



Home and School Association & Student Council Meeting – 12 February 2018

Welcome, Sign In and Introductions

Meeting called to order at 6.35

Principal's Message

- Chocolate sales appear to be going well. Lots of parents asking for more.
- Great PD Day last Friday with our VP leading one of the workshops.
- Discussion on the different workshops: Digital break outs, Assessments using forms that attach a Google Doc to a specific student (can be used in Gym – whether they can perform a particular skill etc.)
- Had a workshop on Mental Health and how it impacts children, Prime Math, Coding, Pixton, De-escalating behavioural issues.
- 100 day being celebrated on Wednesday the 14th.
- 14th February Watershed on Wheels for Grade 1
- 14th February Grade 4/5 Ski Trip.
- 16th Friday Wear Red for Chinese New Year
- 20th and 21st Look and Hear
- Talent Show Audition – Start 14th February and Talent Show is on 8th March.
- 23rd Feb Power Filled Youth Group – Black History Month

Financial Update

Currently we are sitting at 28,526.49

Popcorn / Hot Dog Days

- Final dates Popcorn: March 7th (Kindergarten) March 8th (Grades 1-5)
- Need help for both days, especially the Thursday.
- Hot Dog Days will be: April 9, May 14 and June 4. Still need to decide on treats.

Laura Secord Fundraiser

- We are sitting at 243 still out. If we receive payment on all of those we will make \$9500, and we have already made \$2816. We are waiting on a 3rd shipment as we only have 16 cases left. We received \$200 in donations and many people are bringing in more than the \$3 per bar.
- Request to send out an email or Remind about Early Bird Draw (Headphones, Stuffies, \$50 gift card)

- Fundraiser ends the 26th February.

Spirit Wear

- Update provided about change in prices due to minimum wage increase. Not happy with the mock up presented. Would like to go back to him with a better logo. Discussion about cost and projected sales.
- BG to email Chair of Fundraiser when Board Designer returns new logo.

Movie Night

- 4th May will be Movie Night
- Suggestion of Paddington 2

Open Discussion

- Grade 5 Grad June 21st
- Kindergarten Grad June 22nd
- Discussion about length of DVD or possibility to add photos through the year.
- Co Chair presented a fundraising idea: Toronto Marlies provided discounted tickets and sell them at full price. Tickets are reasonable \$20 - \$30. If you sell X amount of tickets you can have a before or after session on the ice. The games are on the weekend. Could rent a bus or not. Last two games of the season April 14th and 15th. Idea well received and Co Chair to look into it.
- Query as to whether the weekly school emails are being well received. Consensus that they are.
- Question regarding Lunchroom Supervision and consistent rules across all supervisors.
- Discussion regarding Kiss and Ride rules/etiquette.

Next Meeting: Monday, 19th March 2018 at 6.30pm in library.