

School Council Meeting

September 17, 2018

Attending: Troy Comish, Colin McIntosh, L. Jenkins, J. Wilson, S. Byles, L. Guzzwell, H. LeQuyere, M. Liotta, K. McArthur, L. Fox, A. McKinley, J. Walters, S. Harris, T. Chartrand, K. Purdy, L. Collard

Regrets: C. Abaza

Agenda

1. Approval of minutes from June meeting

Leah Jenkins approved, J. Walters seconded

2. L. Jenkins discussed opportunities for others to chair for next year. Stepping down at end of year.

Discussion of various jobs/positions with school council:

Chair- Leah Jenkins

Treasurer-

Secretary-Colin McIntosh

Fundraising Coordinator

Nutrition Coordinator-Allyson McArther

Pro Grant Coordinator-Krista Purdy

PIC Grant Coordinator-Krista Purdy

Fun Fair Coordinator-Jen Walters

Halloween Howler Coordinator-Louisa Guzzwell

3. Principal's Report - T. Comish

Mention of new staff. Informed of hiring of 0.7 SERT. Spoke about Reorganization Sept 25th. EA need has gone up. Construction: fencing to go up in the next two weeks. Explained that there will be significant disruptions to daily life at the school. (fire drills, parking, snow removal) Requested another site visit with the builder for further clarification due to school concerns. Fundraising: Recipes in a Jar starting in October. School Staff request for council to help with classroom consumables \$100.00. Student subsidy. Grade 8 trip changing from previous years to Ottawa, and going to Muskoka Woods instead

4. Fundraising: Halloween Howler is to be on October 25th. Time: 5:30-7:00. Howler meeting on Sept 24th at 7:00pm. Discussion of Meet the Teacher Night Sept 27 5:00-7:00. Table decoration, bake sale, coffee for the Howler. Family Skate Day at Central Park Arena February 9th (call to be made to town to see if available). The Giving Tree, was not successful last year. Discussion of new ideas for this year. Possibly change the name of event and items to ask for (toy, book, etc). Left to the floor to think about. Fundraising plan to be brought up next meeting. School Council to offer again, \$100.00 per staff member for classroom needs. Discussion of "Connections" – event in Midhurst that gives different ideas for school councils to share ideas. Date to be determined. Carnival May 30th.
5. New Business/Old Business: Dates for School Council Meetings at 7:00pm, Oct 1, Nov 5, Feb 4 2019, April 1, May 6, June 3 2019.
6. Adjournment of Meeting