

Mount Albion Parent Council Meeting Minutes

Nov 19, 2020, 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Attendees: Raji Mundi (RM), Christine Basile-Brock (CB), Lisa Paddock (LP), Victoria Llewellyn (VL), Amber Mayne (AM), Ashley Wilson (AW), Susan Dumoulin (SD), Jennifer Pernu (JP), Kirsteen Cannell (KC), Cassandra Haworth (KH), Luba Dubinsky (LD), Judy Davidson (JD), Leeann Esposto (LE), Tricia Nelson (TN), Angela Giardino (AG - Principal)

Welcome:

- Agenda
- Review minutes from Oct 15, 2020, passed

Community Report:

- Numbers remain low compared to previous years
- No coverage for PA day or Winter Break, not enough interest

Teachers Report:

- No extracurricular activities/sports at this time
- Remembrance Day Ceremony, Nov 11, 2020: CHCH News in attendance and filed for TV segment
- Funky Mask Day Nov 20, 2020
- PA Day Nov 27, 2020, possible teacher/parent phone interviews
- Joy Day, Dec 1, 2020, crafts & snacks, nutrition free day
 - **ACTION REQUIRED**
 - AM, order and pick up kernels popcorn
 - VL, order and pick up plastic cups and lids for snowman craft

Financial Report:

- Total \$9511.00 –this is from the previous meeting, need to get clarification
- Grad awards: deducted, need to get actual total
- Multiple approved spending items have not been withdrawal as of yet

Principal's Report:

- Large reorganization on Nov 3, 2020
 - Collapsed 1 kindergarten class and a 7/8 split
- Total of 370 students attending in class education
- Only 4 students have transitions from in-class to remote since September
- Construction up-date, the 10 classroom addition is progressing with a possible end date of mid Feb.
- Discussing the option of a Christmas concert via video recording, exploring options
- Mrs. Nelson will be leaving Mount Albion School at the end of Dec
- Teachers are allowed to still accept Christmas gifts from students

Fundraisers: on hold until further notice

New Business/Request:

- Funding Request: Joy Day expenses ie popcorn, crafts etc
 - Estimated cost \$250
 - Voted and approved Nov 19, 2020
- Funding Request: French Learning Kits, Jr and intermediate students
 - Estimated cost \$550
 - Voted and approved Oct 16, 2020
- Snack program **ACTION REQUIRED:**
 - Need volunteers to grocery shop to replenish snack program supply.
 - Looking to create a weekly schedule
 - If interested and available please contact Mrs. Giardino

Next Meeting: Jan 21, 2021 @ 6:30, invite via email link