

# Centennial Road Junior Public School

School Council Meeting Minutes  
Wednesday December 4, 2019 - Library  
6.45 PM - 8.15 PM

## Attendees:

Dan Puglielli, Penny Lee, Vivienne Samuel, Biljana Murphy, Sara Nicholson, Jessica Wong, Reed Hilton-Eddy, Jen Deslauriers, Sham Dhanji, Anita Klubal, Carolyn McIntyre, Janis Pickford, Karen Ireland,, Rishma Ramdin, Stephanie Reid, Tanuja Casinader, Reshmi Bisessar, Usha Nair,

## Guest:

Maria Dimakas, Thanasi Dimakas, Heather Alousis

## Regrets:

Linda Spartaco, Lisa Dorning, Indu Rajagopal

Agenda Item	Presented by	Discussion	Next Steps
Welcome and Call to Order	Dan Puglielli		

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Trustee for Ward 22: Dr. Anu Srikandarajha	Dr. Anu Srikandarajha	<p>-Questions: we don't want French to change and what can we do about it All started with French transportation, at budget time, they were going to cut French transportation all together. Then they were told to cut 13million -Cutting French transportation in the suburbs hits the hardest due to Urban sprawl -negotiated deal (compromised) to cut transportation to save funds (June) -Then the French review was presented to the trustees -data showed - when children are leaving Extended French, they are not leaving the system with a strong foundation of French -Parent consultations were not considered in the recommendation process only in the review The process was rushed in only 5 days. This coupled with a shortage of French teachers</p> <p>Reach out to MPP Reality is that this will not change There is a Toronto and Scarborough divide. Fight for French transportation. Even if your child doesn't use it.</p> <p>French bussing was saved because senior staff were cut.</p>	
Approval of Minutes - November 2019 , 2019	Vivienne Samuel	<p><b>Motion to approve minutes from last meeting:</b> <b>Moved: Jessica Wong</b> <b>Seconded: Usha Nair</b></p>	

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Approval of Treasurer's Report	Jessica Wong	<p>Opening Balance: \$11 210.52  Revenue: \$30 522.75  Expenses: \$37 076.46 (this number is higher because of the reallocation of funds from the previous year)</p> <p>Bank Reconciliation:  October Bank Bal: \$25,801  Quicken Bal: \$24,542</p> <p>Deposits: 331.50 for October  Payments: 1010 for pizza  Difference: lunch payments  <b>Motion to approve Treasurer's Report</b>  <b>Moved: Reed Hilton-Eddy</b>  <b>Seconded: Jennifer D</b></p>	
Principal's Report	Dan Puglielli	<p><b>**see principal report</b></p> <p>-Promoting Extended French Program for next year. Call out to current grade 3 children. Information night will be January.</p> <p>-Teacher job action/work to rule: sports are not currently affected at this school.</p> <p>-Teachers have been spending their allotments, receipts have been submitted and waiting for reimbursements</p> <p>-Acorn \$205 (profit)</p> <p>-Giving Tree - hats and mitts donations</p> <p>-Popcorn supplier - donated a leafs jersey. We will save for auction or use it for Fitness Night</p>	-send out Mabels Labels code in next newsletter

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Ski Program	Sara Nicholson	<p>-3 ski days (3 Thursdays in a row)          -West Rouge has a 85% attendance rate of school population          -grades 4,5,6          -9am-5pm          -With pass at Brimacombe \$85 (BYO equipment)          -120 lift, lesson and bus (BYOE)          -160 lift, lesson, rental (without helmet)          -175 list, lesson, rental with helmet</p> <p>Due to Job Action, no further plans will be made regarding skiing for this school year.</p>	
OPAL (outdoor play and learning)	Jennifer Deslauriers	<p>-designed in the UK          -children are encouraged to engage in risky behaviour          -research is based          -studies show that children who engage in risky behaviour as children are less likely to engage in risky behaviour as adults.</p> <p>Council approved OPAL for Centennial last year however, Mr. Puglielli to ask staff if this was something they would like.</p>	
Council By-laws	Vivienne Samuel	<p>- Vivienne asked for two council members to help rewrite council's existing by-laws. Tanuja Casinader and Anita Klubal volunteered to take it on.</p>	
Comet's Carnival	Vivienne Samuel	<p>- Looking for volunteers and people to lead</p> <p>- June 13, 2020</p>	

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Adjourn Meeting	Vivienne Samuel	Meeting adjourned at 8.35pm	
Next Meeting Dates		<p>Future Meetings will be held on alternating First Tuesdays and First Wednesday of every month in the School Library from 6.45 - 8.15pm.</p> <p>January meeting will take place only if necessary.</p> <p>Next Meeting: Wednesday, February 5th</p> <p>Meetings to Follow:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Wednesday, March 11th</li> <li>- Wednesday, April 8th</li> <li>- Wednesday, May 13th</li> </ul> <p>June (to be decided)</p>	

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