



FRANK PANABAKER
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

School Council Meeting
Date: Tuesday October 19/2021, 6:30pm

Members Present: Caitlin Evans, Erin Ridpath, Jeff Hinchliffe, Melissa Ruetter, Venetia Fletcher, Andrea Jansen, Katy Smyth, Tahima Sumi Kazi, Sherri Johnston, Angela Zehr, Gord Cook, Emily Wang, Nima Maftoon, Mike de Maria, H. Chen, Natalia Bourenane		
Regrets:		
Call to Order: Mike de Maria/ Nima Maftoon (Co-Chairs)		
Agenda Item	Decision/Action Item	Person(s) Responsible
Welcome and introductions		Chair/Principal
Review and Approval of Agenda	<p>Agenda reviewed. Addition of item: School Council Promotion (Sherri Johnston)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Promotion of School Council on social media/Facebook. Sherri will post (already shared on school website, emails). Can also be added to school twitter feed. 	
Review and approval of previous minutes	NA – no minutes for review	
HWDSB Land Acknowledgement		Gord
Old Business		
Chair Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> New: Brain Power Enrichment Program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Offered pro-bono, in-person at McMaster Innovation Park or virtual program Flyer and info packages to go out Grade 2+ Fund Raising Plan: Due end October <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Indigo (see details below) 	Mike
Treasurer Report/Financial	<p>Treasurer: Update received by email. There are no changes in financials since last meeting. Total balance for both South and North sites: \$9,827.73</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fund Raising Plan: Due end October Indigo Fundraiser presented to group by Sherri Johnson: single night of sale at Ancaster location, proceeds would go to school (15% as cash OR 20% as books). <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Date: TCB request late October (Tues/Wed/Thurs evening), 2-4 hours window for sales. Can be done multiple times/year 	<p>Natalia Bourenane</p> <p>Sherri Johnston</p>



	<p>(2) Remote Classes: working to find ways to include remote students.</p> <p>Home and School Fundraiser: Caitlin to provide more info when available.</p> <p>Thank you to Ms Horvath for organizing grade 3 English Club.</p>	
Teacher Report	<p>North Site: Andrea Jensen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take me Outside Day • Bus Driver Appreciation • Pumpkin Stroll next week – classes to start pumpkin carving. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Inquiry from group re: availability of registration – FULL? Covid restrictions as limiting numbers. <p>Run by Home and School Association</p> <p>South Site: Melissa Reutter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take Me Outside Day • Bus Driver Appreciation • Puma Spirit Wear – Order online until 25th • Pumpkin Stoll – working ways to include Remote students • Sports: Volleyball ongoing (JR/SR Boys/Girls) • No other clubs are present, working on plan to move forward with Arts Club 	
New Business	<p>Parking: Concern raised re: increasing safety concerns on streets surrounding school (*Huron and Council Crescent). Caitlin will ask teachers to monitor and post reminder to website. ByLaw can be asked to come out.</p> <p>Math: Nima raised question of use of material and textbooks to support math. To be discussed at future meeting.</p>	<p>Sherri</p> <p>Nima</p>
Next Meeting Date/Time	<p>Tuesday November 23rd, 6:30pm</p> <p>Tuesday January 25th, 6:30pm</p> <p>Tuesday February 22nd, 6:30pm</p> <p>Tuesday April 26th, 6:30 pm</p> <p>Tuesday May 24th, 6:30 pm</p> <p>No meeting: December, March, June</p>	
Ajournment	7:30pm	