

## GVRA Parent Council Meeting January 13th, 2025 6pm

<u>Agenda Items</u>	
<b>Call to Order</b>	<b>Motion: Laura W Second Sariah S</b>
<b>Approval of Agenda</b>	<b>Motion: Laura W Second Sariah S</b>
<b>Approval of Minutes</b>	
<b>Principal's Report</b>	<b>Candice McLeod - see attached</b>
<b>Staff Update</b>	<p><b>Laureen Sandin</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Debriefed on field trips, parent volunteers in the classroom since last meeting, positive feedback for her</li> <li>-Recycling/Bottle depot account fundraiser gr ¾</li> <li>-GaGa ball pit with junior highs</li> <li>-K-4 literacy screening to come in the future. Staff will utilize this for next steps for teaching in the classrooms as well</li> </ul>
<b>Board Report</b>	<b>none</b>
<b>Correspondence</b>	
<b>Old Business</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Your Green Kitchen Fundraiser - approved for feb 21, -online payment</li> <li>● Seed Fundraiser- may be too late</li> <li>● QR code for outdoor rink - to be done by a parent volunteer, on a list</li> <li>● Gym Gear/Hockey Nets -</li> <li>● Parent Council email - gvrarentcouncil@gmail.com</li> <li>● Signal app update - now setup</li> <li>● Coop account update - ask Sandrelle, old Gwynne school account exists</li> </ul>
<b>New Business</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Permaculture opportunity with Alana Schamber of Tin Forest Farm - volunteer to help set up permaculture here at the school</li> <li>● Letter for sponsorship/partnerships - Mrs Mcloud to provide a letter explaining our charter and values</li> <li>● Greenhouse/Chicken coop- will look in to chicken in the future not for this spring</li> <li>● Growing Smiles Spring flower fundraiser-May delivery?</li> <li>● Teachers wish list for "life skills" to be taught in classroom, so resources can found, Mrs Mcloud will</li> </ul>

	<p>work with Mrs Penny and Board - one is started</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provincial Skills competition Edmonton May 6th-7th, Mrs McCloud to look into field trip/ which grades can participate</li></ul>
<b>Open Discussion</b>	<b>Power school is not popular with this group of parents, We are excited have weekly emails from teachers letting us see what is happening in the classrooms</b>
<b>Adjournment</b>	<b>Motion: Ashley 8:10</b>
<b>Next Meeting Date</b>	<b>February 10th, 6pm</b>