

Dundas Valley Secondary School Council Minutes
Tuesday October 24 - 6:30pm
Hybrid Meeting

Present Online: Jenn Warren, Tammy Lombardo, Rebecca Hoo, Nancy Nemeth, Cathy Veldman, Amanda Ljucovic

Present In Person: Brian Lennox, Zoey Heeney, Nicole Gregan

Regrets: Jennie Feijer, Karen Brown

1. Welcome and Introductions

- Meeting called to order at 6:30 pm
- Land Acknowledgement by Zoey Heeney

2. Approval of Minutes and Agenda - Motion to approve:

- Zoey Heeney, seconded by Nicole Gregan

3. Teacher's Report - Jenn Warren

- Grade 7/8 Open House is Nov 22nd
- Ms. Warren participating in HWDSB Redeveloping Board Vision to increase students feeling of belonging. Heading up an integrated thinking project with students from Grades 8 & 9 to plan a better transition from grade 8 to grade 9.
- SHISM Program – Grade 10 & 11 Assembly

4. Principal's Report – Brian Lennox

- Oct 20 PD Day's theme was Knowing Our Students
- DVSS sports are very active currently

5. President's Report – Chloe Deighton

- there will be 2 reps for both Grades 9 & 10 to create a more balanced council
- Various Halloween week activities planned
- Online Halloween costume contest sponsored by Go Bee Industries

6. Sub-Committees

- ProGrant changes
 - still an application process
 - more information available the end of November
 - funds will be available for more engagement opportunities
 - if anyone has any parent engagement opportunities, please contact Parent Council
- Bylaw Review requires 2-3 volunteers. Last review was 2015. Please contact Parent Council if able to assist. Review to be completed by April and Council to vote in the May meeting (quorum is required to hold a vote) on any revisions.

7. Other Business

- Grade 9 Vive is Nov 2nd put on by Valley Advisers and Mr. Davey

Next meeting November 21st, 2023, at 6:30pm

Adjourned @ 7:20 pm