

SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

Date: Wednesday November 6, 2024 Time: 6pm-7pm Via:Google Meet

Members Present: Tim Johnson, Diana Pupuchevski, Jennifer Peart, Michelle White, Pauline Frater, Cerita Brown, Tracey Jansen, Sophie Harper, Sally Wong, Eileen Boudreau, Jenna Elines, Odedoyin Monsuru, Taema Sathees, and Anne Bercy. Regrets: Stacey Lockett

- 1. Welcome, Introductions and Land Acknowledgements
- 2. Business arising from the minutes of last meeting
 - No minutes were taken at the last meeting, as it was an election.
- 3. Approval of last meetings minutes
 - *N/A*
- 4. Old business/updates
 - 4 additional voting members joined us, Sally, Jennifer, Cerita and Juline.
- 5. Principal's Report
 - October was a great month for field trips, sports teams and clubs.
 - Staff Engagement and Professional Development, learning outside and in the school. Lunch and Learns for staff.
 - November is another exciting month. Sports teams and clubs include Volleyball and Basketball, Eco/ Recycling club and School choir.
 - Photo Day- Nov 7th
 - Remembrance Assembly- Nov 11th
 - Progress Reports and Parent Teacher Interview scheduled for Nov 14th and 15th
 - Staff and Admin working on planning a Holiday event, suggested Holiday Stations more to come.
- 6. Other Reports
 - N/A
- 7. General information updates and inquiries
 - a. Statement of Needs- School Admin will share with parents
 - b. Financial Statement and Bylaws- Council still working on, will share on Mason Rd. website.
 - c. Grants
 - Best Buy Technology Grant- Submitted
 - Innovation Grant- working on

- d. Fundraising
 - Hot Chocolate Sale- proceeds will go to school equipment; estimated date is Nov 22/24, School Council to create flyers and share with parents.
 - Food Drive- support local food banks. Starting in November 15 through to December 15, the winning class will receive a pizza lunch. Michelle, Sally and Ms. McCron will work out details and share information to staff and parents.
 - Mabels Labels and FlipGive fundraising accounts have been set up. Codes were included in the November Monthly Newsletter.
- e. Website:
 - SC and Admin will be working on an updated Mason Road's website to share School Council Information.
- 8. Next meeting date, time, and location
 - Scheduled for Wednesday December 4th, 2024. Hybrid: In-person and Virtual
- 9. Agenda items for next meeting

Adjournment at 6:54pm