

Wellesley Public School - School Council Meeting
Thursday, March 25, 2021

In Attendance: Erin Agnello, Jamie Enns, Chantel Franklin, Lisa Windling, Melissa Turner, Mel Quint, Steve Tippen, Marcia Lubert

Regrets: Brian Beney, Suzanne Krahn

Motion to Pass February Meeting Minutes: Mel Quint, Seconded by Lisa Windling, motion passed.

WRAPSC Update from February

- No March meeting
- Next Meeting Tuesday April 6th at 7:00 p.m.

Parent Involvement Council (PIC) Meeting

- Meeting was March 2/2021; Chantel attended
- Matthew Gerrard from WRDSB indicated that Parents Reaching Out (PRO) grants were reviewed (we did not submit a grant this year) and approximately 46 submissions were approved
- Roll-out of the 2021 student census - provincial initiative to collect race-based data (confidential, voluntary survey); identity information will be collected; survey to roll out the end of March
- A guest from Public Health attended; conversations around immunizations, asymptomatic testing - no decisions made/finalized

Fundraising

- We will proceed with a spring fundraiser with truLOCAL - this fundraiser meets all Covid protocols, easy to set-up/run
- Mel will take on the planning/organizing of this (Jamie Enns & Steve Tippin will help)

Treasurer's Report/Budget

- Nothing to report at this time - Suzanne was not able to attend

Principal's Report

- Spiritweek was last week; great participation from students & staff
- Grad Update: we are able to have graduation photos (May 31st), but no traditional ceremony - WRDSB is keeping things consistent and there will be virtual ceremonies
- Ms. Farr teaching Jr./Intermediate drama (PM position), Mrs. Shantz is retiring at the end of this month. Mrs. Albrecht will be joining the office team on April 1st.
- Staffing process is starting; just the beginning stages

Next Meeting: Thursday April 22nd @ 7:00 p.m.
For May/June agenda: Internet Safety - Paul Davis