## SCHOOL COUNCIL/HOME AND SCHOOL MINUTES

## **September 17, 2019.**

PRESENTER	AGENDA ITEM	INFORMATION	ACTION REQUIRED
Mr. Thorne	Principal's Report	<ul> <li>Thank you's</li> <li>Warm welcome and warm wishes</li> <li>Staff lists, didn't recognize a name</li> <li>Fresh start</li> <li>Develop trust</li> <li>8th school</li> <li>2nd school, VP at Dalewood and Ryerson</li> <li>Look forward to being a part of the community</li> </ul>	
JenMatthews	Staff Report	<ul> <li>Great start-up, really smooth</li> <li>Lots of communication before hand</li> <li>Cross-country (grades 3-5), Thursday morning before school, Christie Lake Oct 3</li> <li>Terry Fox, Thursday afternoon</li> <li>Need volunteers in Junior classes @ 1:30 p.m. on Thursday- must have police check</li> <li>Art Gallery trips- AGH happy to host us again- price has gone up \$9/visit, forms will come home</li> <li>Art cart has been re-stocked</li> <li>STEM cart being put together</li> <li>Spirit Wear-short sleeved shirt</li> </ul>	- New reminder for police check - (action item)

New-Business	<ul> <li>State of the playground- whole in astro turff and wood chips</li> <li>Safety issue</li> <li>Mr. Thorne has looked into re-visiting what it would look like to redo</li> <li>Re-Organization may happen, will find out next week</li> <li>Gardens out front need some help- Laura (gardening club), connect with Jenn Mathews</li> <li>Mr. Thorne has connected with caretaking to see about trimming of trees, gardening is a parent volunteer opportunity</li> <li>Population is 548 as of today</li> <li>Draft a letter to send to the city regarding liability, safety to see if we can push the city to fix sink hole and wood chips</li> <li>City has a long standing agreement with the board regarding the play structure and the wood chips</li> <li>Sustainability project in the neighbourhood- Earl Kitchener playground, tie back to the letter.</li> </ul>	