

**Meeting: April 20, 2026 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM
Minutes**

Council Members Present:

Chair: Julie Prime

Co-chair: Bronwyn Kienapple

Parent representatives: Sam Armstrong, Christopher B, Katherine N, Erin G, Sarah E

Principal: Yasmin Buhariwalla

Teacher representative: Ilianna Givelos

Parents: Ben F,

Agenda Item	Decision/Action Taken	Person(s) Responsible
<i>Welcome</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Welcome - Land acknowledgement 	Chair and Co-Chair Julia Prime and Bronwyn Kienapple
Principal's Report	<p>What's Going On (School Updates)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rainbow Club will be attending the Envision Conference with Ms. Shannon. • Ukulele program from grades 4-5-6 concluding in April, with a mini assembly to promote the activity on April 30. • Welcome to Kindergarten event scheduled for May 7. • EQAO assessments for Grade 3 and Grade 6 taking place the week of May 25. • Grade 8 grad trip scheduled for the first week of June. • Grade 8 graduation ceremony: June 18. <p>Funding Request (Grade 8 Trip & Dinner):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School Council has requested Parent Council support to help cover costs of the Grade 8 trip and graduation dinner (trip to Muskoka). • Estimated need: \$1,000–\$2,000 (minimum \$1,000 noted). <p>Schoolyard Project Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meeting confirmed available budget of \$93K. • At this stage, no changes can be made to the approved design plan. • \$30K contribution goes directly to the City. • Remaining funds required by Friday, April 24. <p>Incremental / Add-On Options Discussed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Line painting (e.g., hopscotch and track markings): permanent paint option estimated at ~\$26K. 	Yasmin Buhariwalla

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Front school sign enhancement. ● Commemorative plaque installation. ● The project plan has now gone out to tender. Once finalized, a project supervisor will be assigned and implementation discussions will proceed. <p>Timing Note:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Confirmation on paint-related decisions is required ASAP. 	
<i>Treasurer's Report</i>	<p>Finances</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Made minimum amount to go ahead! (\$93k) <p>Action item:</p> <p>Requesting full account details from Lisa to confirm all donation amounts from various fundraisers</p>	Sam
<i>May 28th Barbeque</i>	<p>Action Items</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Review and compare approved vendor options. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Obtain quantity estimates ● Entertainment <p>Vendor Options Under Consideration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● M&M Meats – approx. \$2,500 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Combo: burger + drink + chips = \$8.75 ● Santa (vendor name TBD) – approx. \$2,000 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Hot dog: \$5.80 ○ Hamburger: \$5.90 <p>Decision / Vote</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Approved: \$500 deposit to M&M Meats <p>Other items for next month:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Teacher/Staff Appreciation Event in April/May <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Breakfast or lunch - TBD on how to fund this June/May BBQ <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - teacher appreciation 	Julia Prime