

**2025-2026  
ÉGVS**



## **Parent Council Meeting Minutes**

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**Meeting Date:** Monday Mar 16, 2026

**Time:** 6:00 p.m.

**Location:** École George V School Staff room

### **Minutes:**

1. **In attendance:** Brianne Hebert (*Principal*); Ashley Hoffman (*Chair*); Sabrina McGee (*Vice Chair*); Kathy Biegun (*Secretary*); Jon-Paul LeBlanc (*Treasurer*); Nicky LeBlanc (*Fundraising*)
  - **Virtual attendees:** none
  - **Regrets:** Bhawna Batra (*Central District Advisory*)
2. Approval of Agenda (Approved by Kathy & Nicky)
3. Approval of Minutes from February (Approved by Kathy & Nicky)
4. Principal's Report (*Brianne*)
  - see attached. PAC additions/notes in *italics*
5. Reports
  - PAC Treasurer Report (*Jon-Paul*)
    - current balance 798.80
    - Debits in Feb \$250 for craft supplies
    - Feb 18 balance \$801.20
    - \$2.50 maintenance fee
  - PAC Lunch Program wrap up and reconciliation of finances/account (*Sabrina*)
    - Not present- will move to next month's meeting as a priority topic
    - Anecdotal feedback that some parents not paid full amount from 2025 school year (outstanding from June)
    - Notes from June 2025 minutes:
      - *Balance \$2934.75 as at today's date. Includes debit \$749.98 (CRA); and pending debit \$92.09 (pension insurance earnings); \$450 for taxes + \$130 buffer*
      - *Pending payroll for June \$1849 + Sabrina's pay; 45 families owing \$1575 in fees. Concern re: sufficient funds to cover all pending expenses/payroll and close account. Reminder sent to families*
6. Follow up/previous business
  - Chalmers school zone 311 follow up (*Jon-Paul*)
    - Re: 30 zone
      - ticket was closed
      - No warning sign to say approaching a 30 zone, no sign indicating the 30 zone



- Employee asked about sign location- on public/private property, they will have someone come look at it.
- Asked about one-way street-
  - they need to have someone look at making it westbound only during certain hours
  - 10-14 days to resolve
- Update from city councillor re: playground upgrades (*Nicky*)
  - \$25,000 grant Called "Sandbox Grant"- can it be a swingset? Deadline March 31 to apply
  - Application to be completed- Brianna shared with Mary, confirmed it's an upgrade but keep the existing; look at processes and divisional requirements we need in place for us to apply
  - Can we look at nets on basketball hoops or soccer fields? Safety issue; noted that other schools in LRSD have them
- March Domino's fundraiser (*Nicky*)
  - Pick 3 weeks, 1 week is fundraiser -Selected spring break as the week we want most
  - Payable to school account, to be written back to PAC
  - Would help us fundraise for BBQ at start of year or year end celebration
- RBC CTF Grant- celebration of learning event planning? (*Kathy*)
  - Volunteers would help direct parents around the school (not a lot to do)
  - Sabrina emailed slurpee truck for year end celebration
  - May movie night - fundraiser for swings, RBC volunteers help run it.

7. New business

- Coordinating book fair volunteering (*all*)
  - Clarify and coordinate together for upcoming events- school to run it, parent council can opt to volunteer. Funds raised go towards buying books for the school.
- **Central District Advisory Committee Meeting- April 23 @ 1830 (Glenelm School)**
  - Consider if anyone can attend
  - Bhawna? Has not attended since November- 4 consecutive meetings
- Logo contest- student engagement- determining next steps
- Round Table/Other items?
  - PAC to do something for teachers with spring break coming up. Cost of an apple sundae bar and coffee for 40 ppl would be \$160-\$200. Vote: All in favour, none opposed.
  - Hot breakfast once per week- run by nutrition program

**Next ÉGVS PAC meeting-** Mon Apr 20 in the school library @ 1800

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## **Principal's Report**

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### **PAC meeting**

Save the date:

- Tentative date for Year End Learning Celebration- June 24th 4:00 - 6:30PM
- Tentative date for 2026-2027 Meet the Teacher night - BBQ - September 8, 2026
- Tentative date for First day of school for students 2026-2027 school year - September 9, 2026
  - Still waiting for official divisional calendar to be released and posted to divisional website.

New for 2026-2027 School Year

- We'll be getting a Vice-Principal starting the 2026-2027 school year!
- Applications have closed and interviews have been completed.
  - Waiting on board approval for the appointment of the selected successful candidate.
- French Nursery will be offered!

Collection of Assessment Results (CAR Data) - Provincial

- FRIMM grade 7/8 - complete. Individual reports will go home at the end of the month
- Nursery and Kindergarten - Early Development Instrument (EDI) - measures "school readiness" is active. Completion date is April 8"

Parking Lot

- Continue to have issues with non-permitted vehicles parking in the accessible parking
- Parents using staff parking lot for drop-off
  - Raises safety concerns- *need to solve for a safe spot for parents to drop off their kids*
  - Congestion in the lot... staff pay to have the spots available...

**Looking Ahead...**

Student led- conferences and Reports

- Conferences: March 19th evening and March 20th Morning
  - Please book appointment online
- Reports go home: March 25\* @ 3:30PM

Expo Science (Science Fair)

- March 18 - school exhibition and judging AM
  - • Families of students participating welcome to come in the afternoon from 1:30 to 3:15pm.
- - Project will be available to view in the gym during student-led conferences for all other community members.

RBC Grant - Recent

- Purchased a new 75" TV and stand to go into another classroom
- Purchase of new computer monitor
- Transportation for Grade 8's to go to Sisler tour
- Transportation for Grade 7 & 8's to attend the Human Math Museum at JMD school.

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### Bright Spots

- New Science Equipment has arrived! Will be on display during student-led in the gym
- Concours Success! 6 students moving onto the Divisional Competition.
- Grade 8's visited Tech-Voc and Sisler for tours
- I Love to Read - over 10 guest readers, including: Marika & Turnbull, Adam Kolisnyk, Matt Wiebe, Rachel Lagace, Colin Reynolds, Nicole Welsh, Mohammad Rezai, Emma Durand-Wood and Brett Megarry!
- Hosted 3 on 3 basketball tournaments
- PAC Hosted the Family Craft night
- Nutrition - Special snack was a hit! Thank you, Shelley's Bistro and Ms. Ashley.
- Nutrition - Will continue with grab and go breakfast option.
- Grade 6-8 Leadership club - Offering smudging in the mornings upon entry
- March mobile vision screening - complete
- Grade 7/8 Elmwood Athletics Co-op
- Lunch leaders
- Grade 5/6 Patrols
- Student announcers (English and French)
- Grade 1-4 Dance club
- Grade 2/3 Art Club
- Circle of Courage Crew (friendship groups)
- Grade 5/6 Badminton club
- D&D club continues during lunch
- Intercity Basketball League - continues

### Reminder: Registration for 2026-2027

- Catchment students, rolled over - no action required
- Registration dates for the 2026/27 year are follows:
  - Tuesday, February 17 - New Student Registration Opens
  - Monday, April 6 - Schools of Choice Registration Opens \*
    - Non-catchment (meaning George V isn't your home school) students wishing to attend George V must complete the school of choice form.
  - Friday, May 15 - Schools of Choice Registration Closes.

Spring Break: March 30th to April 3rd - No School  
Classes resume April 6th