting was a bit unruly. This meeting and going forward, there is an adult (Sam Moffat) with helpers, and the kids are in the gym. Need babysitters who are at least 15 years old to watch them, with babysitting course preferred, and the appropriate number of babysitters per kids (today there are 20). At a previous meeting it was decided that there should be one babysitter per 5 kids. Last option would be switching to virtual meetings if the appropriate babysitting cannot be sourced (ie. Can no longer rely on the older elementary school students at our school).

5) Principal's report: see attached report, presented by Daryl.

[January 12, 2026 Principal's Report](#)

6) Trustee's report: see attached report, presented by Nolan.

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7) Adjournment

Next meeting is on March 9, 2026 at 4:15pm, Busby School.

Meeting adjourned at 6:32pm by Victoria.