

SANSOME SCHOOL PARENT COUNCIL MEETING

April 15, 2026

5:00pm in Staff Room

Attending: Kara Booth, Emily Tilley, Kelly Fast, Henrietta Hoch, Janice Matthewman

Meeting Called: 5:05pm

**Welcome (Kara Booth)**

**Review of Minutes from March 11, 2026 (Kara Booth)**

Emily Firsts, Kara Seconds, approved.

**Principal's Report to Parent Council by Janice Matthewman**

1. Current enrolment = 317 students K-5.
2. Term 2 Report Cards – Term 2 Reports were distributed on April 8th.
3. The Integrated Arts – Spring Project We will working with Heather Martin Remple(Visual Artist).
4. Welcome to Kindergarten- We will be welcoming our new Kindergarten on Wed. May 13th.  
4:30-6:00
5. Earth Day- Earth Day is coming up Wed. April 22<sup>nd</sup>. Students K-5 will be recognizing the day and discussing environmental issues.
6. April 22<sup>nd</sup> is also Admin. Asst. Day!
7. Staffing Update- We will have 2 Kindergarten classes (1 a.m. and 1 p.m.); 2 Grade 1 classes; 1 Grade 1/2 class; 3 Gr. 2/3 classes, 1 Gr. 3 class; 1 Gr. 3/4 class; 3 Gr. 4/5 classes and 1 Gr. 5 class. New class size limits were advised: K-3 = 20 students and 4-5 = 25 students. We are down in staffing units due to projected decreased enrolment for next year.
8. 2026 – 2027. Educational Assistant staffing is still in progress. We should be hearing more come May.

**Presidents Report (Kara Booth)**

- Virtual meeting being held April 16 with the Winnipeg foundation to discuss \$15000 grant being received.
- Parent council met with the school division to discuss concerns and support for play structure remodel. They plan to take it back to the board to discuss, awaiting reply.
- Still awaiting reply regarding amount in our school financial account.
- Received a design from playgrounds r us with more separate pieces
- April 30 is a parent council president dinner Kara and Henrietta will attend.
- April 30 is the basement fundraiser and Krispy Kreme pickup
- Basement fundraiser:
  - Prizes
    - Jets tickets
    - Moose tickets
    - Single brew coffee maker and coffee
    - Giant bean bag chair

- Will do a write up for donations
- Will bring the square for raffle ticket purchases
- Need to follow up with the basement re: ticket sales.
- Ask the basement if we can sell any remaining krispy kreme donuts at the basement
- Teacher appreciation
  - Do a full week of things for the teachers
  - Week of May 11-15 possible date ideas

**Vice-President's Report (Emily Tilley):**

- In communication with the YMCA re: transporting Sansome students to and from school.

**Secretary's Report (Kelly Fast): NIL**

**New Business**

- Volunteer tea June 5 12:45-1:45

**Meeting Adjourned: 5:36 pm**

**Minutes prepared by: Kelly Fast**