

Del Van Gorder School Council Minutes
October 6, 2014

Present: Tina Freake (Chairperson), Ted Baker (Secretary/Treasurer), Joy Hack,
Angela Magon (Principal)

Observer: Steve Marsh

1. Meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. Steve Marsh, filling in for Brenda Mitchell for 3 months, was introduced.
2. Motion to accept the agenda as amended. Carried.
3. Motion to accept the minutes as presented. Carried.
4. Reports:
 - Principal's Report** – written report presented. Highlights included:
 - another excellent REM experience at Dawson
 - school growth plan meetings Oct 16, 23
 - school review coming Oct 28-29
 - process for parent-initiated concerns re: teachers discussed

 - Treasurer's Report** – Written report presented by Ted. Forms were distributed re: SIN numbers. Still waiting for new cheque signing card to be completed.
5. Delegates: None.
6. Business Arising from Minutes: None.
7. Correspondence: None.
8. New or Unfinished Business:
 - a. Recreation Center fees – Angela will contact Town to seek 'reasonable' fees
 - b. Playground – no movement. Council agreed to initiate a fundraising campaign to raise up to \$100,000 for the purchase and installation of a playground.
 - c. Photographer – still pursuing a photographer to take school pictures
 - d. School Council Conference – Ted reported on his time at conference, noting the emphasis placed on 'self-regulation' and the new curriculum design.
 - e. DVG fundraiser – all agreed to center on playground equipment.
9. Items for Future Agenda:
 - a. Rec Fees
 - b. Playground fundraiser
 - c. School Review report
10. In Camera: no session held.
11. Next Meeting – Nov 3, 2014 at 7:00 pm
12. Motion by Tina for adjournment at 9:40 p.m.

Tina Freake, Chairperson

Ted Baker, Secretary/Treasurer