

SAB School Council

Meeting Minutes: October 1, 2018

ATTENDANCE

Michael Kanalec (principal), *Kristen Fox, Christine Sheehan, *Erica Brown, *Melissa Churchill-Smith, *Becky Morley, Teresa Silveira, *Paul Younger, Corrine Frey, Amira Kamel-zia (vp), Melissa Bangma, Suman Lapali, Corrinne Harper Jones, Purvi Acharya, Gina Peters, Teresa Silveira, Mike Norman, Michael Kinsey, Bonnie Lootsman, Kathleen Bartha, Nicole Bailey, Blanka Krojc

**2018-2019 Council Executive members*

Start time: 6:40 p.m.

Approval of agenda: Christine, Melissa

Approval of minutes: Purvi, Kristen

Council Nominations:

- We need a co-chair shadow (must have 1 year involvement with the council)
- Melissa Churchill-Smith to be Treasurer. vote: Yeahs 6 (yeah!)
- Vote for Executive positions: Kristen and Paul as Co-chair, Erica as Secretary
- Purvi for Communications, member at large
- Voting member at large: Mike Norman, Suman Lagali, Corrine Frey, Michael Kinsey, Blanka Krojc, Nicole Bailey, Teresa Silveira, and Gina Peters

Welcome Back BBQ – follow up

Thank you to everyone who helped

- We started cooking at 1pm and it worked out better than before
- The kitchen flow was good. One hiccup with some burgers being frozen.
- People arrive at 6:15 and expect food right away.
- Having the tables in the gym was a great idea because people could sit.
- Only problem with being inside was that people were wandering the halls.
- We need to set up more tables and block the stage.
- Maybe next year there is an overlap of a half hour with the Curriculum Night and the BBQ?

Lunch Forms - Hot Dog, Pizza, Subway, Pita, Lunch Lady, Kids Kitchen

- How can we make it easier to order food in general?
 - Cheques are so hard. Why can't we use CashOnline? Because TDSB won't let us have our own account. Maybe we can put an explanation online?
 - How can we streamline the money hand-in process?

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Pizza orders

- Why did people use the old paper forms?

New Council Website

- Siradambeck.ca> schoolcouncil
- See if Mr. Gard can put the “Day Number” in the calendar
- Forms can now be used through the website
- Thanks to Mr Gard and Purvi
- Please pass on any ideas you would like to be included in the website

Bazaar

- Volunteers needed
- Auction – we need auctions items
- We have thank-you notes to pass out too
- Maybe a food truck or a coffee truck?

PRINCIPAL’S UPDATE – Michael Kanalec

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Thanks to

- The Welcome back BBQ
 - QSP
 - Terry Fox Volunteers
 - Scholastic volunteers

Staffing

- A warm welcome to:
 - New lunch room person
- Connie from the church will be helping with the Kiss and Ride

Safe and Caring Schools

- Lock Downs and Fire Drills went well
- Compliance Training (PA Day)
 - Abuse and neglect policy procedures- teachers can complete their online compliance.
 - First aid training
 - PSP Volunteers
 - NVI-CIP Training

SAB Communications

- Early Immersion Information Evening to take place at central locations by French Department

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- PARS applications open from Monday October 29 – Monday November 26, 2018

Teaching and Learning

- EQAO Results and CCAT testing
- Student led conferences
- Learning Skills and Work Habits
- Learning Goals, Success Criteria and Descriptive Feedback
- Professional Training

School Events / Activities

October

- 1 to 4 - Gr3 CCAT
- 2 – Pamela Gough Meeting @KKSA 7-8:30 pm
- 3 - Cross Country Meet
- 5 - PA Day
- 8 – Thanksgiving
- 12 – Safe and Caring Schools Meeting 8am Room 122
- 15 to 19 – Book fair (OCT 18 open late) out of the Library
- 17 – Cross Country Meet #2
- 25 – Cross Country city Finals
- 25 – Photo Night and Family Photo Night
- 31 – Costume Parade

November

- 1 – Character Assembly
- 2 – Hot Dog Day
- 9 – Resemblance Day
- 24 – Bazaar (25 to 30 vendors expected) start asking for silent auction items now.

EQAO Update

Writing and Reading – Based on only 14 students and one was exempt, so the score was averaged by 14 instead of 13.

Mathematics – 62 students with one being an exception student. Most were very close to level 3

SAB SCHOOL COUNCIL UPDATE:

Treasurers Report and budget approval – Paul

- The council gives \$/student and money for each teacher. \$20/Student and \$150/teacher this year. 9 Years!
- The hard numbers have changed the BBQ raised \$300 more than last year.
- Budget approved. 9 years!

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New Business

- April 26th is the school Dance
- Becky is collecting milk tags and frozen concentrate juice can lids
- Adventure Playground and one Soccer Field is by age to give the kids who are younger a chance to participate and not be dominated by the older kids. There are multiple soccer fields that can be mixed.
- Is there information to give to parents about lock downs? Can we train Lunch room Supervisors too?

Council Meeting Dates:

November - 12

Meeting Adjourned: 8:40 pm