

Holbrook School Council Minutes: April 09<sup>th</sup>, 2015

In attendance: Non-members-Emilie Michaluk, Tracey Korytko. Members-Joanne Robar, Mike Palma, Katherine Burch, Cathie Lemmond, and Ira Henderson (chair)

- Welcome and call to order - **6:00**
- Approve the agenda
- Approve January 29<sup>th</sup> meeting minutes – **consensus**
  
- **Principal's Report**
  
- 1. **Curriculum:**
  - School Focus: "extending student thinking"
  - Math champions
  - Instructional coach
  - EQAO coming up-results may be dropping this year
  - Science trip- a great day of learning
  - JK to Grade 2 –trip to Mountview Carousel Players presentation
  - Gr.1-2 trip to Education Centre for Forest of reading Celebration.
  
- 2. **Environment:**
  - TRIBES assembly- Parents welcomed
  - February 12~ Friendship Spirit Day
  - Checkers Tournament- 2<sup>nd</sup> place in our division
  - "Mad Science" Assembly
  - "Pink Day" and Officer Ellis, school liaison officer
  - "Earth Day" clean up-April 22
  - "Together We change" 10 students with Mr. Singh
  - "Jump Rope For Heart" May 21st
  - Run4Change- grades 4-6 are participating May 13 1K or 5K Walk/run for charity for grades 4-6 at Bayfront Park. Started training 2<sup>nd</sup> nutrition break
  
- 3. **Fundraising**
  - Projectors – thank you!
  - Apple TV for the Library-haven't purchased yet
  - REQUEST: \$130.00 for students in Grades 1-2 to attend the Forest of Reading Celebration
  
- 4. **Volunteers**
  - Nutrition program – need a couple more volunteers able to start at 8:45am?
  - Names submitted to Profiling Excellence

**Thank you from all the staff for the lovely luncheon! That was so kind of you all!**

**MULTICULTURAL CELEBRATION OPEN HOUSE AND BOOK FAIR THURSDAY, MAY 7**

- New Business

#### Events

- Family Dance : email vote took place February 7<sup>th</sup> to approve budget increase of 35.00 to cover prizes
- Movie Night- April 17th, 6 p.m. – 8pm

#### Activities

- Staff appreciation lunch: \$164.22 was spent

#### Purchases

- Outdoor recess equipment

#### Other

- Pro Grant: Deadline May 15<sup>th</sup>: any ideas?
- Principal Survey
- Dates of next council meetings: June 3rd, 6:00 p.m.
- Adjournment –