

Sunnyside School Council Meeting Agenda

Thursday, February 6th, 2025 from 6pm

1. Call to order, welcome, and introductions
 - a. With gratitude, mutual respect, and reciprocity, we acknowledge the ancestral home, culture, and oral teachings of the Treaty 7 signatories which include the **Siksika Nation, Piikani Nation, Kainai Nation, the Îlethka Stoney Nakoda Nation**, consisting of the **Chiniki, Bearspaw**, and **Good Stoney** Bands, and the people of the **Tsuut'ina** Nation. The City of Calgary is also homeland to the historic **Northwest Métis** and to the **Otipemisiwak Métis Government, Métis Nation Battle River Territory, Nose Hill Métis District 5** and **Elbow Métis District 6**.

<https://www.calgarylibrary.ca/connect/indigenous-services/land-acknowledgment/>
2. Approval of agenda
3. Approval of minutes from last meeting
4. School updates
 - a. Shannon's update
 - b. Grade teacher's update
5. Business arising from minutes
 - a. Addendums
 - b. Actions
 - i. Natascia + Marta: collaborate on the topic of kids in need
 - ii. Natascia: connect with Shannon on sensory room ideas
 - iii. Natascia: contact local businesses about raising money/getting donation
 - iv. Andrea: talk to employer about charity donation matching
 - v. Malcolm: confirm the date and time for the inaugural Math Outreach session
 - vi. Stuart: find out more about the ASCA grant, what it can and can't be used for, and circulate the knowledge

Email was circulated on January 9, 2025. Here are the examples:

Permitted:

Information sessions on how parents can support student learning home and at school

Parent resources and workshops on topics such as: mental health and well-being, cyber bullying, healthy living etc.

Programs to support multi-cultural and Indigenous families

Parent resources and tools in multiple languages

Parent engagement in promoting the value of arts

Events to engage parents on important local issues

Forbidden:

Meals, snacks or other food

Capital asset purchases (i.e. furniture, technology, etc.)

Activities that have occurred prior to the date of the provision of funds

Organization membership or conference fees

Fundraising events

Prizes or incentives for parents and/or students

Payment to school board staff (honoraria, gifts)

Entertainment activities such as barbeques, volunteer teas, dances, concerts or performances, etc.

- vii. Everyone: come up with ideas for the ASCA grant before the next meeting (February)

6. New business

- a. Purdy's fundraiser came in at \$492.85 (profit).
- b. Casino retro. What went well? Any learnings for next time? Etc.
- c. Math Outreach retro. Did it happen? How did it go? Will we do more? Etc.
- d. ASCA grant: what shall we use it for?
- e. Recent data breach—what do we know?

7. Any other business

8. Adjournment

Next meeting: Thursday, March 6th, 2025