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| **Meeting Info:** | Regular Council Meeting  Wednesday, December 7, 2016 at 6:00 P.M.  St. Andrews Public School - Library  Chair: Gary Wagner | | |
| **In Attendance:** | Gary  Lynn  Marcie | Tatania Stroud  Sheryl  Riina | Christina Webster  Linda |
| **Absent:** | Shelley, Melissa, Brad Brannerman, Caroline, Kelly | | |
| **Agenda:** | See Appendix for full agenda   * Called to Order 6:00 P.M.; Adjourned 6:45 P.M. * November 16, 2016 minutes – approved | | |
| **Next Meeting:** | Parent Council  Wednesday, January 18, 2016 at 6:00 P.M.  St. Andrews School  Chair: Gary Wagner | | |

**Decisions:**

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| 1. | Decision was made to add FundScrip to School-Day to allow participants to pay online. |
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**Agenda:**

1. **Financials**
   * No treasurer’s report
2. **Fundraising**
   * Volunteers are still needed for the Family Math Night on December 8, 2016. E-mail Marcie to sign-up.
   * FundScrip fundraiser needs volunteers for order checking and data entry on December 14, 2016. Orders need to be in by December 15th, to meet the Christmas delivery deadline. Parents are encouraged to order on School-Day or through order forms, as the school gets 2% less profit, if orders are entered online.
   * Christmas Store will be in the library– many volunteers needed for sorting, cleaning and packaging. Students will help with pricing, but need a volunteer supervisor. Volunteers are also needed for the dates the store is open, contact Marcie to sign up for the following days: Dec 19-22nd. The store will be open Dec 19th first break, and both breaks on Dec 20-21. Cleanup will take place Dec 22nd.
3. **Principal’s Report**
   * Math night December 8, 2016 from 5:45-7:30 P.M. Some of the activities include games, classroom environments to build math fluency, graffiti wall, strategies wall, tech station, take-aways and much more. 25 families have pre-registered to date.
   * Conflict of dates was brought up, with the Unsilent Night being on the same date as the Family Math night. It was suggested to contact the City of Cambridge in January to confirm their schedule of major events, prior to booking school activities.
   * MADD Canada assembly for the grade 7/8 on December 8, 2016. The grade 6 students will have a separate “fun” assembly.
   * An alert has been issued for the school board, for the drug called Carfentanyl, more awareness needed.
   * PISA report has positive results; Ontario is doing well and among the international leaders.
   * Compass is a new and highly effective reporting system for schools, to identify the children most at risk and in need of support. This data base includes grades, dates absent and diagnoses among many other factors.
   * Anti-bullying assembly is planned for later in the school year.
4. **Teacher’s Report**

* No teacher’s report

1. **Council Dates**
   * January 18
   * April 5
   * June 7

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| **Appendix A – Full Agenda** |
| **St. Andrew’s School Advisory Council**  **Agenda**  **Date: Dec 7, 2016**  **Time: 6 pm – 7:20 pm**  **Location: St. Andrews Library**  • Welcome  • Attendance  • Review of Minutes (Gary)  • Fundraiser update (Marcie)  o Volunteer needs – Christmas store  o Volunteer needs – Fundscrip gift cards  • Treasurers Report  • Principal’s Report (Tatania)  • Next Meeting date |
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