

MINUTES

Sloane School Advisory Council Meeting Wednesday, December 7, 2022

Attendance: Christine Karageorgos (Chair), Megan Alexandris (Chair), Christina Lazarou (Secretary), Jackie Panagakos, Maggie Klisouras, Melissa Zachopoulos, Anisa Ghanizada, Ms. Syptak (Principal)

Minutes: Christina Lazarou

Time	Item	Speaker
6:00 – 6:05	Welcome and Approval of Minutes <ul style="list-style-type: none">- welcome and thank you everyone for coming- minutes were approved	Christine
6:05– 6:40	Principal's Report Classrooms <ul style="list-style-type: none">- preparing for the December holidays- mindful of diverse cultures- recognizing the various holidays that are celebrated during this time Announcements <ul style="list-style-type: none">- math focused contest (FIFA cup theme) between classes,- students work together to answer questions Activities <ul style="list-style-type: none">- volleyball clinic is being held at 7:30am- open for students in grade 3-5- approximately 22 girls and 24 boys have participated- the clinic is focused on volleyball development skills.- volleyball teams will be created in the in the new year (girls team and co-ed grade 4/5 team) Upcoming Events <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Spirit Week will occur on the last week before the winter break- each day will be focused on a different activity- Holiday Sock Day- Candy Cane Day- Winter Wonderland- Holiday Headwear- Toasty Day- potentially having a spirit day in January and bringing in \$1 to fundraise for a specific charity (ex. children's charity, Ukraine, etc)- suggestion to focus on Character Education initiative to help positive reinforcement of social skills- Food Drive: collecting food donations from December 7-19,	Ms. Syptak

	<p>registered with the Daily Food Bank</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - information about the food drive will be highlighted in the principal newsletter <p>Financial Commitments</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - school has purchased licenses for IXL and RazKids programs - asking for school buses, Scientist in the School for each class - Ms. KB is looking into a dance workshop for the students - purchasing board games for the students, could this be in relation to a “board game night” for families? 	
6:40 – 6:50	<p>Financial Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - balance in account: \$26,878.14 	Christine
6:50 – 7:20	<p>Upcoming Events</p> <p>Movie Night</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - brainstorming how we could give away the tickets - how we could fundraise for the school - give away the tickets during the movie night - Movie Night will occur on Friday, January 20th - Grade 5 graduation committee will organize the movie night - funds will be allocated for the graduation <p>Pizza Lunch</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - pizza lunch ran smoothly this time around with the organization of the sheets - a few adjustments still need to be made - starting pizza lunch distribution is easier once prepared prior to the lunch bell ringing - final pizza lunch for the year of 2022 is Friday, December 16th - Next dates for pizza lunch: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Friday, January 27th, 2023 - Friday, February 10th, 2023 - Friday, February 24th, 2023 - Friday, March 10th, 2023 - price of pizza (\$2.00 a slice and \$1.00 for the juice box) - SchoolCashOnline will be sent to families on January 9th - SchoolCashOnline will close on January 22nd - reminder to families will be sent out in the newsletter - a group of people may set up a “computer clinic” during the movie night in order to assist families with setting up their SchoolCashOnline 	Megan & Christine
7:20 – 7:25	<p>Grade Five Graduation Committee</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - communication will be sent out to grade 5 families seeking volunteers (Ms. Deeprise will send this out) 	Megan & Christine

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - families notified of the mid-January fundraising - start planning early for the movie night set for January 20th 	
7:25 – 7:29	Other Business <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - SAC TDSB email address will stay the same - minutes will stay on the Sloane TDSB website 	Megan & Christine
7:29 – 7:30	Meeting Adjournment	

Next Meeting: Wednesday, January 11th, 2022 at 6:00 p.m.

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