



Parent-to-Parent

Ecole Frere Antoine [EFA] School Council [SC]

Hello Everyone!

The end of the school year is here, and it is time for some old favorites!

School Council is very excited to be able to continue our special Frere Antoine end of year traditions!

- We have already had the first of two popsicle days, thanks to our amazing donor, Ice Cream Depot! This year our children and staff will all enjoy Chapman's Mini Fruit Lollies! Our next popsicle day is June 12!
- On June 17, we will be providing a free hot dog lunch to all children in grades 1-6. (Kindergarden will still get a Rice Krispie treat, but getting hot dogs ready for the AM class before busses leave will simply will not be possible.) A huge thank-you goes out to Mama Pizza for once again offering us the use of their kitchen to cook our hot dogs!

SC General Info

All parents or guardians of a child enrolled in a K-6 program at EFA are automatically voting members of the Ecole Frere Antoine School Council (SC). Meetings are held online via MS Teams, usually on the second Tuesday of the month at 6:30 PM, links are emailed. Your voice is important to us! If you ever have any questions, please reach out efasac.chair@gmail.com.

School Council Changes!

In May we held our Annual General Meeting. We are sad to see Andrea and Dana step down from our executive, and are grateful for their years of service. Both have indicated that they will still be around and will pop into meetings as time permits - and we are going to hold these fabulous volunteers to their word! Thank you Andrea and Dana!

For 2026-27, Michelle will remain as Chair, and Naomi will be filling both the Secretary and Treasurer positions. We are in need of a Vice Chair to fill in in the absence of the Chair, and to make quorum if Michelle or Naomi cannot attend a meeting. If you are interested please let us know; this is the best position to get a foot in the door!

Next year will be a year of change for our School Council, as ECSD has decided to discontinue School Councils' fundraising. As such, we will be running out (spending the funds) in our ECSD-held bank account, and transitioning all activities that involve spending / fundraising to the Ecole Frere Antoine Fundraising Association. These events would include Diner du Mois (Hot Lunch), Birthday Lunch, the Family Dance, and the Welcome Back Event. School Council will be navigating changes to our existing Operating Procedures at that time, with the assistance of the Alberta School Councils Association, to eliminate the position of Treasurer and ensure that we are up to date with the latest version of the Education Act that regulates us. The revised Operating Procedures will be presented at the regular meeting following for approval by general membership, and go into effect once signed.

Have a wonderful summer!!!