

Alternative High School - School Council

Minutes

Held In Person & Virtually – Sept 15th, 2026

In attendance in person: Melissa. C, Shannon. C, Gary. D, Nicole. E, Angela. G, Lori W.T, Dawn. M.M, Lee. D, Chris. P

Online: N/A

Guests: Tracy. D

Agenda

1. Call to Order

Gary. D call to order at 7:08 pm

2. Introductions of Members & Guests

3. Approval of Agenda for Sept 15th, 2026 Meeting

Motion: Melissa. C

Second: Shannon. C

4. Approval of May 12th, 2026 Meeting Minutes

Motion: Angela. G

Second: Melissa. C

5. Business Arising from Previous Minutes

School Council will once again put on an appreciation lunch for the teachers in February. **Tracy** will let us know PD dates for options to hold the lunch next meeting.

6. New Business

a. Teacher at the school was in a car accident.

Gary proposes School Council purchases a gift card to help out during this time.

Motion: Gary. D

Second: Shannon. C

Motion Carried.

b. Principal Update from Tracy - Sept 15th, 2026

- 77 students so far, not including CLASS. Target was 94. May affect staffing.
- We've recruited more complex students – 5 EAL, medical

- Beautiful startup with lots of focus on community building. Friday with Autumn Whiteway, belonging and inter-connections. Winter Counts. Kids were amazing – engaged, polite and appreciative.
- Terry Fox this Friday Sept 18th. Whole school will walk then have a picnic lunch.
- Community Day Oct. 2 at Camp Riveredge

c. Fundraiser options

Unanimous no to chocolate fundraiser. Yes, to Education Matters. See about setting up a QR code.

d. Graduation Date: June 4th 2027

7. Adjournment

Gary calls to adjourn at 7:31 pm

Motion: Gary. D

Second: Dawn. M.M

Motion Carried

Next School Council Meeting Time: Oct 13th @ 6 pm