

## Forest Hill (FHL) School Council Meeting

Tuesday, December 17th, 2019

School Library

All in attendance at 6:00pm for Potluck social

6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

### In attendance:

B. Hughes (Principal), Jenn D, Jenn P, Brian, Jill, Elaine, Stuart, Melissa and Monika  
Mr. Wiechers (VP)

### FINANCIAL UPDATE: (Elaine and Mr. Hughes)

#### General account balance of \$4,341.69

- Most recent transaction (credit): McMillan's Funraiser

#### Tree Generation balance of \$2,873.85

Brad has connected with Sean McCammon (Outdoor Education Specialist, Laurel Creek Conservation Area) They will meet in the spring regarding visioning in our greening in the new year.

**ACTION: Jenn D to contact Lori to reconnect about our interest in migrating the content of Forest Hill's Tree Generation website.**

**ACTION: Brad to check on order timeline of Grade 6 tree for this year.**

### COUNCIL UPDATES:

#### McMillan's Fundraiser:

Significant increase in sales over last year. Thank you to Jenn P for leading this fundraiser and to Jenn D and Monika for all of their hard work to support. Thank you to Brad and Elaine for their efficient work to streamline order pick up. Thank you to Mr Wiechers and Mr Creed as well for support.

#### WALKING SCHOOL BUS: (Melissa)

- Melissa could not get coverage for walking school bus one Wednesday when she get called into work. Jenn P offered to jump in if Melissa cannot, they will exchange contact information to support.
- Melissa expressed that parents are not registering their children online and therefore getting a tag.

**ACTION: Melissa will connect with Ismael at the Community Centre to have at least one of the community centre computers open so parents can register when they come to Breakfast.**

The FHL Walking School Bus operates Monday & Wednesday. Leaves Chandler Mowat C.C. @ 8:35 a.m.

- More volunteers are needed

#### Monday's Group:

- Lead by Miguel; attendance is nil.

#### Wednesday's Group:

- Lead by Melissa; 4 students attend on a regular basis

### PRO Grant:

- Thank you Jenn D for completing the PRO Grant
- \$500 is automatically transferred to each school council.
- Believes the maximum is \$1,000 (to be confirmed)

**WRAPSC:**

- Minutes have not yet been received for the month.

**Principals Go Public:**

Kindness/Hero Gift Shop:

- Open December 1-20; Teachers are asked to promote and recognize student acts of kindness with a “kindness ticket” that may be redeemed for a gift for a loved one. Each student is asked to think about whom the gift is for and its purpose. Volunteers will gift wrap each item.
- Boxes have been received with donation and not needing any more donations at this point.

Thank-you gift for Mrs. Scharlach:

- Brian motioned that we move forward with the thank you gift.
- Brad suggested the thank you gift that would be meaningful would be a donation to a local charity
- Council in favor
- Envelope for Free Will Donation will be at next week if any council members would like to donate

**ACTION: Jenn D will bring a Thank you Card to January Meeting.**

Pride Signage:

Thank you Brad and Matt for working together on the Pride Acceptance Sign on the school door.

Next month’s meeting:

- January 21<sup>st</sup>, 2020 6:30-8:00pm
- Snacks: Monika

Meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.