

# **School Council Annual Report**

School	Wainwright Elementary School
School Year	2024-2025

#### School Council Executive

Position	Name
Chair	April Flynn
Vice Chair	Emma Thomas-stepped down at the October 28th meeting as she was was hired as a teacher at WES.
Treasurer	Vacant
Secretary	Carlee Whitlock and Melissa Russell
Principal	Kim DeFord
Teacher Representation	Rotation-Mackenzie Goodwin/Megan Wakefield/Angela Golinowski/Christine Campbell
Student Representative	N/A

## Dates of Meetings Held in the School Year

September 2024 October 28, 2024 December 2, 2024 February 3, 2025 April 14, 2025 June 9, 2025

### Highlights of the School Council Year

New Principal joined the school - positive impacts on the council.

School Council hosted a pancake breakfast for our students and families on September 9th and Toy Bingo Night on September 13th.

The Wainwright Elementary New school building has been approved and construction has started. In September it was decided that the school would now be holding and handling all funds until a non-profit group could be created. This is in alignment with the 602.12AP Fundraising by Schools and

### Outside Groups.

Alberta School Council Association presented to school council on October 15th

- School Council Purpose
- Fundraising Association Introduction

School Council plays an integral part in organizing our hot lunch program by collaborating with the school to organize the program and find local businesses to provide the lunch options and meals. School Council supported a bake sale during our Parent Teacher Interviews and Christmas Concert. They played a huge role in organizing our Santa's Workshop and our Deck the Halls event. School Council actively engaged in the BTPS Stakeholder engagement session on February 3rd, 2025.

Our chair and secretary also attended both BTPS Council of School Councils Meetings.

New fundraising association has been applied to help with fundraising for the new school. As of May 14th, WES now has a society, Wainwright Elementary Partners Association!

All fundraising efforts have and will continue to support year end field trips and fees, transportation, swimming and skating costs, whole school presentations and celebrations.

Review of Required Topics		
Торіс	Date	
Assurance Plan	February 3, 2025-the 2024-2025 Assurance Plan is also posted on our school website.	
Budget	June 9, 2025	
School Handbook	October 2024-the School handbook is also posted on our school website.	
Annual Education Results Report	June 9, 2025	

### Submitted by

April Flynn School Council Chair Principal