

## Franklin Road School Council Meeting Minutes - Monday, February 22, 2016

Attendance: Lavinia Savuljeskwik, Knanc Nagatani, Chang Choi, Emily Coe, Jull Buckland, Meaghan Ollman, Jamie Farrugia, Amber Wilson, Natalie Hutchison, Elaine Dagg, Mike Martin, Tara Gurney, Janeen Schaeffer, Jennifer Robertson-Heath, Barb Jalsevac, Justine Marquis, Kathy Long (minutes).

### **1. Greetings/Call to Order**

- Discussed information to add to school website for School Council with Mrs. Murray (minutes, names of Chairs, forms)
- Approved minutes from January 18, 2016 meeting

### **2. Fundraising Committee**

- Made up candy bags for Movie Night on Thurs, Feb 25<sup>th</sup>, "The Good Dinosaur" for grade K to5 (5/6 class included); confirmed volunteers had Police Vulnerability Checks; confirmed selling prices for drinks/ candy/ popcorn; Tara's children will make signs; confirmed everyone's jobs for the night; decided to have follow up meeting to debrief on Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup> at 6:00 pm.
- Chocolate Bar fundraising will run to March 1/16

### **3. Teacher's Report (Barb Jalsevac)**

- Checkers Club will be participating in a tournament
- Hip Hop Dancing for grades 1-2 and 3-4 students at break times
- Basketball team made the playoffs
- Grades 1, 2 & 3 visited the Ecohouse
- Grade 4 overnight camping trip coming up
- Boys and Girls Clubs both started
- Grade 8's visited McNab High School
- Junior Empowerment took place at Sherwood High School
- Kindergarten had a visit at Macassa

### **3. Principal's Report (Jennifer Robertson-Heath)**

- Site plan for the school is posted in the hall by the office; timeline for renos has changed; Jamie Nunn will visit with School Council once the plan is finalized; ramp still needs to be finished
- Nutrition program being run by EA, Tange, who will get her food handling license; currently running a simple program twice a week will and having food available through the office daily; will start using online ordering once the program is increased.
- Today's Family installed a double sink, dishwasher and hot water tank which we can use for the Nutrition Program; around 40 students using the Before and After care programs
- Milk program going well, big thanks to Justine and Tara for coming in to help out with milk for the kindergarten classes
- Grade 4 two night camping trip received enough in donations to cover all the costs making it a free trip for the students
- Outdoor Education Fund covered the cost of the primary Ecohouse trip
- Grades 6, 7 & 8 will be attending the McMaster Canadian's Men's Volleyball Championship

- Used Pizza funds to purchase 3 ceiling mounted projectors which will be installed in the Kindergarten rooms
- School will be purchasing 25 more iPads for the senior grades, this will allow for approximately 10-11 iPads per class
- Funds transferred from Linden Park were used to purchase new uniforms
- Grade 8 trip has been planned, Jays game/dinner/Ripley's Aquarium; they will be fundraising to lower the cost
- Breakfast of Champions will be on March 1<sup>st</sup>, approximately 80 students earned this reward
- Grade 8 Graduation date still to be determined, will be held at Sherwood
- Positive School Climate Committee worked on a better layout for the playground, pylons are used to outline each area clearly
- On upcoming P.A. Day staff will be participating in student learning and digital tools along with workshop training
- Open House is May 12<sup>th</sup>, will be similar to last year with using Food Trucks, Book Fair will be during Education Week

#### **4. Next Meeting**

- Monday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm

Minutes: Kathy Long