Austin O'Brien School Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes: Tuesday, December 12th, 2017

Chair: Yvonne C. Call to order: 6:50 p.m. Location: Room 134 Recorder: Carmen P. Present: *AOB Staff:* Anna Gomez (AP, Grade 10), Ignacio Haro (AP, Grade 11), Ryan Feehan (AP, Grade 12)

AOB parents: Yvonne C., Ron F., Val S., Joan L., Micki D., Doreen Z., Michelle W., Karen M., Carmen P., Keri W., Teresa M.

Regrets: David Warawa (Principal), Cecilia F., Jackie S., Jason M., Kathy M.

Item	Discussion	Motion	2nd	Action
1. Prayer	Ryan F.	-	-	-
2. Welcome /	Sign-in sheet circulated	-	-	-
attendance				
3. Approval of		RF	KW	
Agenda				
4. Approval of Minutes		RF	VS	
5. Admin Update	Presented by: Anna, Ryan & Ignacio October 10 – December 12, 2017 - Awards Night in Cafeteria well attended. Looking at alternatives for next year format and location - Thanksgiving Celebration – Celebrated student Honours and accomplishments - Feeder school volleyball tournament - Band Share Days at local Junior High - Remembrance Day Ceremony			

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- Field Trips:
 - o Blood Donation
 - Social Justice efforts
 - Mustard Seed, Marian Centre etc.
 - 'Soup kitchens'
- Advent Wreaths and prayers
- Kids clothes drive
 - Newborn to 7 yrs Children in Ukraine
 - All other ages YESS Youth
 Empowerment Support Services
- Dry Run in school for English 30 classes
- Masses:
 - Ukrainian St. Nicholas Mass -December 6th
 - Spanish Bilingual Mass December
 9th
- Christmas Hamper Drive
- Band Concert: Tuesday Dec 19 7 pm at Old Strathcona Arts Barn

Sports:

- Curling, Cheer, Swim continuing (Swim is over right away- Divisionals and Cities)
- Sr Football Lost in playoffs in Lloydminster
- Jr/Sr Boys and Jr Girls Vball played well in finals but lost
- Sr Girls Volleyball City Champions
- Jr Boys Football City Champions
- Banner Raising in School

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6.	Treasurer's Report	RF - Current account balance is \$1080.62 (plus \$5.50 tip from the casino event)			
	District Correspondence	 The Learning Team magazine was handed out (Winter issue) 			
	Other	Fund raising Boston Pizza – raised to date - \$ FundScrip – raised to date - \$ More information will be available at the meeting in April. It was asked to have fundraising links added to the AOB website home page. Hopefully this would encourage students and their families to take part in these endeavours. Locker sharing – safety and security issues Geek Squad tech group – looking for new members to take over, since a majority of the members are current grade 12 students. Student choices regarding drugs and alcohol Morning announcements about incidents at AOB can turn bad choices into learnings for other students.			
		 Protocols are in place and followed when dealing with these situations. 			
9.	Adjournment	8:14 p.m.	RF	VS	-

Next meeting: Monday, February 5th, 2018 @ 6:30 p.m. in room 134