

St. Elizabeth Seton School Council Meeting

Tuesday, September 16, 2025



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1. **Call to order** -7:12

2. **Opening prayer** - Rachel Hicks

3. **Introductions/Attendees** - Rachel Hicks, Liudmyla, Elyse Krause, Mike Kelley, Ceanne

Olsen, Krista Janisse, Kim Pasula, Steve Jackson, Sharla Lord, Kelsie Viala, Danielle

Everson, Jessica Mah, Shannon Schalk, Lindsay Huseby, Serena Lodge

4. **Approval of the agenda** - Lindsay Huseby approves

5. **Approval of last meeting minutes** - May 13, 2025

6. **Reports**

a. **Trustee Report** - Kim Pasula- announces new superintendent Dr. Rhonda Nixon

- RDCS improved their budget to \$110 million and will match their strategic plan to it involving parents, teachers, administration

- pray for the teachers bargaining coming up

- Dawe Run cancellation disappointment but is in part from bus expenses and many students from schools were not participating. Many schools are organizing their own runs now.

- lots of constraints in the school system- our school system could use an extra \$7 million

b. **School Report** - Steve Jackson welcome- 20 years of elementary and middle level- also a guidance counsellor.

- Mike Kelley introduction- 301 students as of right now- 2 classes of all grades except grade 3 has 3 classes

- Highlights of september- grade 4 bible celebration at opening mass

- Anchored in faith and guided by grace

- Beefing up the terry fox run

- National truth and reconciliation day will be recognized the day before

- Had their first fire drill

- Literacy and numeracy screening in the lower grades
- Guardians of grace has been introduced as a recognition award for students
- Schoology is no longer as now parents and teachers will use powerschool
- c. Budget - carrying over all fees from last year to this year
 - \$30 student fee

7. Committees -

- a. Hot Lunch - Lindsay Huseby- starting after strike decisions
- b. Fundraising (Read-a-Thon) - Rachel Hicks - starting after the strike decision
- c. First Friday Coffee - Shannon Schalk
- d. Teacher Appreciation - Jessica Mah
- e. Family Events -
 - i. Halloween - Dance - Bridget Green and Krista Janisse October 29th
 - ii. Movie Night - Bridget Green and Corie Blais
 - iii. Rebels Night- Mr. Kelly gets the invite from the Rebels
- f. Christmas Giving - Gifts for Grandparents/etc. - Danielle Everson
- g. Shrove Tuesday - Bridget Green- 2026 - PD week Teacher's convention
- h. Family Fun Night & BBQ - chair position:
- i. Track and Fun day- snack/hydration stations and lunch, paid for with hot lunch fund (info in the google drive)

8. New business - Childcare for parent council meetings

9. Proposed Next Meetings- October 21st @ 7:00

10. Meeting adjournment - 8:23