

# October WFSA Meeting Minutes

October 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025 | 6:30pm-7:30pm | Virtual (Microsoft Teams)

## 1. Attendance

Andrea Thompson, Telma Da Silva, Delynn West, Brittani Jarvis, Jillian Southey, Principal Barbara Graydon, Andrea R, Krista Speller, Melani O’Leary, AQ, Francine Montaldi-Lubecki, Esmeralda Gjini, Victor Luong, Sarah Kelleher, Lisa Villani, E Linadi, Arun, Lavanya Akilani, JJ, Mona Pouramjad, Ken Rungaru, Julieta Franzoi, Grace

## 2. Land Acknowledgement

We acknowledge we are hosted on the lands of the Mississaugas of the Anishinaabe, the Haudenosaunee Confederacy and the Wendat. We also recognize the enduring presence of all First Nations, Métis and Inuit peoples.

## 3. Principal Report (Ms. Graydon)

### Library Learning Commons (Wedgewood Commons):

Gratitude has been expressed for the continued support of this initiative. The space has become a vibrant hub for student creativity and curiosity.

- A student feedback survey is being prepared
- Parent volunteers are welcome to assist in maintaining the space
- Donations of green plants and puzzles are appreciated

## 4. Treasury Report (Telma Da Silva)

Principal Graydon shared 2025-2026 school budget for proper allocation of school buckets.

- **Carryover from 2024–2025:** \$40,000
- **Expected Fundraising Income (2025–2026):** \$38,000
- **Total Allocated Bucket Funds:** \$39,650 *[details below]*
  - a. Literacy - \$5000
  - b. Library - \$4000
  - c. Tech - \$4000
  - d. Recreation - \$2500
  - e. Events/Trips - \$3000
  - f. WFSA Expense - \$1500
  - g. Teacher allocation - \$5400
  - h. Graduation - \$1750
  - i. Movie Night - \$2000
  - j. Scientist in School - \$5500
  - k. Special Request - \$3000
  - l. Health/Well-being - \$1500

m. Student Voice - \$500

## 5. Fundraising and Event Planning

- Fall Fest:

A big thank-you to all planners and volunteers—our \$7,000 fundraising goal was met!

- Upcoming Events:

- **Game Night** – January
- **Cultural Night** – Spring

Please reach out if you're interested in helping plan these events.

## 6. Parent Advocacy

Maple Leaf Tickets Silent Auction: ending this Friday, October 31<sup>st</sup>. Submit your bids before the deadline!

Please visit the links in the recent email to access pre-written messages. We encourage everyone to personalize and send them to support the TDSB against budget cuts and to oppose Bill-33, which poses serious risks to our education system.

## 7. General Discussion

- Grad Trip:

Options are still under review. A leading choice is Camp Robin Hood in Markham—a full-day camp experience with no overnight stay.

A women's shelter being built near Six Points Plaza (Bloor Street) has requested to attend a future parent council meeting to share information about its services. A vote will be held in the November or December meeting to confirm if meeting will be accepted or not.

***Next meeting: November 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025 / 6:30pm-7:30pm / Hybrid (in-school and virtual)***