

Chedoke School Council Minutes

September 23rd 2024 @ 6pm in Rm 217 at Chedoke School

- The land acknowledgment was read by the Principal - Stefan Strecker
- Next school council meeting will be held on October 21st 2024 at 6pm at Chedoke School in room 217.
- The newly purchased jerseys were displayed from last year's school council fundraising initiatives. Still a balance owing to be cleared from school council accounts.

New Business

- **Elections** - determined during the council meeting as mentioned below:
 - ◊ Chair - Jamie-Lee Deyohsait/Pepper
 - ◊ Secretary - vacant - to be filled by Chair until further notice
 - ◊ Treasurer - vacant - to be filled by Chair until further notice
- **Pizza Day**
 - ◊ Dates - aiming for Fridays, starting November 2024 until mid-June 2025 and Thursdays (the day before Friday PA Days - list to go out to parents once dates are confirmed by school messenger)
 - ◊ Council voted to keep Garth Pizza and not change vendors as its cheaper for students/families - payments are accepted through School Cash Online
 - ◊ Halal pepperoni will be offered with Garth Pizza

Treasurer's Report - Jamie-Lee Deyohsait/Pepper

- ◊ Currently School Council has \$7,729.43 but still have to pay for jerseys from last school year - a balance owing of \$3,389.56 on jerseys.

Teachers Report - Amy Zorzetto

- Grade 8 Grad Fundraising
 - ◊ Candy-grams (Valentines Day), Food (Open House in May 2025), Ice Cream Sundaes (after grad)
- Physical Ed. Department
 - ◊ Cross Country Meet to take place October 8th for Primary/Junior/Senior students
 - ◊ Senior boys 3 pitch will take place on September 24th.
 - ◊ Chedoke will offer volleyball teams for Junior/Senior girls, and Senior boys with tryouts beginning the week of September 30th.
 - ◊ All teams expressed excitement for the newly purchased jerseys.

Principal Report - Stefan Strecker, Principal & John Duvnjak, VP

- Reorganization - to meet ministry guidelines for class sizes, any students impacted, will receive a letter from the school about moving classes.
- Kindergarten Logs stumps - currently rotting; hoping to replace with a play structure.
- Meet the Teacher - October 3rd 4:30pm to 6pm back of the school.
- Intermediate students lunch break - 2nd nutrition break; must follow school rules and return before or by 1:45pm to minimize lateness.
- Cellphone policy in effect
- Vaping policy in effect
- Library books - approved to restock books through funding from previous year water damage to library; carpet to be replaced; books will focus on student/staff appreciation
- Acadience screening - reading screener to determine how a student's reading abilities are progressing.
- Student Social Media Access on HWDSB student network or devices.

New Business Carryover

- Movie Night - Council considered a movie night from year end meeting; more details required such as gym capacity, licensing fees, and potential turnout (open from K to 8); after hour rules - one parent per child.; clean up responsibility of school council
 - Grade 8s can sell popcorn and a small treat
 - Movie option to be considered - survey during Meet the Teacher
 - 2 dates December 6th and April 25th
- Council will discuss potential wish list items until next meeting for fundraising initiatives for the 2024-2025 school year.

Meeting adjourned at 7:41pm