

Huntington Park

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SCHOOL COUNCIL

Meeting Minutes

Date: Thursday, October 14, 2021

I. CALL TO ORDER

The Huntington Park School Council Meeting was called to order at 6:00pm on Thursday, October 14, 2021 online through MS Teams

Roll call was conducted. The following persons were present:

Laura Hill, Natalie Rendal, Sasha Pivarnyik, Kevin Haluik, Susan Martin, Pat Petruccelli, Principal Spencer de Man, Teacher

ABSENT: n/a

REGRETS: n/a

II. Land Acknowledgment

Huntington Park School is located on Haudenosaunee and Anishinaabe lands under the Dish with One Spoon Treaty. Staff and students are grateful and honoured to share the land and resources with everyone.

III. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM LAST MEETING

There are not any minutes from previous meeting to be approved.

EXECUTIVE POSITIONS:

Co-Chair – Laura Hill, Sasha Pivarnyk

Secretary – Natalie Rendall

Treasurer – vacant

IV. COUNCIL MEMBER STATUS-REVIEW OF MEMBER AND VOTING MEMBER AND EXPECTATIONS OF EACH

Applications for members at large were received from: Laura Hill, Sasha Pivarnyk, and Natalie Rendall.

V. EXECUTIVE VOTE:

During the meeting, the following people volunteered to have their name represent the following positions:

- Co-Chair Laura Hill, Sasha Pivarnyk
- Secretary Natalie Rendall
- Treasurer vacant

VI. PRINCIPAL'S REPORT – P. Petruccelli

PEOPLE: This is the present school organization:

Kindergarten

- A Mr. Root and Mrs. Szpak with EA Mrs. Beyers
- B Mrs. Martin and Mrs. DaSilva with EA Mrs. Sherry (new)
- C Mrs. Cumbo and Mrs. Monaghan with EA Mrs. Latchford (new)
- D Ms. McKinney

Grade 1

- A Mrs. Mace with Ms. Freind (Day 4, new)
- B Mrs Hewson with Ms. Freind (Day 5, new)

Grade 1/2

Grade 1/2 - Mr. Cotton with EA Mrs. Wilson (new)

Grade 2 - Mrs. Hurren

Grade 2/3 – Mr. Johnston with EA Mrs. Harvey

Grade 3 – Mrs. Gordan

Grade 3/4

- A Mr. Helm with EA Mrs. Comtois (new)
- B Mr. Anderson

Grade 4/5 - Mr. Tondreau

Grade 5/6 – Mrs. Tallarico with EA Mrs. Lamascese

Grade 6/7

- A Mrs. Bowler
- B Ms. Harding

A – Madame Economou

B – Mr. Cognigni

Grade 8 – Mrs. Kisielewski

Multiple Class – Mrs. Gedye with EA Mrs. Nawrocky **Primary Learning Resource Teacher** – Mrs. Treffry

Junior / Intermediate Resource Teacher – Mrs. Boeckh (new)

Music - Mr. DeMan Art - Mrs. Johnston Library - Mrs. Daly

Remote Grade 3 – Ms. Westboy (new)

PROGRAM:

• Goal #1 Grades 7 to 12+

Improving the graduation outcome for all students and closing the gap for those historically underserved.

Target: At least 80 per cent of students within each cohort making progress towards graduation/graduating*.

Grades K to 6

• Goal #2: Improving the reading achievement of all students and closing the gap for those historically underserved.

Target: At least 75 per cent of students within each cohort on track as an effective reader.

PLANT:

- Unit ventilators will begin to be installed on or about October 25.
- Two classes will be done at the same time.
- It takes approximately 5 days to complete the installation.
- Classes that will have their unit ventilators installed will be relocated to two empty classrooms.

TEACHERS' REPORT: (Spencer DeMan)

Mr. de Man shared the appreciation the staff here at Huntington Park have for the community during this challenging start up to the year.

Extracurriculars

Baseball was in September. HP had one boys and one girls team. The boys Won Silver for the season.

Volleyball is starting up this month.

It will consist of a regular season with no playoffs.

Cross Country was cancelled due to covid complications

We plan to combine the Terry Fox run and cross country to get our students involved in a running event at the school level. More to follow.

VII. TREASURER'S REPORT

- School Council = \$8,742.91
- Fundraising = \$5224.36
- Pizza = \$4,043.25

VIII. FUNDRAISING REPORT – No changes

Fundraising is on pause.

IX. NEW BUSINESS

Laura Hill asked if there is air conditioning in the Kindergarten rooms; at present there isn't any air conditioning in the Kindergarten rooms.

X. SPENDING & VOTING

No request.

XI. UPCOMING SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING DATES:

Next School Council Meeting: To be determined.

Minutes submitted by: Pat Petruccelli, Principal