

School Council Meeting Minutes – Monday, January 14th, 2019

Attendees: G. Carey, Phil, Tahira, Himani, Donna

- Approval of minutes from Nov 2018
- Approval of agenda
- Principals report
- Board wants to target grade 1's & 6's reading with hope's of raising reading scores to or above average
- Math scores for grade 1's would ideally have 70% at board average
- Math scores for grade 6's would ideally have 72% of students achieve or above standard
- Staff is working with students to understand the importance of emotional well being and ensuring students are able to identify a caring adult with whom they are able to connect with
- R & R has been working well with about an hour a month being set aside for all students to break into small groups and team up with different teacher's to work on different activities
- Ms.Schwenger's final day will be January 31st
- Madam Kucic will be our new V.P as of February 1st.
- Shirley is our new full time caretaker and Rob and Rebecca are our part time caretakers
- Report card will be going home on February 12th.
- The grade 8's grad overnight trip was cancelled due to lack of interest. Grade 8's are working on coming up with new grad ideas
- Grade 8 graduation will be on June 19th 2019
- Tahira will present the volunteer award on behalf of council. Both recipients will receive a \$25 gift card for Chapters/Indigo and an individual plaque recognizing their achievement
- Pizza day is going well. New volunteers are always welcome and can contact Tahira for information.
- The final two sub days will be April 16th and May 14th
- Phil will register with Little Ceasar's for fundraising kits
- Proposal from Himani for Subday with subway
- Council approved the purchase of a 10 pack of I-Pads

- Donna will check into the possibility of “Fresh from the farm produce” for possible fundraising initiative in the fall
- Popcorn day will be on February 11th at second nutrition break
- Next council meeting will be on February 11th at 6:30.