

## **PSSC MEETING MINUTES**

**September 23, 2025**

### **Call to Order:**

**Review and Approval of Agenda** at 6:00 by Tasha Cochrane

**Attendance** – Nicole Johnson, Angela Brown, Amanda Nicholson, Matthew Stanforth, Gillian Allison, Bett Black, Mary Brophy, Jaime Foster-Stewart

### **Chair's Report:**

Welcome to the 2025-2026 PSSC Committee

### **Principal's Report:**

- PSSC Handbook Review – Jaime presented the PSSC handbook to committee.
  - Next meeting we are looking to have a teacher rep join the committee.
  - Elections of PSSC chairs ect. – DEC members are invited but aren't members – they cannot vote.
  - Roles of PSSC
  - Quorum – 50% +1
  - Annual cycle -
- Update on the 2025-2026 SIP –
  - First goal is a continuation from last year – math goal was multiplying decimals. We improved last year but would like to continue and make even more gains. Reminder that the SIP is fluid, and we can adjust, however this goal is quite solidified.
  - The second goal is fluency (literacy) and working towards comprehension.
    - PL sessions happening – Sept 23, 25
    - Looking at data - we saw the need to make this a goal.

Those two goals are our SIP for this year. We will share actions at the next meeting.

- New addition to playground – Lindsay Perez has been working toward getting some playground equipment for years – structure/climbing. Lots of effort and grants. Will

be installed this fall. That space will have a swing, climbing structures and outdoor classrooms.

- Radio's – As of now, we are down again because we have a bigger staff. We also need to replace them. We need approximately 18 new radios – We are asking to have PSSC (500\$), NMS (500\$) and then fundraising (500\$).

- Vote – Yes 5

Questions from Angela – What is the budget for PSSC – In the past it has been around 1500\$ to 1800\$. We will know soon enough.

- We are also hoping for some signage for the bus lane out back by back door. We have had many drivers come up the driveway during school hours and when we have buses. We have some safety concerns. Those signs are about 500\$ - same as the front ones.

- Vote – Yes – 6

It takes about 3 weeks to come in.

Sharing from future business – We also have concerns around drivers coming up the front driveway very fast. We are looking into some signs to keep traffic slow – maybe a child playing sign.

- Introduction to Academic Support Teachers – We are sharing with GSMS. They will have 6-week blocks. In classrooms each day – interventions, assessments, supporting teachers, modeling lessons, co-teaching, small group interventions.
  - Literacy – Shauna Anderson
  - Math – Laura Steeves
- School Resource Officer (SRO) – Brandan Goodyear – supports LHHS, Devon Middle and NMS. He comes here on Thursday mornings but can be flexible based on need. He will do some presentations like scooter safety or other.

**New Business:**

**Correspondence:**

**Closing Comments:**

**Date of next meeting:**

Monday November 17<sup>th</sup> – 6:00

Monday January 12<sup>th</sup> -6:00

Next meeting we will plan the rest of the year.

**Adjournment:**