

Agenda Date: April 18, 2024 6:30-8:00pm

Attendees: Ms. Bellec, Joanne, Liz, Sharmini, Amanda, Natasha, Mike, Penny, Carolyn, Melissa, Erin

Virtual: Rohan

Regrets: Lesley

March Minutes approved by: Natasha and Amanda

- Welcome
- Land Acknowledgement – **Ms. Bellec**
- By-Law (Salin John to discuss) - 2 points ratified, membership was at 5, now at 20. MS teams is now the virtual tool.

Couple questions about the bylaws. Salin will get Nancy (bylaw expert) to consult. Expressed desire for simplified info sheet for Sept 2024. Salin to look into getting Nancy to come for an info session in September for parents

Going to setup an election committee in May meeting to organize and plan for September. June meeting will be devoted to planning for September

- Baskets will be added to the silent auction to help raise funds to go towards school initiatives. Silent Auction launches at the end of April pick up items the first week of May.
- Mental Health Speaker – May 9th 630-8pm. Door Prize flyer sent out in the school weekly. Reminder to come closer to event. Some interest, no one has requested an interpreter yet. Extending the rsvp date.
- Grade 5 graduation underway 2nd graduation mtg was held Tue April 2nd. No further grad meetings to be held, updates by Leanne.
- Start parent grad committee? Natasha to draft email for Mr. Mac and Mr Rishi for any help and to set up a date to meet.

Fun fair:

- Fun Fair date confirmed Wed June 19th 5-7pm (430pm ticket booth opens)
- Ms. Bellec put in a request for a police car - confirmed, but not guaranteed
- Fun Fair volunteer list sent out Tue April 2nd
- Organize a Fun Fair Committee
- High school volunteers for chalk/bubbles etc
- Face painting vendor – confirmed
- Library craft vendor – confirmed
- 3 inflatables vendor - confirmed
- Music - Mike
- Food (excluding popcorn) teachers – confirmed
- Over the Top Fitness vendor – confirmed
- Fire Truck GTAA vendor- confirmed
- Overall need minimum 20 volunteers for fun fair.
- Erin to reach out to high schools for volunteers
- Dania and Natasha to work on photo booth

- Will have sign up sheet for volunteers for Fun Fair at the Math and Wellness night. If there are still blanks an email will go out to all families outlining what spots still need to be filled and the timing

Principal's Report (Leanne):

- Recent planetarium, rocks and rings, fire safety
- Gr 1 and 2 trips upcoming
- Gr 5 trip to science centre upcoming
- Board working on models for schools. Will have 2 JK/SK classes (7)(8), 2 gr 1/ 2 (11)(9), gr $\frac{2}{3}$ (8)(12), gr $\frac{3}{4}$ (4)(19), gr $\frac{4}{5}$ (5)(24), DK(8), 2 DD (10)(10)
- After Sept board will look at actual numbers and changes will be made if necessary

Treasurer's Report:

- Non Public/ School Council Acct \$4915.86
- Jumpstart \$728.07
- Donations for funfair \$1670.00

Upcoming Events:

- Silent Auction week of April 22nd
- Math and Wellness event/parent council selling popcorn April 24th
- Mental Health Speaker May 9th
- French Café May (May 24)
- Fun Fair June Wednesday June 19th
- Grade 5 Graduation ceremony Tuesday June 25th
- Grade 5 Graduation Field Trip June 26th

Next Meetings:

- Wednesday May 15, 2024
- Thursday June 13, 2024