Lisgar School Council Meeting Minutes

Meeting date: March 26, 2025

Attendance: Sandra, Marco, Shenika, Brittney, Michelle, Sarah, Aleah,

Teacher Rep: Sandra Santinon Principal: Marco Lutterotti

Regrets: Amanda, Brandon, Alicia, Ben, Sam

1. Welcome/Land acknowledgement

Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board acknowledges our presence on ancestral Anishinaabe and Haudenosaunee Confederacy land as determined by the Dish with One Spoon treaty.

The intent of this agreement is for all nations sharing this territory to do so responsibly, respectfully and sustainably in perpetuity.

We respect the longstanding relationships with the local Indigenous communities, the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation and the Six Nations of the Grand River.

2. Approval of February Minutes - APPROVED

3. Principal Report – Marco Lutterotti

- lots of fun things, Profession Jamz kick off on March 26, dance on April 11
- teachers are taking all opportunities for trips; Arts 4-8 Hamilton Philharmonic
- Glendale Trip to watch a musical
- primary classes have had author visit; artist visit to do art lesson
- RBG trip upcoming
- talent show auditions are taking place
- Mr. Madjercic and Mme Aldgate working hard on the school play
- grad trip information night took place,
- health and development unit starting soon
- vaccinations March 27 for Gr. 7
- EQAO planning, mid May to early June
- financial planning to purchase replacement for older technology
- online program Lexia: school has screened all students and licenses purchased by the board for grade 3-5

- Indigo books returned due to delivery due to march break, working to get books back
- approximately \$8,600 top up for nutrition program; \$350 in dairy vouchers received
- Ramadan is almost over Sunday

4. Teacher Report

- intermediate swim team practices start March 27 at Valley Park
- Nathan Carson, artist
- Jr Boys and Girls basketball started
- Glee Club grades 2-4, learning the song ROAR, going to Choirfest at Churchill in May, will also be singing at Sherwood Library
- Grad Photo retakes April 15
- March Music Madness, Mr. Madjercic is running this
- Mr. Kelly has started a guitar club once a week with 7 and 8
- TCBY closes this Friday, April 17th TCBY day
- Professor Jams April 11
- Band fest at Sherwood April 24
- Assembly April 10th
- May 7th, Cardinal School Game Day grades 4 to 8, four tickets to a future Hamilton cardinals game, baseball card, information packet trip day May 7th, leave at 10:15am
- Open House Thursday May 8th, Book Fair, Talent Show, Kinder Info Night
- Girls flag football tournament May
- Nature Photography, Ms. Legere funded by Telus grant, full day taking pictures, Mr. Kelly May 12, Mrs. Donohue May 13, Ms. Legere May 30 June 5
- Band is playing at the Pier, grade 6-8
- grade 7 Music Trip to Glendale 'Mary Poppins'
- Year End Trips; Activate for Gibson and Robinson on one day, and Legere and Chohan on another day; Escape Room and Bowling for grade 7's with Kelly, Mystic Drums for Kinders

5. Treasurer Report

- 5 pizza days to be removed, just shy of \$1900 (pay for chocolates)

6. New Business

- Open house, pizza, pop and chips.

7. Fundraising Updates:

- Cinnabon order forms to go out on April 14th and returned by April 25th with delivery of certificates by May 9^{th} Michelle provided forms
- Brittney to provide update on chocolate fundraiser no invoice yet so unsure of balance owing. This year we sold 82 cases, sent 27 cases of bars and 16 cases of almonds back; deposit for \$5,244.70, additional \$565.40 came in late, and some outstanding and some online payments, we may have to pay back approx.. \$3,800 to world's finest chocolates.

- Dough Raise date changed to May 13, artwork has been sent home.
- funds available for Ukulele purchase
- Dominos incentive, buy pizzas for a chance to win a family dinner package?
- BBQ May 23rd hot dog, chips and pop
- Ms. Legere won ice cream party, volunteers needed.

Next Meeting is Monday May 12