

## School Council Meeting Minutes

Date: November 3, 2025

Time: 6:00-7:30 pm

Location: Ernest Public School - Staff Room

Chair/Co-Chair: Brian and Laura

Secretary: Bianca

Treasurer: Nas

Principal: Mrs. Lockett

Attendees: Mrs. Adler, Lisa, Rizki and Cristina

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### 1. Structured Literacy Program Update

- Kindergarten students received materials to support literacy.
- Activities include letter manipulation, word parts, irregular words.
- UFly method modeled for teachers.
- Next steps: Morphe Magic program, PD sessions.

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### 2. Fun Fair Planning

- Date: Saturday, June 13 (rain date June 20).
- Activities: bouncy castle, face painting, balloon twisting, raffle, refreshments.
- Food: BBQ vs school-prepared; halal/vegetarian options.
- Action items: vendor list, quotes, coordinators, mini-meeting.

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### 3. Santa / Christmas Giving Program

- Support two families with gifts, clothing, food, gift cards.
- Flyer by Risky; printing by Christina.
- Collection: December 12.
- Possible mitten tree and Fire Services pickup.

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4. School Awards Discussion

- 2 students per class per assembly with clear rubric.
- Explanations required; encourage peer recognition.

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5. Crossing Guard Appreciation

- \$50 gift card approved.

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6. Music Program / December Family Event

- Replace concert with Family Funfest and snack table fundraising.

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7. Fundraising Ideas

- Talent show, Treat Fridays, Subway fundraiser, Lunchbox program, chocolate/poinsettia/cards.

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8. After-School / Lunch Clubs

- Lego, board games, art, chess, storytelling, puzzles.
- Police checks required.

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9. Volunteer Requirements

- Police check + annual offense declaration.

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10. Upcoming Dates

- Progress report interviews next week.
- Next meeting: Wednesday, December 3.

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## 11. Action Items

- Talent Show planning.
- Treat Fridays organization.
- Subway fundraiser setup.
- Lunch clubs coordination.
- Police check updates.
- Fundraiser decisions.
- Post meeting minutes.