



School Council Minutes

Date: January 18, 2023

Call to order @ 6:32 pm

Present: Diana Rodgers; Cathy Abbott; Mr. Berketa; Michelle Timson; Carrie Meyer; Chris Perry; Stacey Keric; Amanda Pidberezny; Natasa Dejanovic

Regrets: Gina Nicholls; Toni Shuart; Matt Bell; Manoj Kumar; Saraya Dawson(Heritage Green); Meghana Oza;

Guests: none

Approval of Agenda –

_ Carrie _ moved that they be accepted

_ Michelle _ seconded the motion

CARRIED

Approval of minutes – Nov 2022 –

_ Carrie _ moved that they be accepted

_ Cathy _ seconded the motion

CARRIED

Old business

Principal's Report

Holiday video, bulletin boards, pizza party all went well!

Snow removal – no city component this year – Mr. Berketa is working with contractor on clearing the snow

Cold weather policy

New school – no recent update – Mr. Berketa to investigate an update

Pizza lunches – to start up in February – Thursdays? – volunteers required to help hand out

Jerseys – quote received – \$488.16 (24)

Parent engagement funds – Mr. Berketa to see if Mrs. Cooke is still doing talks?

Chair's Report

Bulletin board winners – Boards were OVER THE TOP – 5 winners! Cathy to send photos for posting

Kitchen, Rainville, Burke, Levantis, Rau! WOW! – Pizza day February 2nd ? for the winners!

Bylaws have been posted for a month – Diana to change from Draft

Treasurer – Mr. Berketa to reach out to Gina

Voting Members – Toni and Gina absent – Mr. Berketa to reach out (Toni no longer has interest)

(Diana to provide Cathy with emails)

Epicure fundraiser / popcorn / meat – go forward with Epicure in February (out Feb 6, due Feb 23, back March)

Book fair – will return in May (tues May 2nd) – along with Art show – food truck

Diana to reach out to Entripy – issues with selection and colours and sizing

Get samples from Hockey Class supplier

Popcorn days starting February (1st Wednesday of Month)



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Teacher's Report

Sr boys and Sr girls basketball has started
Robotics club has started up
Milk bags continues
Primary trip in March (maple syrup)
Before / after school programs – Language Phonics and Math Academy
Intramural games club starting

Treasurer Report

Jerseys, freezies, popcorn, and pizza winners still to come out
Grad – Thursday June 22nd – Winterberry Heights (58 grads!) – catered meal afterwards
Volunteers required (6)
New hoodie contractor

Heritage Green

n/a

Social Media

Facebook school page (maintained by Council): [Taplestown Elementary School | Facebook](#)
(This is a public group – anyone can see and follow us)

Facebook council page (maintained by Council): [Taplestown School Council | Facebook](#)
(this is a private group – you will have to friend me to be added – “Diana Russell-Rodgers”)

HWDSB Taplestown page (maintained by school/board): [TapleTown Elementary School \(hwdsb.on.ca\)](#)
Ensure you click on [subscribe] to receive school correspondence

HWDSB Council information (maintained by school/board):
[School Council | TapleTown Elementary School \(hwdsb.on.ca\)](#)

Twitter (maintained by school/board): [@TaplestownHWDSB](#)
School cash online link: <https://hwdsb.schoolcashionline.com>

Next meeting: February 15th @ 6:30pm

_ Diana _ motioned to adjourn @ 8:03 pm

_ Cathy _ seconded

Adjourned

Approved ON: March 29, 2023