

Flamborough Centre School Council

Meeting Wednesday April 25, 2018

Welcome and Attendance: Carrie McLean, Leanne Barlow, Suzie Laroche, Erin Bilan, Shelley Armstrong, Vera Prpa, Dianne Boucher, Leah Young, Lianne Broughton, Alison Morris, Hilary Millington, Janice Kwasney

Regrets: Carola Baker, Kellie Bottenham

February minutes – Minutes approved; Alison Morris, seconded Lianne Broughton

Student Report

Raspberry Pi Presentation by Jacob – Programable smaller version of a computer. Can use for coding.

Shaylene and Holly –

- Swim team competition April 30th
- JR / SR Playoff games
- Glee and band performance upcoming at Wonderland.
- Talent show being organized for open house.

Principal's Report

School Updates:

School Organization 2018-2019

- We are currently in the process of staffing for next year – specific teaching assignments/schedules are being developed.
- Staffing allocation is down by 1.5 teachers for next year
- Staff retirements (Mrs. Hardy and Mr. Berendt)
- Addressing Concerns @ HWDSB
- Water tank replacement and repairs (completed by end of next week)
- Pink Shirt Day (April 11th)
- Jersey Day (April 12th)
- Jump Rope for Heart Kick-Off Assembly happened on April 20th our event is scheduled for May 18th from 10:20-12:00 pm (Raised last year = \$3379.75)
- Friday Fitness Fun will start up again for students on May 4th
- Wednesday, May 9th from 5:00 pm – 6:30 pm is Open House. Events will

include classroom visits, BBQ, School Council Theme Basket Draw, Variety Show, Grade 8 Café and Art Exhibit, Lost & Found pick up and much more...

Recent School Spending:

From School Council Funds

- Outdoor equipment for the outdoor play bin and DPA equipment for each classroom approx. \$1500 (footballs, basketballs, volleyballs, soccer balls, tennis balls, four square balls, foam flying disks, storage bags)

Important Upcoming Dates:

May 2 – Fuel For Kids Event (School Assembly 1:15 pm and BBQ at Fortinos 4-7 pm)

May 9 – Open House 5-6:30 pm

May 15 – Kindergarten Orientation Night 4:30 – 5:30 pm

May 18 – Jump Rope for Heart Event 10:20 am – 12:00 pm

May 22 – June 4 - Grade 3 & 6 EQAO

Teachers Report

Ms. Millington gave a tour and presentation of the Empower Reading program. Currently focuses on grades 6-8 to improve reading.

Program is 90 focused lessons, 4 days a week.

Treasurer Report

Balance as of Feb 23/18:		\$9,584.15			
				Profit	Note
Fundraising Initiative	Income	Expenses			
Sept-Jan Pizza		\$662.76			
Feb - June Pizza	\$272.50	\$1,605.73		\$2,082.17	Projected Feb - June Pizza
Spring Flowers	\$667.50			\$756.00	Projected Spring Flowers Fundraiser
Total	\$940.00	\$2,268.49			
Purchases					
Coupler for Speaker		\$11.29			
		\$11.29			
Closing Balance as of Apr 19/18:		\$8,244.37			
Income Anticipated					
Bulldogs	\$128.00				
Spring Flowers	\$936.00				
	\$1,064.00				
Expenses Anticipated					
Apple TV in kindergarten room		\$320.86			
Spring Flowers		\$847.50			
Remaining Pizza Cost (6*\$229.39)		\$1,376.34	approx.		
		\$2,544.70			
Money to Spend		\$6,763.67			

Fundraising

Bull Dogs - \$128.00

Spring Flowers - \$785.00 (maybe higher) SK/JK won pizza party.

Boston Pizza – No total yet

Fuel for kids upcoming – Set for volunteers, grade 8 kids will run bake sale

Theme baskets for open house

Parent Information Night

Good turnout and was well received. Approx 30 people attended.

Staff Appreciation Luncheon

Email will be sent out for helpers.

PRO grant

Alison will take care of application again for 2018/2019 – Due June 5th.

Other business

Fundraising ideas for next year: sell pumpkins, possibly paper towels/toilet paper similar to what a hockey team did; will try to organize better at the beginning of the year to avoid overlap of fundraisers

Next Meeting: May 25, 2018

Meeting Adjourned

Email Votes

1. Pro Grant vote to continue with similar format with a speaker or look to change use of funds. "Yes for a continued similar format for the next school year, or No for a change"
 - Results – YES to continue with current format.
2. "FCSC will donate \$500 to support the grade 8 graduation dinner and dance at Century Pines Golf Club"
 - Results – YES in support