

Parent Council Meeting November 27th, 2024

Call to Order

October Meeting Minutes – approved online

Follow-ups:

- **Vandermeer Plant sale** – indications that the sales were low this year, 84 orders. Profit to be determined, it has been impacted by the increase in fees associated with school cash online.
- **Clothing Sale:** approximately \$3400 in sales, no current dated for delivery.
- **Subway:** First sale date will be December 19th, 2024. Now available on school cash online. Price has been set for \$6.00 to incorporate fees and tax. Next date will be January 16, 2025.
- **Boston Pizza hot lunch:** tentative dates for sale will be January 30th, and February 27th, 2025. Still establishing ordering process. To update when information is available.
- Inquiries will be made to East Side Mario's for hot lunch options as well.
- **Yo-Yo's**, confirmed that they only offer yogurt sales. Will review as an option for the summer.
- **Skating Day:** Booked and confirmed for January 23rd, 2025.
- **Fun Fair:** Confirmed for June 5th, 2024. Bouncy castles are booked. The school will contribute \$1000 towards the cost of the bouncy castle rentals.

Principal's Report

- The school is now at 460 students with three new students
- Mrs. Deline has returned.
- Ms. B. Immeson will be off for now
- Mlle Payne has been hired to replace Mms. Gagnon

School Climate Team

- The new principal will decide on the format of the program.

New Initiatives

- Chemong was chosen to trail an electronic permission form (date TDB)
- Chemong was also selected to trail a social skills program for grade 2&3 students, it has commenced and runs for 3 weeks.

School Improvements

- All classes have been working on number routines to improve mental math and applying these to problem solving
- Teachers will be submitting their data on the first round of learning by December 12th

New Principal has not been named.

Open house will be held December 12th including hot chocolate and a scavenger hunt

Truck Parade has been set for December 13th at 1:30 pm

Teacher's Report

- A request was made to request funding for \$200 for a primary games and puzzles club. Approved.

CUPE Report

- Nothing to report

Action Items:

- Yoga – Summer Soul has agreed to deliver the program, for all students with 45-minute sessions for older students and 30-minute sessions for the younger students. The school will contribute \$2 per student and Parent Council will provide \$1. Dates will be February 18-21st.
- Retirements: discussed gift options
- Other Fundraiser ideas include a dance-a-thon and selling meat sticks from Halendas.

Next Meeting will be January 22nd, 2025, at 6:30 pm