

Dr. Roy Wilson Learning Centre School Council

December 12, 2018 Minutes

Attendance: Erin Greggains, Stephanie Williams, Nicole Liboiron, Bridgette Pinter, Karen Stennick, Shannon Nelson, Tara Staples, Lisa Perich, Sandy Schuck, Marni Reid, Charish Wilcock, Julia Harris, Mike Kukurudza,

Special Guest: Catherine Wilson-Fraser

Call to Order: Meeting called to order at 6:30

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- Motion by Erin to accept minutes as presented 2nd by Tara, all in favor, passed

Fundraising

- Hot Lunch (Lisa) \$7172 profit so far this year
- AdMazing (Lisa) \$4000 profit
- Raffle (Nicole & Steph) – sold 70 less tickets than last year. Will only make about \$6000 if everyone takes the trips.
- Read-A-Thon (Brigette & Leisa) – From January 14 – 27, new year new habits for kids with reading, everything going home January 10, back by 31st. top reader in each class morning announcements with Mr. k, top fundraisers class, pizza party. Top readers class get \$10 Coles cards. Draw for Kindles for participants. Prizes cost \$700 this year.
- Possible other fundraisers
 - Booster Juice (Steph) – more information to come in the new year, Steph and Tara figuring out over the Christmas holidays.
 - “Need Empty” Possible Fundraising idea (Nicole) – company that we can send empty ink cartridges to them and they pay you for them, some up to \$5 most average about \$1. They pay for everything, including shipping.
 - Safety items (Nicole) – possible fundraiser with selling of first aid kits and fire extinguishers and such. More information in New Year.

Movie Nights

- Profit of about \$50 from concession from last month
- Next movie date – January 25th
- How to present the topic of parental supervision at these events
 - Lead Facebook and everything promoting it with “Family”, Mike will work on some sort of a write up.

Principal’s Report

Chrome books, parent concerns about access to tech, interruption of class time looking for free chrome books, Mike talked with staff and students about how they feel we can tackle the problem. Feel that a cart with 30 in a common area would be most beneficial. Looking at about \$10k – not looking for money now from Parent Council.

AED now on site and installed. Getting signs for door to say AED on site.

Celebration of the Arts next week, celebrating and acknowledging the arts groups in the school. Mike just upgraded the lights and sound system in the gym.

Athletic – basketball up and running fully, competitive within the league. Pep rally and kids watching the game on Friday afternoon.

Wrestling club, 20 then 30 now 40 kids attending it. Huge hit with the kids, really excited. Great feedback coming back

Assemblies – going really good, Mike really enjoying, addressing things that need to be addressed in the school, then acknowledging some of the kids, citizenship, athletics, academic, ect, just acknowledging the kids for something. Get a solid coin with the school lion and striving for excellence on it. Teachers really appreciating the time to collaborate with each other and figure things out.

PD update, last one focused on numeracy progressions, some teachers went out and got some training on numeracy, so shared their learnings with other staff. In afternoon Junior high staff focused on PowerSchool Pro learnings so that staff are better prepared for it. Still working with PowerSchool to make it work.

Lockdown – email after the practice one that happened this week. Also updates from the school about the medical lockdown, parents very appreciative of the emails. Different terminology is coming down from head office to better explain what is happening.

Junior high leadership group – candy grams available, will send out info for parents to see.

Staffing – Lindsay Nemeth will be back January 7 from Mat Leave, Christina MacDougall will be going on Mat leave in Feb – Lindsay Ngo will be coming back and into Grade 3. Sarah Ford has been hired by School District to help teachers who are on leave reintegrate into the school, she is helping Mrs. Borshowa come back. Mr. Longmore still out for the foreseeable future.

Trip of the Month Draws – draws held for both December and January.

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Member Comments/Announcements - none

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