

**Cochrane High School  
School Council  
School Council Meeting  
Monday February 6, 2017 @ 7:00pm  
Minutes**

In Attendance:

Carrie Cline, Dawn Collings, Gale Cote, Shelby Wunder, Valerie Cote, Catherine Burdett, Ed Polhill, Colleen Munro, Coralie Banash, Teriann Novakowski

**A) Welcome & Introductions**

- Carrie called the meeting to order at 7:04 pm.

**B) Approval of Agenda**

- Approved by Teriann Novakowski, seconded by Gail Cote

**C) Approval of Minutes**

Approval of January 2017 minutes by Coralie Banash, seconded by Dawn Collings

**D) Reports**

**D.1. Student Senate - Shelby**

- Hoops for a Cure was held on Feb 1<sup>st</sup> and raised approx. \$786 for Cancer
- Cochrane Classic Hockey Game - February 15<sup>th</sup> – in support of the Activates
- Guest speaker coming on March 3 – Adam??? Olympic Rower
- Senate decided on the We Day project to help fund a school abroad

**D.2. Admin**

- Second semester starts Jan 31
- Flex is changing to Conn3ct – attendance will be mandatory
- Pilot Project – Serious Math Block: Math-30, Math-31 and Math-35 will run as consecutive classes still working the details
- New potential sponsor for the Pumpkin carving event
- Open House for new students in set for March 7 @ 6p,
- New class time tables will begin on March 27 starting with the grade 12
- Curling mixed teams are onto Zones
- Basketball teams are doing well during there season
- Former Alum – Dave Ducket – putting together a 5-year plan for donations to CHS
  - \$50,000 to band program yr. 1
  - Other potential projects: Arts – New Lyceum, Fitness Centre, larger bus

**D.3. Staff**

- Diploma results backs in 2 weeks
- Wrestling, Badminton, Curling (over 100 students)
- Guest speaker Ada Kreek – March 3<sup>rd</sup>
- Fiddler on the Roof – March 22-25
- Band – festival season

- Grade 9 Band Camp – Evergreen
- Mar 7 – Open House for Grade 8 students
- Apr. 26 – Staff Appreciation Day

**D.4. Trustee (Colleen)**

- Funding framework to be discussed with the minister
- Cochrane has had 33% growth in the last 4 years
- Fireside boundaries need to be changed
- Glen bow and Mitford will hang on to their original boundary areas – they can accommodate this without issue
- Cleaned up transportation policy
- Will be approaching the Town of Cochrane regarding getting an RCMP – Dedicated resource officer for all three high schools
- Better connection to the students
- Funded by the town which is why their buy-in is required
- Current state is one connected to the schools but not dedicated to them – appears when needed and there is no relationship building

**D.5. Executive (Carrie)**

- Nothing to discuss

Meeting Adjourned at 8:15pm

Next meeting – March 6 – 7pm