



## **Alexander School Parent Council**

**December 12, 2025**

Present: Lindsay Filewich, Richelle Treloar, Heather Thomas, Kerri Wheaton, Justin Wheaton, Lacey Lavallee, Marnie Loewen

Regrets:

1. Meeting called to order at 7:00 PM by President Richelle Treloar.
2. Minutes from November 12, 2025 meeting read by Richelle Treloar

Motion	To accept the minutes from the November meeting			
Move	Second	In Favor	Opposed	Status
Heather Thomas	Lacey Lavallee	6	0	Carried

3. Treasurer's Report:

Bank Balances (Does not include Brothwell cheese and East 40)

PC Account: \$12,439.00

Canteen Account: \$4,206.68

Motion	To accept the treasurers report as presented.			
Move	Second	In Favor	Opposed	Status
Heather Thomas	Justin Wheaton	6	0	Carried

4. The Parent Council discusses the budget consultation with Lindsay. The BSD budget is starting in a deficit with the biggest cost being the teachers collective agreement.

Points from the Parent council:

Safety and security items - The children are very trusting and tend to open the door for people. A video intercom system and a new buzzer would be a great investment.

Professional Development - Despite PD days being set by the province, the parent council feels the timing can be improved so the children don't come in for a Monday and then a PD day is on Tuesday. The Parent council feels if the PD days were strictly on Monday or Friday it would be beneficial to all.

The parent council decides to set the priority list the same as the previous year.

5. The Parent council discusses the staff gifts and pancake breakfast.

Staff gifts:

- Lacey has put together gift baskets for the staff room. Thank you Lacey.
- Richelle will be getting the gift cards for our bus drivers.

Pancake breakfast:

- Candy canes will be brought by Heather
- Strawberries will be brought by Reagan
- Cutlery and plates will be provided by the school canteen
- Richelle will pick up whatever is left
- Darrell has decided he does not want to do santa this year
- Volunteers: Heather, Chanlee, Jody, Alex, Reagan

6. The Parent Council discusses the Gagapit. Mr. Webber has gotten a grant from healthy schools for \$700 but is asking the Parent Council if they would be willing to contribute the other \$800. The parent council discusses how much the children are enjoying the gagapit and that they have been able to use it in the past at Parent council events, and hopefully in the future.

Motion	To spend \$800 on the Gagapit.			
Move	Second	In Favor	Opposed	Status
Kerri Wheaton	Justin Wheaton	6	0	Carried

7. Principals Report read by Lindsay Filewich.
8. The next meeting is scheduled for January 15, 2026 at 7:00 PM. The safe schools meeting will follow.
9. Meeting Adjourned at 7:46 PM