



SALISBURY MORSE PLACE SCHOOL
HOME OF THE VIPERS

CSA Meeting February 17th, 2026
Online TEAMS Meeting @ 5:30pm

Attendees: SMP Admin: Tanis Ziprick, Chris Coppinger
CSA Chair: Amanda Yakel
Secretary: Teresa Sousa
Fundraising Committee: Crystal Samuel
Parent / Community Members: Ramona Lukaschuk, Lyssa Anderson, Katelyn Martin

1) Welcome, Call to Order, Time: 5:31pm

2) Old Business

- Approval of old minutes - 1st - Ramona 2nd - Crystal
- A word document containing the results from the Teacher Survey has been created and it has been requested that the document be emailed out to all present members to view in preparation for next CSA where it will be determined how / what we want to act on (in terms of requests)
- Connection Council - since the last CSA meeting, the council has send out PDF slides from their last meeting and Amanda will work on a presentation to have ready for the next Student Led Conference.

3) Principal's Report

1. Staff Professional Development

- Jan 30 - Staff came together to work on our School-Wide Book Study - "Fostering Resilient Learners: Strategies for Creating a Trauma-Sensitive Classroom."; our FI teaching team attended a language p.d. with all FI schools in the division. Afternoon was spend with a variety of grade level/specialist level groupings.
- Feb 2 - All EY personnel went to ERP school for divisional p.d. on Play-based learning; MY teachers met here at ESMP with three other k-8 schools and their MY staff on "The Profile of the MY Learner"; specialist and grade level groups had time to plan for co-teaching. Afternoon was spent as a staff of land-based learning with an Indigenous guest speaker.
- March 6 - Administrative day, where we are working on finalizing report cards in the morning and afternoon, p.d.

2. Upcoming Dates

- Feb 19 @ 6:00pm - Kindergarten 26/27 Open House in our Library (CSA will have representation there)
- Feb 26 @ 6:00pm - Gr 6 Open House in our Library (CSA will have representation there)
- March 2 @ 8:30am - Registration opens for new kindergarten students. Parents must bring a brith or baptismal certificate or a passport for their child as proof of age. For proof of residency, we require two pieces of information from the following list: a driver's license, a Manitoba Health

card, a tenancy agreement, or an offer to purchase document to help us identify that ESMP is the designated school for our child to register. If you or someone you know has a child turning 5 on or before Dec 31/26, please share this information with them.

- March 19 & 20 - Student Led Conferences. We are continuing to use Conference Manager to book appointments. Note that we have conferences Friday morning as well as Thursday after school/evening (different from our Term 1 format).
- March 25 - 27 - Grade 7 & 8 Band Camp - we have already had our parent information evening during last month's TEAMS BPA meeting.
- Bus Evacuation Drills - will begin in Term 3 after Spring Break
- Fire Drills - will continue so that we have completed our 10 per school year

4) Lunch Program Report

- The Lunch Program is looking for more Supervisors. If you are interested in the position, please contact ESMP Admin team.

5) Treasurer's Report

	Expenses	Profits
Previous Balance (Jan 20, 2026)		\$ 3,693.41
<u>Received:</u>		
M.Y. Band Concert Seat Draw		\$ 32.00
<u>Transfers:</u>		
Payment to C. Samuel (Dasch farewell gift card)	- \$ 45.00	
Balance at Feb 17, 2026		\$ 3,680.41

6) Fundraising Report

Mabel's Labels - On going year round via the SMP e-Memo

Kernels Popcorn

- Order forms going out later this week, orders due ~ March 12. K-8 Fundraiser focus.
- Discussion on when to have distribution date: either the week before Spring break (Monday or Tuesday), or March 19 & 20 during Student Led Conference
- Price point is just \$2.50 per bag,
- Discussion on purchasing ~ 100 extra bags of popcorn to sell at the door → see New Business for motion.

Glenlea Fundraiser

- Open for orders Mar 1st, online orders
- Already set up and ready to go

7) Greenspace Report

- Councillor Durand-Wood's office finally reached out to us (CSA) and they want to set up a meeting date. They suggested a tentative date of March 10th in the AM, and Crystal accepted with Amanda

8) New Business / Open Discussion

- Motion : to put forward \$200 towards purchasing extra bags of popcorn to sell during Student Led conference during Kernels pick up - *motion passed*.
- Motion : to put forward \$400 towards purchasing Oh Doughnuts for staff appreciation (April 10th) - *motion passed*.
- Amanda Y reminds us that RETSD usually has board meetings every month, we are encouraged to register online to attend one of the meetings. March 3rd is the next meeting; extremely important budget meeting coming up as well - March 5th 7-8 pm

9) Meeting Adjourned: 6:12pm

Next CSA Meeting:

March 17th 2026, in person at 5:30pm in the ESMP Library