School Council Meeting September 25, 2024

Attendees:

Deb, Amanda, Trish, Alicia, Danielle, Raine, Fallon, Julia, Karen, Nancy, Fran, Kathryn, Kate and Allison

Call to order:

6:30pm

Nominated Council:

Chair - Amanda

Vice-chair - Trish

Treasurer – Kate

Secretary - Allison

Discussions to wrap up from last year:

- Looking into total made from fun fair
- Looking for totals on all fundraisers from last year
- Will get fundraising total for playground, money kept in school board account

Principals report:

- 445 students and 20 classrooms, received an extra class from the superintendent last Friday
- many new staff but still need to hire a French teacher and a Grade 1 teacher
- pathway to shade shelter was completed as well as a paved surface for shelter
- new lighting and ceiling tiles were installed over the summer
- PA day Friday Sept 27th with a focus on Math and Literacy
- Will share school improvement goals at our next meeting
- Have not received our EQAO scores from the spring yet
- Jungle sport starts Monday; all classes will have 2 visits
- Drum It Up booked for October 28th and 29th; classes K-6 participating
- 3 nutrition volunteers now, students from Ms. Youngs class are filling and distributing the bins

Treasurers report:

- Will get all totals for fundraising and fun fair from last year for next meeting
- Jungle sport 1750 from Council

New Business:

Fundraising plan due at the end of October

Christmas plants - Vandermeer Nursery; Thursday Dec 5th for delivery, new plants available

Clothing – not sure if this will be a fundraiser or just an option for families to get school apparel at cost

- Check out new manufacturer or stick with Hobies Sports

Pizza - Will try to get pizza days up and running and hope to start October 1st

Subway/Boston Pizza - will discuss these options at next meeting and plan

Krispy Kreme Donuts – pick up October 7th

- Max 400 donuts, but trying to increase
- Very difficult to contact anyone, but will continue to try

Next Meeting:

October 23rd at 6:30pm