



Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board

MINUTES

Bellmoore School Council

Thursday, November 8, 2018

6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

Chair/Co-Chair: Christy Wallingham, Julia Penman

Minutes: Stacey Davis

Present: Mr. Heer, Mr. Azzopardi, Michelle Houghton, Julia Penman, Christy Wallingham

Teacher Rep(s): Katie Armstrong

From the Community:

Regrets: Leanne Muir

Time	Agenda	Person	Info	Actions/Motions
		All	Introductions Agenda (approved) Oct minutes (approved)	
	HWDSB Info	Christy	Transportation policy consultation by November 27 th Looking for input from parents Looking to increase the walking distance from 1km to 1.2km	
	Principal's Report	Kevin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Remembrance Day assembly (inside)—one assembly for all staff - Parking (5 visitor spots) and signage in parking lot so volunteers and visitors do not park in numbered spots/spots. - More bi-law officers to come in future (hoping before and after school) - staff will receive a parking pass to display in windshield - Busing: one bus that is usually late in the morning; having the distance change from 1km to 1.2km will decrease the amount of kids eligible for a bus – shortage of bus drivers 	
	Teacher's Report		Junior: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Robotic team (32 students) – They received an extra kit this year and meet 2 nutrition breaks a week - May is the board office competition; junior and intermediate - Library---new Readalouds for Bookroom with Party Pet funds (50 new books purchased) - Auditions for May 15-16 for Lion King are next week - Musical will be fully cast before Christmas - Wilkinson/Hill/Ledroit - Bentley the service dog visited some FDK classrooms---no touching, no talking - FDK Battlefield House in December - All FDK in February to Camp Marydale - Battlefield house early December grade 2s (traditions and celebrations) -Gr 3 Remembrance Day in language and art all this week Intermediate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -finally holes for volleyball court have been put in - Waiting on lines to be put in -Grade 8 Toronto trip is filling up—20 out of 50 spots taken already (June 5 and 6) -Volleyball tournament on November 28/29 	

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Christmas concert at Saltfleet in December - Band and whole school concert is December 19th - Food drive starts this month - Winter concert is December 18th 	
	Treasurer	Leanne Muir	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Everything transferred out of account and put in general account (\$2500) - More clarification from Leanne next time (regrets) <p>Balance in account \$2967.92</p>	
	Fundraising	Sarah Kent Julia Penman Hayley Redmond	<p>Bazaar:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Volunteers to fill and wrap baskets - 40 vendors confirmed - Band in front entrance - Bake sale ready - Friday night need volunteers to set up (6:00) - Saturday morning opens at 8am-4pm—Volunteers and vendors to come for 9am. - Doors open at 10-2:30 - Fracarro Dental office donated reusable bags with loot <p>Indigo Night:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Will be held at Indigo store (need someone to create an image to put out to parents and social media to say what doing); - November 21st 5:30-8:30 <p>SAMCO:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - sales will occur this year again (Michelle unable to do this year) - Katie Armstrong will take over <p>Eco Play Space:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Secondary place for FDK to play between parking lot and bus lanes –fenced in - Jackie and Sarah had 290 order forms - 98 totes sold to fundraise and cash donation of \$50 dollars - \$1253 total from the fundraiser -looking into changing the fence area to increase the FDK area -hoping to get fence area this year, then move on to fundraising for other parts of Eco Play Space - Jackie may do a golf tournament fundraiser to raise funds for Eco Space 	
	\$ 500 Parent Engagement Funds		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Parent engagement funds: brainstorm next session for money allocation 	
	Additions to Agenda		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -SNAC program---defer until January---lack of volunteers until after Christmas -Healthy message painting in washrooms - No decision made as of yet 	
Next Meeting: Thursday, January 10th, 2019				