



George McDougall High School

School Council Agenda

November 13, 2024

6:30pm – In Person and Via Zoom

School Council 24/25 zoom link

<https://rockyview.zoom.us/j/98267913631>

Meeting ID: 982 6791 3631

- I. Call Meeting to Order
- II. Welcome and Land Acknowledgment!
- III. Approval of Agenda
- IV. Approval of October 9, 2024 Meeting Minutes
- V. Leadership Students Presentation (5mins)
- VI. Teacher Presentation **Learning Support** staff this month (5-10mins)
- VII. Administration Report - Scott Bloxham (20-25 mins)
- VIII. Trustee Report – Mellissa Bowen (10-15 mins)
- IX. New Business:
 - a) In the New Year, we'd love to have the **French Immersion department** January 8, 2025, **Math department** February 12, 2025, **English department** March 12, 2025, **Science department** April 9, 2025, and **Social department** May 14, 2025 departments introduce themselves. Our school council is committed to fostering stronger engagement with our staff throughout the year.
 - b) Technology use update (we're seeing very limited spaces where students can study and work on homework during spares and lunch)
 - c) Learning Commons closures - why?

d) Pizza Financial Update

e) Mascot update

IX. Old Business / Tabled:

X. Open floor question:

a) Why doesn't GMHS celebrate our academic achievers like other RVS schools? They're also curious why we don't offer recognition awards for students achieving 90% and above, while we do have honorable mentions for the 70-79% range (which they do support).

b) Why does GMHS hold awards nights only for athletics and academics?

c) Why don't we organize school dances or social nights for our students?

XI. Message from Council: Thank you to all the parents and volunteers for supporting our staff appreciation efforts and Pizza Fridays. This all wouldn't be possible without you! A big thank you from your School Council representatives— well done, Mustangs! Lastly, wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and a wonderful New Year! We look forward to seeing you at our next meeting in 2025.

XII. Adjournment: **Next meeting: January 8, 2025**