

# Cameron School Council

211 Cameron Avenue, North York, Ontario M2N 1E8

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#### SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

DATE: November 21<sup>st</sup>, 2012

PLACE: Cameron P.S. Library

TIME: 7:00 P.M.

2012/2013 MEMBERS PRESENT: (no order) Z. Chinea-Campbell, C. Ring, K. Lam, A. Smith, A. Maisonneuve,

A. Anderson, S. Bonn, M. Beltchez

2012/2011 MEMBERS ABSENT: (no order) D. Greenwood

OTHER PRESENT: (no order) H. Bieler, K. Robles, J. Johnson W. Wasyluk

#### 1. Welcome & introduction

The Chair welcomed parents to the meeting.

## 2. Approval of the minutes from the October 17<sup>th</sup> meeting

A motion was made by A. Smith to approve the minutes from the October 17<sup>th</sup> Council meeting. The motion was seconded by K. Lam, and S. Bonn and was passed.

### 3. Skating Rink

W. Wasyluk reported on the status of the skating rink, the necessary permits have been acquired and the installation of the boards will happen before the winter break.

### 4. Principal's report

H. Bieler reported on various items including:

- The Remembrance Day ceremony organized by Mr. Beatty was well received, and the Wall of Hero's had a good impression on the students.
- Book Fair was well attended and very successful.
- -Progress reports have now been received and interviews were held.
- Bulb planting on the school grounds headed by J. Martin, was a fun activity that the Kindergarteners thoroughly enjoyed.
- A discussion of the IVR call took place; consensus was that this method of communication worked and

will be continued in the future.

- -The school website was updated, to reflect current information.
- -This month's sharing assembly will be held in the morning.
- -A technology committee has been formed to make decisions on how to spend funds.
- -Family fitness night was a great success.
- -This year the holiday concert will be held during the day due to the labor disputes. Plenty of notice will be given to parents and multiple performances will be held.

#### 5. Fundraising Events

-The holiday bazaar will be held on the 14<sup>th</sup> of December, this will be the only fundraising event held before the holiday break.

#### 6. Parent Concerns

- -The situation of the petty thefts occurring in the Gr. 5 class has been dealt with, and the children will be talked to and educated about the issue.
- -Disappointment about the issues with the reports cards was felt by a number of parents in the school. Parents can pick up report cards that were not received, from the office.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:10pm with the next meeting date set for Dec 12<sup>th</sup> at 7pm.