

Minutes of the School Council – November 29, 2018

Present: Ms. Bellehumeur, T. Pryke, V. Zeballos, M. Young, N. Sullivan, N. Campbell, N. Viller, H. Tower, T. Luu

Principal/Vice-Principal's Report – C. Bellehumeur

- *Parent-Teacher Interviews*
 - Parent-teacher interviews were well-attended. Term 1 ends at the end of January.
 - Report cards will be sent home on February 12, and parent-teacher interviews will be February 14-15.
- *Fusion X Movement Workshops*
 - Over 80 people attended the Fusion X Movement Family Fun Night on November 7.
 - The week of November 5-8 they played basketball at lunch with the older students.
 - There will be another Family Fun Night on January 23 featuring X-Power, which focuses on martial arts.
- *Remembrance Day Assembly*
 - There was a Remembrance Day assembly on November 9, featuring five student presentations. Two soldiers also came to the school to speak to the students.
- *JSB Sports and Extra-Curricular Activities*
 - The junior and senior girls basketball teams, and the junior and senior boys volleyball teams advanced to the semi-finals. The co-ed football team won a banner.
 - There is a Crokinole Club for grades 4-8. Scrabble Club and Chess Club are at lunch.
 - The library is open after school. There is also a Homework Club after school until 4pm.
 - The Student Parliament collected six boxes of food for their food drive for the Salvation Army. In December they are collecting new hats and mittens for a hat and mitten drive.
 - Ugly Sweater Day and Candy Grams are coming in December.
- *Mental Health and Wellness*
 - The JSB Mental Health Leaders are planning activities for grades 1-3. A Grinch "Grow the Heart" activity in December will have students post Moments of Kindness.
 - Mr. Kobe will lead a group for grade 3 boys, and Ms. Kostiuik will lead one for grade 2 girls.
- *Upcoming Events*
 - December 12 – Winter Concert at 6:30pm in the gym.
 - December 20 – Terrific Tigers Assembly
 - December 21 – Grade 6-8 dance and games room
 - February 20 – Marlies Game for grade 4-8 students. The school booked 75 tickets and 35 are available through School Cash Online and 35 are available for cash payment

Treasurer's Report

- Read and received.
- As of November 29, 2018, the total bank balance was \$19,713.46. After earmarking funds for end-of-year allocations (teacher classroom enhancements, new tent canopy) and Hot Lunch

Room fund, student resources (RAZ-Kids, Scientists in the School), and outstanding cheques, the closing operating balance was \$12,019.52.

- The October Pizza Lunch raised \$344.10. The October Subway Lunch raised \$138.55.

School Council Report and New Business

- *TASAM Evening Update*
 - The school has arranged for an evening parent workshop delivered by Arts Express on Tackling Anxiety and Stress through Arts and Mindfulness. The school will book it for a date before March Break or after March Break.
- *January School Council Meeting*
 - The Chair will be away for the January School Council meeting. Another member will chair.
- *Marlies Fundraiser Update*
 - At the JSB Marlies Day fundraiser on Saturday, January 12 at 4pm, the Marlies will play the Rochester Americans. The school earns a Family Skate after the game if at least 100 tickets are sold. Tickets are \$25 and the School Council receives \$3/ticket. The game features a bobble head giveaway.
 - The flyer was sent home and the deposit was dropped off with MLSE. The orders will be counted and submitted to MLSE before the winter break. Tickets will be sent home the first day of school in January, and families will be advised by email.
- *IXL Update*
 - The School Council organized a one-year group subscription to the www.ixl.com math resource, which expires in January 2019. It solicited families to join for another year, and 10 families indicated interest in a group subscription.
 - A personal subscription is \$100, and a group subscription is about \$13 per person. Another email blast will be sent with a December 7 deadline to sign up, and will include the cost difference between a personal vs. group subscription.
- *Bellapalooza Planning Update*
 - The School Council discussed Bellapalooza planning. It reviewed and updated the list of tasks. Additional parent volunteers were identified. An email blast will be sent to see if other parents are interested in participating in the planning committee.
 - Mr. Kobe will again be the teacher liaison for the planning committee.
- *Winter Concert*
 - The School Council will raffle off seats in the first row at the Winter Concert. A raffle ticket will be provided to everyone that provides an email address for the email distribution list. Front row seats will also be made available for School Council members.
 - The school will rent 250 chairs.

Meeting adjourned at 8:25pm

Next School Council Meeting

- Thursday, January 17 @ 7pm.

Schedule of 2018-19 Meetings

Thursday, February 28

Thursday, March 28

Thursday, April 25

Thursday, May 16

Thursday, June 20

**TREASURER'S REPORT
NOVEMBER 2018**

OPENING TOTAL BANK BALANCE – NOVEMBER 1, 2018 \$20,060.58

ADD:

OCTOBER SUBWAY LUNCH - \$138.55 (being deposited this week)

OCTOBER PIZZA LUNCH - \$344.10 (being deposited this week)

LESS:

Chq. #140 – Raz Kids – Alicia Debowski	(\$147.12)
Chq. #141 – Teacher Amount – Kristen Valente	(\$100.00)
Chq. #142 – Teacher Amount – Elizabeth Reaney	(\$100.00)

CLOSING TOTAL BANK BALANCE – NOVEMBER 29, 2018 \$19,713.46

Shannon McKechnie
Treasurer
November 29, 2018

**TREASURER'S REPORT
NOVEMBER 2018**

STATEMENT AS OF NOVEMBER 29, 2018 FOR ALLOCATED MONIES

SPORTS	\$3,871.38
TECHNOLOGY	\$0
ARTISTIC FUND	\$0
TEACHER FUND (CLASSROOM IMPROVEMENTS)	\$2,117.58
HOT LUNCH ROOM FUND	\$652.10
STUDENT RESOURCES (RAZ KIDS, SCIENTISTS)	\$403.72
GRADE 8 GRAD LUNCH	\$0
MATH RESOURCES	\$0
GREEN SPACE	\$0
OUTSTANDING CHEQUES	\$649.16

STATEMENT OF TOTAL BANK BALANCE AS OF NOVEMBER 29, 2018

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