# School Council Meeting - Minutes - Wed. Jan. 11, 6:30 pm

Attendees: Jenny Vanderlip, Stefan Strecker, Ashley Buligan, Amy Telford, Andrea Hitchcock, Beth Morrison, Markarim Siralkhatim (mams27213@gmail.com)

#### Welcome

Previous minutes approved- from Nov. 2022

## Principal's Report - Jenny Vanderlip and Stefan Strecker

Staffing Update- Tammy Hinchey Gr 2 has returned fulltime

Portables- we were waiting this week for facilities to remove furniture that came with the portables, clean inside and we should be moving students in the following week. Week of Jan. 16<sup>th</sup>

EQAO- Shared school data with committee

Two staff committees have been formed this year- they meet every few weeks with staff leads from various divisions:

Right to Lead – Lead by Mrs. Faux- focus on phonemic Awareness, phonics, resources for teachers, student needs, programming, small group instruction word walls PD sessions will be provided to each grade team in February to focus on reading programming and assessment.

Equity- Lead teacher, Mrs. Money, focuses on staff and student voice. Putting together welcome kits (swag bags) for new students as they transition to Tiffany Hills School.

### Teacher's Report (Ashley Buligan)

SC Pro grant due Jan 27 \$1000, last year we requested books for library and home reading would like to apply for the same amount and same reasons with SC support. Yes, SC has agreed to support this request. Amy to sign application.

Candygrams- Is SC selling CandyGrams if not, Ruth Bosma and team will sell Candygram for Valentine's Day event. SC has asked the school to sell Candygrams but is available to help if needed. Let Amy and Andrea know if they can help.

# Treasurer's Report – Andrea Hitchcock

Meet the Teacher Pizza sales \$73.44

Movie Night - \$780 – after costs \$475 – we had quite a turnout. If we are to have another movie night, things to consider: extra garbage cans, and ask families to leave if children are not able to sit and watch the movie quietly. Student council members may be asked to help out.

Pizza Sales \$3126.69 - from Oct and Dec. January to March we anticipate approx. \$17400.

Subway Sales- \$25.25 – will not continue with Subway sales

### Chair's Report - Amy Telford

Proceeds for fundraising- we have money to spend
Ask teachers for a Wish List for next meeting, we will review and prioritize
School has purchased 40 new iPads and covers costing approx. \$20000, asking SC to contribute to some of the costs- SC to determine at next meeting

Can something go out to families requesting Volunteers for SC events? Vulnerable sector screening can be done online for \$25.

SC will look at selling Boxed Cards in the Spring. SC will consider setting up food sales for Education

Next Meeting Wed. Feb. 8, 2023 - 6:30 PM