



Ross Glen School Council  
Tuesday, March 3, 2026  
**MINUTES**

Treaty 7: “I’d like to acknowledge that we are on Treaty 7 territory, the traditional territories of the Blackfoot Nations, including Siksika, Piikani, and Kainai, the Tsuut’ina Nation and Stoney Nakoda First Nations. We acknowledge all the many First Nations, Metis, and Inuit whose footsteps have marked these lands for centuries.”

In attendance: **Candice Barton, Kristin Haland, Alaina Snider, Shauna Mandel, Cassy Whitford, Gwendoline Dirk, Catherine Wilson, Adele Henderson, Natosha Mastel**

### 1.0 Opening

- 1.1 Call to order and introductions- **called to order at 7:05pm**
- 1.2 Additions/changes to the agenda- **no changes**
- 1.3 Adoption of the minutes from February’s meeting- **Candice motioned to approve, Cassy seconded**

### 2.0 Information Sharing

#### 2.1 School Update

- Staff Rep Update- Mrs. Mandel
  - **Student-Led Conferences- March 18/19 3-6pm**
  - **Annegret’s Chocolate fundraiser taking place**
  - **100 days of School- Fri. March 6th**
  - **Cereal Box Drive for the Root Cellar- domino activity will take place at the Spirit Day Assembly**
  - **Shamrock Shakes- Mon. March 16th- delivered on March 17th**
  - **Gr. 4-6 Handball Tournament March 14th**
  - **Gr. 4-6 Wrestling**
  - **Science Fair- Mon. March 9th**
  - **Jampail Bonspiel(4/5M and Athletic Academy students)- March 10th**
  - **Funding Requests-**
    - **Grade 4 - Elkwater Community Classroom-requesting \$420 Alaina motioned to approve request, Cassy seconded**
    - **Grade 5- Culinary Session, Rattlers Basketball session during lunch, and Badlands Training Center activities-requesting \$450 and \$260= \$710**
    - **Alaina motioned to approve request, Cassy seconded**

- Admin update-
  - **Student-Led Conferences-** sign up to go out next week, K classes will do Parent Teacher Interviews
  - **Classroom Complexity-** Government has provided funding to schools, based on data, to help with school complexities. We will be hiring a 0.9 teacher and 1.5 EA. Jenn Torrie has been increased to full time with some of the funding to support K\_6 in the mornings.

2. 2 Treasurer's Report- Alaina- **About \$21000 in account, will be getting mobile deposit set up, will update with recent hot lunches, will connect with Miss Foster about classroom allotment**

### 3.0. Committees -

3.1 Division Council of School Councils- no report

- **Next meeting is March 12th (virtual)**

3.2 Hot Lunch- **going well, teachers appreciate the bags being labeled, March is homemade grilled cheese, banana chocolate chip loaves, and peach cups, hot lunch provided after Spring Break- most likely Subway**

3.3 Events-

- **Read-A-Thon- Mrs. Mandel spoke about using a bookmark to track reading minutes (instead of the calendar)- will use same format as last year with tracking minutes  
April 13th- May 1st- reading timeline  
April 13th- Kick-off Assembly at 11:15am  
May 8th- Prize Day**

3.4 Fundraising- **Annegret's fundraiser is online- March 11th is deadline to order, Maverick's tickets will be available**

4.0 Old Business- **no old business**

5.0 New Business- **no new business**

Adjournment of School Council- **Adjourned at 8pm**