Agenda date: October 13, 2022

Attendees: Amanda, Salin, Leanne, Melissa, Saida, Joanne, Ayan, Natasha, Masuud, Lucy, Rohan, Lesley, Ayse, Ilkar, Anleena, Melanie, Awale, Carolyn, Pear, Layan, Liz, Peggy, and Nastexa.

October Minutes approved by: Amanda and Saida

Item	Proposal/Discussion	Action/Who
Principal's Report (Leanne)	-reorganization - 12 students shifted Allowed for smaller class sizes -gym floor - new floor installed over the summer Waiting to be repainted, new fans, stage curtains fireproofed -doors and trims in school repainted -walls are waiting to be repainted -new windows will be installed -grants for front landscaping in process -crossing guard - report back from City says that no crossing guard will be assigned at this time -parking - Dixfield is the best place to park - try not to park in the parking lot - parking lot in the process of being revamped with a better bus loop, perhaps moving bins -Terry Fox -Orange Shirt Day -World Mental Health Day -Houses -Skating	Terry Fox walk was most successful raising over 1700.00 highest ever The Cross Country meet at Centennial Park was a great experience. The kids that advanced to the 2nd round will be held on Tuesday October 18th. Boys and Girls soccer teams practice Mondays and Wednesdays. Boys soccer tournament will be held on site at the school on Friday October 28th. Girls soccer tournament will be held offsite. Houses program has restarted. Orange shirt Day assembly had a great response with the children and parents. World Mental Health Day was recognized this week how to cope

		with big emotions what to do e.g. breathing
SAC Co-Chairs (Saida/Aman da)	 Welcome! Our school is the little school with the BIG heart, literally! This means there are many amazing parents/guardians like you and I, that truly make a difference. There are many ways you can contribute. Please consider joining this amazing team, have a voice and make a difference. School event volunteer list. Refreshment volunteer list. 	Annual School Event Volunteer list was completed during Curriculum night and at SAC meeting. This school term we will have two parent volunteers who will be responsible for bringing in refreshments for each in person SAC meeting.
Community Support Worker Intro(Salin)	 School nominations 2022/2023 School parent Survey 	School nominations finalized at SAC meeting. Welcome elected members(Masuud, Natasha, Ayan and Lesley!) School Parent Survey is vital to complete. If you have not completed the survey, we encourage you to. *Some voting members recommended for the survey to be anonymous. Volunteers to pump inflate all types of balls needed. (parent attendee will drop off and help to inflate balls) Fly Leaf Reading app free to become a user.

Treasurers Update (Melissa)	Parent Council Account-\$1885.74 Council covered BRAVE (\$1067.85), Teachers Allowance (\$1068.08), Graduation supplies (\$116.77), Heggerty Curriculum (\$248.00) Fun Fair-broke even, ended up being a mostly free event other than cost of food Should have another \$500 available for Parent Engagement event Graduation account \$75.71 carried over from last year, we usually put aside \$300 from council as well	Fundraising plans/goals for the year? Reminders of guidelinesmonies raised should go towards student events, materialsShould be used within 2 years so that students who fundraised can benefit while they are here. No gifts for staff from this, or \$ for infrastructure Fresh From the Farm-prices increased, not accessible for many families FundScrip-discuss timelines Pizza lunch being taken over by the school - funds to be going to trips, buses and other school needs. Cash on-line -equity issues? Leanne will follow through to ensure that this will be equitable Kernels Samosa Lunch
SAC nominations and voting	Chair/co-chairs: Saida and Lesley Treasurer: Masuud and Melissa Secretary: Natasha and Ayan	
Questions/ Recommend ations	Are we thinking we can do a pancake breakfast this year? Do we have enough volunteers available? If so, should we consider setting a date?	December? Put on November agenda Loblaws for donations Tim Hortons for coffee

	 Is there a teacher or parent volunteer that can pump up the balls in the bunkie? Fyi - flyleaf online is free for this school year and has their decodable books online to read. Not as good as the real book in hand but good nonetheless 	Donation jar for families to donate but no fee
Upcoming Parent Engagement Opportunity	November Tues 15 or Thurs 24??? Time 6:30 Host: Nancy Angevine-Sands "Navigating the system, why it's important to engage and how."	Parents as Partners Conference-November 15, 2022 at 6:30pm \$5000 grant for pollinator garden - deadline Oct. 27,2022. Future Events: Halloween parade and Remembrance Day assembly. Field Trips: The cost has significantly increased whether you bring in a Scientist to the school for example or you plan an outside excursion. Average cost for a day trip per student is about \$25.00 per child Walk to the local library has been planned for all grades Skating program will need
		volunteers (5-7) to help with sizing for equipment and assisting children during ice time.

Next Meeting	November 24,2022	We will review/confirm if a December SAC meeting is
	December?	necessary, as it is a busy month.