

Beddington Heights School Parent Council Meeting  
AGM  
May 6th, 2025

<b>Present:</b>	Jennifer Razzo	Rachael Tipper	Nicole Lamboo
	Anna Nekola	Natalie Gamache	Ellyse Lambie
	Caroline Stuart	Rachelle Skilling	Brooklyn Shill
	Stef Steele	Steve Ross	

<b>Regrets:</b>	Ziba Vahedi	Aundy Thillmann
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**Parents:** Opal Ewing

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**Acknowledgement of the Land:** Steve Ross

**Additions to Agenda:**

- none

**Bouquets:**

- To Mrs. Tipper and Mr. Ross for Volunteer Tea
- To Parent Council for being a great, dedicated group

**Adoption of Minutes:** April 1st 2025

- Ellyse Lambie
- Stefanie Steele

**Principal's Report:** Steve Ross

- Sound Kreations this Friday
- What should BHS continue to invest in?
  - Alien Inline: \$3,500
  - Flag Football: \$450 for 4 days
  - Sound Kreations
- Hats On For Mental Health
- School Dance (May 22)
  - Staff at door
  - Parent Council member as security
- SJAM Open House May 29th
- Volunteer Requests
  - Storybook theatre

- Kindergarten is covered
  - Grade 4 ok without volunteers
- PATs
  - Bathroom runner
- Funding Requests
  - Patroller Picnic
    - Bus \$300, Heritage Park admission covered
      - Already granted
  - Mathletics standing order
- Mr James Quigley
  - Update on Gardening Project
    - Beddington Heights Garden Club
      - Educational garden for learning
      - 23 students comprise club
      - THANK YOU to Parent Council for funding
      - Stairway Garden in back
      - Goals
        - Rejuvenate ignored spaces
        - Build sense of pride
        - Build community connection
        - Create spaces + opportunities for kids to learn
        - Build knowledge of indigenous plants
      - Hoping for ongoing club
      - Awaiting word from Calgary Foundation for grant money
      - Engage w/ gr 6 on Legacy Project with garden
      - Should we have a school flower? Vote on?
  - Funding Request
    - Tools for project and upkeep
    - Acquire plants
    - Funding for grade 6 Legacy Project
    - Volunteers for planting, watering, summer support
    - Some financial support if Calgary Foundation grant not given
      - Tier One: \$1750.00
        - Plants \$1250 (perennials), tools \$250, mulch \$250
      - Tier Two: \$3000.00
        - tools \$450, mulch \$250, bulbs, perennials \$2300
      - Tier Three: \$4600.00
        - tools, mulch, signage, fencing, boards, decoration, compost, indigenous consultant

**Vice Principal Report: Rachael Tipper**

- Celebration of Learning

- Excellent turnout for both performances
- Volunteer Tea

**Chairperson Report:** Jennifer Razzo

- none

**Vice Chairperson Report:** Stefanie Steele

- none

**Fundraising Report:** Caroline Stuart and Ziba Vahedi

- Growing Smiles Fundraiser order April 13th-May 8, Delivery May 23
  - At 65% of goal

**Special Events Report:** Stef Steele, Aundy Thillmann

- School Dance May 22nd
  - Volunteers needed

**Kindergarten Report:** Natalie Gamache

- none

**Charity Report:** vacant position

**Fun Lunch Report:** Rachelle Skilling

- Saucy Bread Company, May 22nd
- Fewer orders than usual so far, 213 orders, 7 donated

**Volunteer Coordinator Report:** Nicole Lamboo

- Office cutting and laminating
- Grade 1 Teachers Pet May 13-14
- Dance setup - May 22nd
- Casino
  - Dance and casino open to public, not just registered volunteers
  - Casino June 20-21

**Community Rep Report:** Korin Peacock

- April 6 Community garden registration, \$35 for the season
- May 10 City of Calgary clean up at Huntington Hills Community Centre 9AM-2PM
- Sleddington June 28th

**Key Communicators Report:** Ellyse Lambie

- Meeting recorded, links to information

- <https://www.cbe.ab.ca/about-us/policies-and-regulations/Pages/Governance-Policies.aspx>
- <https://cbe.ab.ca/about-us/board-of-trustees/advocacy-priorities/Pages/default.aspx>
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- Municipal election in October
  - Vote for trustees

**Casino Report:** Aundy Thillmann

- ACE Casino (June 20-21)
- Licensing went through
- Volunteers needed

**Grade 6 Farewell Report:** Brooklyn Shill

- Dance in the afternoon
- June 25th (second to last day of school)

**Additions to Agenda:**

- none

**New Business:** none

**Motion to Adjourn:**

- Ellyse Lambie
- Brooklyn Shill

Meeting Adjourned at: 7:32pm

Next Meeting: June 3rd 2025 at 6:30 PM