



## SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING

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October 28, 2024 (5:00-6:15pm)

Matthew Halton High School

[Google Meet Link](#)

**Members Present:** Ashylla Smith (School Council Chair), Japhia Epp (Secretary), Jessica Ames (Principal), Jonina Millis (Assistant Principal), Kinzee Sabey (Vice Chair), Linda Trippel (Teacher), Marcie Barrios

- **Call to Order** (5:00pm) by Ashylla
  - Welcome and Introductions
- **Review of Minutes from Last Meeting (below) (Approve: Second: )**
- **Additions to the Agenda:**
- **Reports**
  - School Council Executive:
  - [Trustee Report:](#)
  - [Principal's Report](#)
- **Past Business**
  - [Combined School Council Meeting Ideas](#) - Every spring and fall have combined meetings
    - Meeting with MHHS Oct. 28th @5pm- grant writing ideas with Liza
  - [4 Day School Week Engagement](#)
    - Communication for feedback
    - School trustee? Parent engagement in October, in what capacity?
    - [4dayweek@lrsd.ab.ca](mailto:4dayweek@lrsd.ab.ca) email to direct questions/concerns
- **New Business**
  - [Emergency Closure Continued Learning Pilot Program](#)
    - Home Packets sent home
  - Hot Lunch Program Launched
  - [Canyon 24-25 LRSD Education Plan](#)
    - [MRA Guide for Leadership Goal](#), [Canyon MRA 2024](#)
- **Booster Society Items/Updates**
  - Welcome Back BBQ Feedback - September 12
  - Hot Lunch:
    - Hotdogs - November, January, March
    - Taco in a Bag - February, April
    - Chinese - December?
  - Requests: laminator, The Wild Robot class set
  - Fundraiser - Fill Your Freezer - will look at for next March/April

- **Next Meeting Date** - Wednesday, November 20, 2024?
  - a. **MHHS Council Meeting Dates:**
    - i. Monday Nov 18 5-6 PM
    - ii. Monday Jan 20 5-6PM
    - iii. Monday Feb 24 5-6PM
    - iv. Monday March 17 5-6PM
    - v. Monday April 14 5-6PM
    - vi. Monday May 12 5-6 PM
- **Adjourned** (6:15pm?)

**September 25, 2024 (5:00-6:15pm)**  
**Downstairs Meeting Room**

**Members Present:** Ashylla Smith (School Council Chair), Japhia Epp (Secretary), Jessica Ames (Principal), Jonina Millis (Assistant Principal), Kinzee Sabey (Vice Chair), Linda Trippel (Teacher), Marcie Barrios

- **Call to Order** (5:04pm) by Ashylla
  - Welcome and Introductions
- **Review of Minutes from Last [Meeting June 19, 2024](#)** (Approve: Ashylla Second: Kinzee )
- **Additions to the Agenda:** none at this time
- **Reports**
  - School Council Executive: Positions (Chair: Ashylla Smith, Vice Chair: Kinzee Sabey, Secretary - Japhia Epp) - Members remaining in current positions. No new nominations.
    - [School Council Annual Report](#)
      - Sent to board on what the council has done the past year
    - [Admin Procedure 110 School Councils](#)
    - [Canyon School Council Operating Procedures](#)
  - [Trustee Report](#): None at this time
  - [Principal's Report](#)
    - Main points:
      - Welcoming a few new staff members this year, still looking for 2 full time EAs to fill positions.
      - Enrollment at 259 students which is comparable to this time last year. Final count will be done at the end of the month
      - Operating budget down \$2000 from last year
      - Teacher representative Mrs. Trippel spoke to the view of being at a new school, teaching a split class and boasted the things that Canyon School is doing well. GO CANYON!
- **Past Business**
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- [4 Day School Week Engagement](#)
  - Communication for feedback
  - School trustee? Parent engagement in October, in what capacity?
  - [4dayweek@lrsd.ab.ca](mailto:4dayweek@lrsd.ab.ca) email to direct questions/concerns
  
- **New Business**
  - Board Policy 24: [Personal Mobile Devices and Social Media in Schools](#)
    - Board policy in review with each division and school having their own plan
    - So far going over well, some feedback on kids with smart watches on how to navigate those.
  - Hot Lunch Program Donation - Fortis
    - Do we still want to use Healthy Hunger? Seems to be working well
    - Continue with Pizza Hut and Subway from last year with other options coming up
  - Input on [Canyon LRSD AERR 2024/2025](#)
  - [Canyon 24-25 LRSD Education Plan](#)
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- **Adjourned** (6:19pm)