

| R.H. King Academy School Council Meeting Minutes Agenda |
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| Tuesday, September 12th. 2023 at 7:00pm |
| Location: Library & Zoom |

Library Meeting Attendees:

Ray Barta, Barb Barta, Alice Vennema, Thomas Anastasios, Cardenas, Erick, Zoynal Abedin, Vera Handmann, Carolyn Ward-Glasgow, Rayford Glasgow, Shirley Lo-Cadotte, Sanders, Karina, Suma Phillip, Suzie Sharma-Hardish, Larissa Trabulsi, Michele Walsh-McDonald.

Non-voting attendees: Braveena Amalan, Abdul Chowdhury, Abdul, Simon Hewett, Raina, Abdul Rehman, Keron Suren.

Staff: Catherine Chang – Principal; Brian Wilkinson - Teacher; Jordyn Booth - Teacher; Shelly Mohamed Teacher

Chairs: Angelina Meighlal & Jason Irving

Treasurer: Mariam Mwenye

Minutes: Daniela Rojze

| | Item | Notes |
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| 1 | Welcome – Jason I & Angelina M | If you are interested in being a voting member on this year's council you can submit your nomination now or online. |
| 2 | Review of Previous Meeting Minutes | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Motion to approve previous minutes - Ray. • Second: Tom A. |
| 3 | Principal's report - Catherine Chang | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We want to ensure the school's early start works for everyone. • There needs to be some targeted intervention in literacy and numeracy. We are going to screen all our gr 9 students. • Math: looking into getting more support for those who need it. • The school is working very hard on supporting cancer research through the Terry Fox Foundation. • Graduation: The school's space is not big enough: we need to rent a facility, but the Board doesn't want us to charge for the graduation ceremony. We are in negotiations with the Scarborough Center for Alternative Studies as a possible venue. On that date, the auditorium is free. • We are asking families who are willing to provide the student fee for this year which includes the yearbook, to do it through school cash online. • Q: Is June 28th firm? Ms. Chang: right now it is. • Q: The school's early start is one of the last remaining reasons why we chose King. What's going to be the process to decide upon keeping it? Ms. Chang: R.H. King had this as a pilot. All schools' schedules have to be approved by a special committee. We need to collect data to show its benefits. Q: Can Parent Council be connected so we have a voice in this committee? Ms. Ch: Q: R. H. King has had an early start since 2016. Lots of other schools were looking into implementing it as well. Families know this is how this school functions when they sign up. |

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| 4 | Chair's Report - Angelina M and Jason I | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • |
| 5 | Treasurer's Report - Miriam M | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We have \$6,707.16. |
| 6 | Fundraising - Ray B | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Last year we sold 100 Anniversary merch. It went all very well except for pick up. • Anson Park Public School uses "Entripy" to sell directly online. We should look into it. • Shirley: Flip Give: The school gets a percentage of sales. Domino's pizza. Parents get a pizza deal on "King Night" and the school gets a percentage. |
| 7 | New Business: explanation of forming new council members and executive vote for 23-24 - Jason I | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There will be a vote for executive members during the next meeting. • Q: Can you be a voting member if you participate online? A: yes. • Q: Do you need to be here to vote for members? A: Yes. • Q: Can everybody vote? A: No, only voting members. • We will send out a description of the roles. • You can join our Facebook page and ask any questions you may have on this subject. • We require a minimum attendance of 4 meetings a year to remain a voting member. |
| 8 | Adjournment | <p>Motion to adjourn - Tom A Second - Ray The meeting is adjourned - All in favour. Next meeting: September 26th.</p> |