



230 Coalbanks Blvd. West Lethbridge, Ab – T1J 4V4

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Mr. J. Gentile, Principal

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Coalbanks School Council Minutes

December 10, 2020

- 1) **Call to Order:** Chris Roedler 6:33pm
- 2) **Review of Agenda:** Chris Roedler
- 3) **Approval of Previous Minutes:** Chris Roedler. Motion to accept by Kendra Yoshida, Karla Wright seconds.
- 4) **School Admin Reports:** Joey Gentile
 - i. January 2021 – Online learning for all students the week of January 5-8.
 - a. Homeroom teachers will be in contact by December 18th with specific details. Sister school is General Stewart, some videos and instruction may not be you child’s homeroom teacher. Live instruction will be provided two times daily and instructions will be recorded by teachers that will be available to view later in the day.
 - b. Ensure your Teams is working properly before we return from Christmas break.
 - c. January 4th will be a preparation and planning day for teachers getting ready for online learning. **There will be no instruction that day.**
 - ii. Student personal use of Teams. Teams is for educational purposes only. Students are not to be using for personal chat rooms.
 - iii. Parking around the school community in Copperwood and where complaints should be directed to. Police have been issuing tickets. Parents are encouraged to record license plate numbers and report to police, not to the school. Please respect driveway’s and crosswalk boundaries.



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- iv. Themes for Christmas during the last week of school in December.
Themes were voted on by students.
December 14th: Pajama Day
December 15th: Ugly Sweater Day
December 16th: Grinch Day
December 17th: Wear Red & Green Day
December 18th: Polar Express Day
- v. We would like to get some feedback from parents around this years' approach of conducting interviews before Report Cards. How did parents perceive this? Parents are encouraged to email Mr. Gentile with any comments or concerns (joey.gentile@lethsd.ab.ca). Upwards 85% of parents participated in interviews via TEAMS and phone.

5) School Council Reports:

- i. Treasurer: Dina Mustedanagic. Nothing to report, nothing coming out or into the account. Playground equipment was approved for up to \$2000 (4 kits x \$360/kit) plus bins for storage that have been ordered.

6) Committee Reports:

- i. District School Councils – Kathie Burnett attended on behalf of Coalbanks. Minutes from this meeting will be attached. Division School Council meetings take place the first Monday of each month, open to all parents via TEAMS (link available on the division website) January session will focus on healthy activities for children and youth.

7) Old Business

- i. Hot lunch tabled until the February meeting as protocols and restrictions are constantly being updated and revised by AHS and Lethbridge School Division.



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- ii. Operating procedures will be fine-tuned with Alberta School Councils and new proposals will be shared at a future meeting.

8) **New Business-** None.

9) **Adjournment:** 7:03pm

Next Meeting: **February 4, 2021 @ 6:30 – 7:30 pm via Teams.**