

MINUTES

School Council Earl Kitchener

February 18th 2025 | 6:30pm

Welcome and Land Acknowledgement

Land Acknowledgement by Dave Thorne and welcoming words.

Approval of Minutes and Agenda

The Agenda for February Meeting were approved by:

- Kate, Meg

Agenda Change for February Meeting were approved by:

- None

The Meeting Minutes from January were approved by:

- Kate, Meg

Meeting Minutes Change:

- None

Pro Grant Approval (Rachael)

- Dr Sheri is confirmed for Presentation and within budget. We can provide suggestions for presentations. She will make the presentation tailored to us
- Time Frame for April, she is available on Mondays and Tuesdays (April 8th, April 29th)
 - Setup Childcare
 - Make LiveStream available (Zoom Link)
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Volunteer and Principal Placement

- Principal Placement Survey
- Volunteer Placement Survey;

Playground Update (Mari)

- We have not gotten a reply from them yet

Principal Report by Dave Thorne

- May open house Tuesday May 6th (Greensville food truck), bookfair also
- Next Tuesday Reading Specialist Gale is coming in (3rd session out of 4), the importance of oral communication
- Kindergarten registration started (already 40 signed up)
- Snowremoval; City is responsible for side walk, Laneways up to school is caretaking responsibilities
- Coming soon
 - Archeology by Kate Kennel
 - Airquality teaching/learning with Shannon
 - Mom to offer Yoga Class after School (paid activity) (3-4 nights per week; 45mins)
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Staff Report by Amanda

- Pizza day upcoming Friday
- Feb 26th, Pink Shirt and BeKind Assembly
- Reports on Feb 20th
- Gr 5 starts with Band, meeting on Friday morning
- Jungle sport happened last, pretty good reviews from Parents
 - Ask Staff on PA day about feedback
 - Ask parents about feedback about Jungle Sport
 - Because of Snowday we missed out on one day. E-Mail sent to request a reimbursement for the missed day. No rescheduling of day. Ms Gasperini to deal with them.
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Others

- Enrollment Numbers: Don't get numbers until April
- FI assignment is already done; Projected 2.5 classes (50 seats); 59 applicants (9 on waitlist)

Next Meeting

March 18th, 2025