

**School Advisory Council Meeting  
November 7th @ 9:15am - Staffroom  
Agenda**

**Members present:**

Ms. Pegg, Mr. Perera, Laila, Jen, Izzy, Tracey, Priya, Salma, Anna, Sidra, Ashley

The meeting was called to order **at 9:22 am.**

**□ Old Business/Updates (25 minutes): 9:32am – 10:38am**

- Stove updates and Ms. Kumar's classroom furniture – Ms. Pegg **(5 minutes)**
  - Stove purchase is currently on hold until further discussion
  - Wobble stools and Cabinet for Ms. Kumar's Class – Approved. Will speak to Ms. Kumar.
- **First SL – How did it go? (5 minutes) –**
  - Discussion Points:
    - **School Cash Online Orders** deadline November 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025 - **In Person Cash Orders** deadline is November 25<sup>th</sup>, 2025.
    - Posters will be posted on the school doors with lunch dates and deadlines
      - **1.What can be improved?**
        - Designated Handout person(s) per table/ Designated Donation distribution person(s)
        - Re-confirm with the list to ensure correct quantities are handed out to paid orders
      - **Profit = \$82.26**
      - **What is our next lunch?** (Pizza, Hotdogs, something else?) – TBC - **offline discussion**
- **Topic: "Reviewing Student Led Holiday Market Fundraiser Proposal" - Priya (15 minutes) – Proposed Schedule - 4:30PM-6PM - Dec 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> or 17<sup>th</sup> 2025.**
  - Discussion Points:
    - **1. Is the proposal clear and make sense?**

- Yes
- **2. What potential challenges or obstacles might arise, and how can we address them?**
  - Further discussion will follow
- **3. How can the Student Led Holiday Market benefit Roywood students in terms of entrepreneurship skills, financial literacy, and community engagement?**
- Real world engagement and experience
  - **4. What kind of support or resources would students need to make this event a success? Fundraiser proposal- kids led holiday market**
- Preparation and Operation Package for booth rental participants

#### □ New Business (25 minutes):

- Mr. Perera's Wish list & Other teacher wish lists (5 minutes)
  - **Mr Perera** Magazines and Subscriptions for the library
- Wishlists are to be sent out to all teachers as soon as possible to give them an opportunity to have their voices heard about what they may need in the classrooms or for support.

#### - Topic: "Washroom hygiene" – Priya (10 minutes)

- o Discussion Points:
  - **1. Why do school washrooms sometimes smell bad?**
- Age of the washrooms
- Ms. Pegg has submitted to have the restroom rejuvenated (Will Follow-Up with Approval)
  - **2. What can we do to keep washrooms clean and hygienic?**
- Find an organic and approved enzyme cleaner approved by TDSB
- o Discussion Questions: **Further discussions with our caretaker will take place to form a plan of action.**
  - 1. What can we do to encourage everyone to follow washroom hygiene rules?
  - 2. How can we maintain cleanliness during recess or peak hours?

- 3. What are some creative ways to keep washrooms smelling fresh?

- Topic: "Staying Connected: The Benefits of an Outdoor Reader board for Roywood Community" – Priya (10 minutes)

- Discussion Points:

- **1. How can an outdoor reader board enhance our school's visibility and community engagement?**

- Providing a clear public central view of all upcoming events or fundraising initiatives.

- **2. What are the benefits of having an outdoor reader board?**

- Beneficial for public access for parents with information on upcoming events.

- **3. What types of information would be most useful to display on the reader board (e.g. upcoming events, sports scores, major deadlines)?**

- Research with TDSB about pricing and instalment requirements for the reader board.

- **Considerations:**

- 1. Cost and affordability of the reader board
- 2. Content management and updates
- 3. Power supply and technical requirements
- 4. Placement and visibility of the reader board

- **Principal's Report (10 minutes):**

- **Grade 4 Swim to Survive Program** – November 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- **Progress Reports Sent Home to Families** – November 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- **Parent/Teacher Interviews** – November 13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> 2025
- **PA Day** – November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- **Photo Retake Day** - November 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- **Special Lunch Day** - November 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- **School Council Meeting** – December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- **KG/1/2 – Science Centre Harbourfront Field Trip** – December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- **Holiday Craft Week** – December 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025– December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2025
- **Winter Concert**- 16<sup>th</sup> or 18<sup>th</sup> of December 2025 - (Pending Date Confirmation)
- **Last Day of School before Winter Break** – December 19<sup>th</sup>, 2025

- **Other Business: 9:22am-9:31am**

- **Ms Samuels - Holiday Craft Week** - December 8th – December 12th, 2025
- Crafts will be done by the students representing the different types of celebrations around this time of year (e.g. Christmas, Las Posadas, Hanukkah, etc)
- Confirmation of which holidays crafts to be announced- Suggestions are welcome!
  
- **Scholastic Week December 2025 OR February 2026**
- Pending definite date confirmation
  
- **Geography Nuggets – Morning Announcements**
- Daily there will be a random lottery pick of a country from a hat, this will be followed by piece of knowledge about that country to be shared amongst the school.

The next meeting date was established for December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025, in the staffroom. Members present decided to continue to hold meetings in person at the school.

The meeting was adjourned at **10:38 am.**