

Apr 2021

Wednesday, April 21, 2021

7 PM

Meeting name:	School Council Meeting
Meeting purpose:	School Council is a group of parents, school and community members who are committed to working together to support their local school. School Councils typically deal with agenda items such as the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• development of bylaws and procedures for the school council• code of conduct and safety initiatives for students• fundraising policy and programs, etc.
Meeting date & time:	April 21, 2021 at 7pm
Location details:	Google Meet
Meeting Chair:	Nancy Murovec
Minute Taker:	Karen Power

AGENDA

Item #	Time	Agenda Item	Owner
1	5 mins	Approval of Prior Minutes	All
2	20 mins	School update	Nancy/Beth C
3	5 mins	Any other Topics	All
4		Next Meeting – TBD	

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Participants

Karen P	Nancy M	Katie S	Nicholas S
Kerri P	Joanna M	Akshay S	Beth C
Cheryl M	Nadina D		

Agenda Items	
Item #1 Approval of Prior Meeting Minutes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Land acknowledgement
Item #2 School Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No information on when schools will return to in person learning • Beth and Nancy are in the school every day to distribute Chromebooks • Only 8 students who have opted for paper option. A few families have opted for a hybrid option. • Funding - \$1000 dedication to new laminator, is being used extensively • Equity continues to be a focus, in staff meetings for professional development and in the classroom <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ LeBron James' 'I Promise' – inspired a bulletin board in school as a reminder to all ○ Challenged staff to create 'I Promise' statements. Gave student strips of paper to create promises to themselves. Posted in pods. ○ Created puzzle pieces, one for each classroom, including distance learning, each student represented themselves on it. Put puzzle pieces together in hallway to show how we all fit together and belong • Received Pro grant to have an anti-racism speaker come in. However, were not able to come up with a speaker within the price range. Still working on finding someone before the end of the year. Send any recommendations to Nancy • Applied for Rotary grant for up to \$2000 to continue the decal work, have not heard back about success with grant • Student Census has begun. Teachers for grade 4 and up will walk students through the process. K-grade 3 will be completed by parents at home. Quick and easy to do. Due April 30 • Staffing – Mrs. Pandey, replaced by Mr. McKinnon. Mr. Wilkinson will not return this year; Mrs Randhawa, replaced by Ms. Colussi for the rest of the year; Student EA Jenna Rose was supporting class 4A has moved on. Two student teachers have been with us since September, will be leaving after this week. Both have been accepted to supply lists. Student DECE is finishing at end of April • Graduation for Grade 6s. Board will communicate something centrally through the board and school sites. Grade 6 is a celebration and will look similar to last year. Individual classes and teachers will decide how to celebrate. • Temporary walkways running perpendicular to the parking lot as it was getting muddy at alternate entrances. Working with landscaping company to try to fix up the grassy area • Next year – everything on hold. Have heard that there may be communication soon to families about distance learning next year.
Item #6 Any Other Topics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Student Census – should have been emailed to parents of students K-Grade 3, check spam filters. If email not provided, would be mailed about • Day custodian Kent is great, constantly cleaning and wiping to keep the school safe and comfortable
Next Meeting Scheduled for:	TBD
	Adjourned at 7:32pm

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	Action Item	Owner	Date Raised	Due Date	Comments	Status
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