

Yorkview School Council Meeting Minutes

Tuesday October 21 2014

In Attendance: Karen Henderson, Trina Baird, Cathy Maga-Turner, Leigh Tutt, Tammy Lombardo, Julie York, Kirsten Blain, Brain Gauthier, Janine Klin-Hesselink, Judy Clark, Andrea Gardner.

Regrets: Jocelyn Strutt, Melanie Walter, Samantha Cliff

Principal Report:

- Cross Country trip was a success! The bus to the event cost approximately \$300. The cost was high because the driver had to remain on site during the event.
- The last **Spirit Day** (pyjama day) was very successful and raised \$200.
- **Creative Playground Update** – It has been suggested that the creative playground could require extra work to increase drainage under the mulch which would cost an extra \$2000. Mulch will cost approximately \$800 and will be added to the playground as soon as possible. Council has decided to announce to school community that fundraising target for this project has been reached.
- **Chair/Co-Chair** position has not yet been filled.

Fundraising:

- **QSP fundraiser** - brought in a total of \$2536. Yorkview receives 33% which is \$836.88.
- **November Spirit Day** – Remembrance Day November 11. Students will pay \$2 to have a poppy with their name on it displayed on the fundraising bulletin board. All funds raised will be donated to the Royal Canadian Legion Branch 36 in Dundas.
- **Spirit Wear** – t-shirts, sweatshirts and hoodies with the Yorkview logo will be available for purchase. Clothing is Gildan brand that will be silk-screened by Mason Athletics in Dundas.
T-shirts – Youth S,M,L,XL Adult - S,M,L,XL \$15.00
Sweatshirts- Youth S,M,L,XL Adult- S,M,L,XL \$25.00
Hoodie – Youth S,M,L,XL Adult – S,M,L,XL \$30.00
Adult L and XL sizes will be an additional \$5.
Order forms will be sent home the week of October 20 and will be due back on October 30. Can be paid for by cash or cheque.
There will be a sizing day on October 27 at the school and there will be clothing items displayed in the display case at the front of the school.
Council will ask Masons Athletics if it will be possible to re-order items or have a possible re-order in the spring for other clothing items (hats, shorts...).
- **December Fundraiser** – Christmas Bizarre with a Winter Wonderland theme that will include crafts, artwork, book sale, a kids raffle and a silent auction. Will take place on Wednesday December 3rd starting at 2:30pm and go into the evening. Tables may have to be rented for this

event. Grade 5s can be involved, possible working at a wrapping station. Parent volunteers will be needed.

- **Pizza Day** – new payment schedule is successful and there have not been any problems with students bringing in money the day of. Council would like to ensure that a pizza day procedure is in place in the event that Linda Cochlin is absent.
- **Next fundraiser goal** – possible ideas: replacing the playground blacktop, baseball diamond, new technology. Council agrees that new fundraising goal should be decided and announced soon as families are more likely to contribute when there is a goal.

Treasurer Report:

- Detailed Category Summary was provided
- 12 teachers will make use of the \$150 for classroom materials (8 classrooms plus Mrs. Dichazi, M. Nicole, Ms. Sardo and Mrs. Laufman).

NEXT MEETING: Monday November 17 or Tuesday November 18 at 6:30pm.