

Rockway School Council

September 19, 2018 – 4:15pm School Library

Members in attendance

Desire, Krista, Suzanne, Bobbie Jo Lovell

1. Welcome and introductions. We went around the table and everyone introduced themselves and said who their children are.

Kristy from Corizan- shared services offered to support Rockway families

-coffee connection ideas

-self identify sign up sheet in the office

-staff can recommend also

-can help connect to community supports & resources

School Council & Council Vote Members were voted in

Chair -Christine Lacell

Secretary-Desiree Hinsperger

Volunteer Coordinator -

Treasurer –

Fundraising Coordinator-

Voting Members – Susanne Akimov, Krista Faw

School Organization for 2018-19

Granted additional Kindergarten class- will be hiring a new ECE, Kindergarten teacher and small planning time teacher

K1-Miss Johnston & Miss Hussain

K2- Mr. Bouchard & Miss Davis

K3- Mrs. Rhodes and 2 new hires hopefully in place for Monday

Grade 1- Miss Gatrell

Grade 1-2- Miss Kehn

Grade 2-Miss Bleaney

Grade 3- Mr. Klokoff

Grade 3-4- Miss Klassen

4-5- Mr. Peterson

5- Mr. Butson

6 Amanda McCall (Jen will return in February)

EAs- Mr. V, Mrs. Rody, Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Gagne,

Mrs. Pawson,
Mr. Snyder
Mrs. Hutchison
Mrs. Ducharme

Mrs. Verasamy

Mrs. Ingram

Mrs. Garcia
Ms. Starr
Mrs. Crew

School News

Met the staff night was September 12th- huge success
Parent workshop let's talk about screen time right after this please feel free to stay (grant from project read and healthy kids)
Continuing mindful mealtime
School Photo day is October 3rd
Kitchener Fire Truck Visit is October 4th for kindergarten
PD day Friday no extended day- staff engaged in activities to support SIP

Running Club is up and running
Gardening Club has started
Terry Fox Run is set for September 27th
Orange shirt day is September 28th
Thanksgiving Monday is Oct 8th no school
EQAO Scores will be released today or tomorrow- math scores are trending up for the board
staff worked very hard so we are hopeful of our results but recognize snap in time- one child is 4%

Fundraising

-starting Little Caesars Pizza Kits September
-if Bulbs in spring start fundraiser earlier
-Jersey Mikes at some point

-Next meeting share EQAO results-- EQAO Results and Direction - Results from last year's EQAO were just released today. It is important to not compare our school to other schools. Bobbie Jo will share the results more thoroughly at next month's meeting. There was improvement in areas and there is definitely room for celebration.

Future meetings will be held Tuesdays at 4:15 snacks meeting 4:30
Next Date: October 30th at 4:15pm in Library