

Parent Council Meeting Summary - Monday, October 27, 2025

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This report outlines the key discussions, updates, and initiatives from the Parent Council meeting held on Monday, October 27, 2025.

1. Principal's Report and School Updates

The Principal highlighted significant progress and success across the school:

- **Athletics & Clubs:** Successful wrap-up of the fall season (tennis, golf) and the launch of the winter season, notably featuring the **new curling club**. Other programs discussed include the Fall Music Festival, Music Council, and Dance.
- **Career Focus:** The presence of the **Canadian Army** and other career programs provided excellent opportunities for **Grade 9 and 10 students**. A reminder for senior grades about the **scholarship assembly** was issued.
- **Academics:** The recent Parent-Teacher Interview session was reported as the **best attended ever**. The focus of these interviews was on student **skills development** over traditional marks.
- **Facilities & Staff:** Updates included the installation of **new lockers** and recent staff professional development.

2. Parent Council Sub-Committee Status

The Parent Council has established or advanced planning for several key initiatives:

| Initiative | Lead/Chair | Target Date/Status | Key Action/Focus |
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| Career Fair | Robert | Mid-February | Seeking suggestions for organizational participants. |
| Fundraising | N/A | Quotes Pending | Requires strong parent participation and energy to move forward. |
| 150th Anniversary (2027) | N/A | Organization Stage | Primary focus is creating an alumni database (students are currently compiling the initial list). |
| My Blueprint | N/A | Meeting in January | Planning session to be scheduled for platform promotion and support. |

3. General Notes and Next Steps

- Attendees were provided with a tour of the **Auditorium and Weight Room**.
- The issue of **limited dance tickets** (due to supervision and space constraints) was addressed.
- Details regarding **volunteer hours** tracking are available on the school's Google Classroom.
- The next Parent Council meeting is scheduled for **November 17th, 2025**.

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