Name of Committee: Island Public School Council

Meeting Date:

6, 22, 2021

A meeting of the Island Public School Council convened on 6 22 2021 at 7:05 p.m. as a Zoom Meeting with Laura-Maria Nikolareizi as chair.

Attendance:	The following participated by electronic means:
(School Council)	Walid Al-Hajj (Vice Chair), Darren Lafreniere(Treasurer), Elizabeth Alderson(Secretary), Tara Bezusko(Governance Chair), Tendai Mhute(Equity Chair), Ashwin Mallipatna(Special Events Chair), Natasha Benham(Fundraising Chair), Kyle Peterson(Communications Chair), Joseph Hagopian(Technology Chair), Atousa Faraz(Virtual Chair), Siham Belgadi, Darren Barton, Sofiane Belgadi, Sheela Chellapermal, Diana Barbato, Pamela Drappel, Lili Dronjak, Donnie Whelan, Aura Albarracin, Andre Edelbrock, Chizoba Ezeibe, Janet Fry, Jason Applebaum, Aman Zafar, David Torrance, Corinne Samama, Leo Henning, Dana Ho, Katy El Yousef, Anna Desiderato, Roland Pharland, Sabine Elghali, Ana Saville, Tania Markovic, Sally Pickering, Lynda Jeffs, Derek Rayside, Karen Rothfels, Connie Sheppard, Sushma Subramanyam, Johnny Tkach, Abigail Wren, Aman Zafar, Scott Woolford (Principal), Tracy Jewitt (Teacher), Cori Macfarlane (Office Admin)
Regrets:	
Absence:	

Notes:

AGENDA ITEM	DECISION / ACTION TAKEN	PERSON(S) RESPONSIBLE
Land Acknowledgement	Land Acknowledgement	Mr. Woolford
Welcome & Introductions	 Call to Order: 7:05 P.M. Confirmed with Secretary that Quorum met Welcome 	Laura-Maria Nikolareizi
Review and approval of June 22, 2021 agenda	 Motion by Laura-Maria, seconded by Joseph Approved 	Laura-Maria Nikolareizi

Read interim code of ethics Conflict of interest	 Read aloud 17 items Declaration of conflict of interest 	•	Tara Bezuko
Equity chair update	Virtual book club - 7 fallen feathers by Tanya Talaga First meeting was June 9 Engaging discussions that included Market Lane, The Waterfront School, Nelson Mandela, DAS and Dundas Next meeting is tomorrow Thank you to everyone for participating	•	Tendai Mhute
Fundraiser update	Thank you to everyone for supporting our fund raising this year Initiatives and money raised so far Spirit wear – \$335 virtual auction - \$1172.31 parent donations - \$2090 honey fundraiser – \$433.12 Auction - \$315 (in progress – you can still bid)	•	Natasha Benham
Special Events update	Lock down prevented many of the planned events Cookbook (digital), A copy at Toronto Public Library, looking into have a printed copy upcoming events astronomy running club	•	Ashwin Mallipatna
Governance update	Michelle Monroe (PIAC) is the governance expert with the TDSB school Superintendent Mary Linton recommended governance documents prepared by the governance committee be reviewed by Michelle Munroe to ensure they follow regulations 612, 613 and the Education Act Michelle Monroe provided revisions and recommendations Voting tonight	•	Tara Bezuko
	Conflict of Interest bylaw – 2 drafts submitted Font colour black - accepted Red - delete Blue – recommendations from Michelle Munroe Blue highlight – optional		
	<u>Differences</u> : If a member is in a conflict of interest draft 1 - refrain from discussing or voting draft 2 - must leave the meeting during discussion and voting		

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	Motion #1: Approve and adopt IPS School Council Conflict of Interest Draft Number 1	
	Seconded: Natasha Benham	
	77.8% – in favour 22.2% – not in favour	
	Motion carried.	
	Conflict resolution – 2 drafts submitted, both drafts submitted were not deemed sufficient, draft 2 was not 612 compliant	
	Draft 3 is recommended by Michelle Munroe	
	Motion #2: Approve and adopt IPS School Council Conflict Resolution	
	Draft Number 3	
	Seconded: Natasha Benham	
	77.1% – in favour 22.9% – not in favour	
	Motion carried.	
	Motion #3: Approve and adopt IPS School Council Filing Vacancies	
	Bylaw Seconded: Natasha Benham	
	77.1% – in favour 22.9% – not in favour	
	Motion carried.	
	<u>Elections</u> – 1 draft submitted, returned with recommendations from Michelle Munroe (draft 2) to ensure clarity for:	
	School Council Membership Executive Council positions	

Motion #4: Approve and adopt IPS Elections Procedures Draft 2	
Seconded: Walid Al-Hajj	
86.7% – in favour 13.3% – not in favour	
Motion carried.	
<u>Code of Ethics</u> – 2 drafts submitted, returned with recommendations from Michelle Munroe (draft 3)	
Motion #6: Approve and adopt IPS Code of Ethics Draft 3 Seconded: Walid Al-Haaj	
83.9% – in favour 16.1% – not in favour	
Motion carried.	
Elections (membership) – Acclaim up to 80 parent members, community member, teaching staff, non-teaching staff	
Motion #5: Approve up to 80 community parent/guardian members, 1 community member, 1 teaching staff, 1 non teaching staff to IPS School Council	
Seconded: Walid Al-Haaj	
84.6% – in favour 15.4% – not in favour	
Motion carried.	

Principal's Report	 Continuing with Remote learning, many families requested technology Going to collect returning technology on June 30th and July 2nd All technology will be automatically locked out, unless attending summer school Health and well being has been a priority for our students and staff. Resources for families have been posted in Island Breeze Kindergarten open house will be held virtually this Thursday evening Stay at home order lifted – families welcome to come visit the school outside Gr 6 virtual celebration next Wednesday. In-person and virtual families welcome to join. Special event that evening – Escape Room and virtual dinner together afterward Term 2 reporting (Gr. 1-6) and Kindergarten Communication of Learning will be sent digitally on June 25th. This process may take several days Waterfront Welcome for Island Students moving to Gr. 7 Shared slides of outdoor learning spaces/pathway and pollinator/butterfly berm Summer watering schedule Mississauga's of the Credit First Nation Flag Raising with the Island Friendship Group TDSB will be sending information about possible in person learning options mid August Planning to have zoom meetings with families prior to returning to school and will provide transportation updates TDSB school calendar has been finalized. Final School virtual assembly will be next Tuesday morning 	Scott Woolford
Approval of February 18, 2021 minutes	Motion to approve minutes Motion #7: I make a motion that the chat messages that occur during a school council meeting and any questions that are asked during but answered after the end of the meeting be included in full in the minutes for that meeting.	Laura-Maria Nikolareizi Karen Rothfels

	 42.9% – in favour 57.1% – not in favour Motion not carried. Motion to approve minutes Seconded: Ashwin Mallipatna 	
	Approved	Laura-Maria Nikolareizi
Approval of May 4, 2021 minutes	 Motion to approve minutes Seconded: Ashwin Mallipatna Approved 	Laura-Maria Nikolareizi
Adjournment	• Approx. 9:30 PM	