

NHS School Council – Wednesday, Jan 24th

Meeting time: 6:30pm NHS Staff Room

1. Attendees: Kim Cyr, Andrea Terletski, Twila Moore, Alan Milne, Marilyn Thir, Jason Whaley, Jen Lynds

2. Volunteers for Executive School Council/PAC

- President – Lisa Robinson
- Vice-President – Kim Cyr
- Treasurer – Andrea Terletski
- Secretary –
- Director – Twila Moore
- Director – Jason Whaley
- Alan Milne

3. Minutes

- School Pictures (Lifetouch/SMART)

Happy with who we have and would like to continue with them.

- CIF Expenditures (IE, PE, TECH, ART)

Classroom Improvement Fund - IE supplies, PE supplies, 10 Chrome books, and art supplies are purchased. We are just waiting on a few items, but the money is all spent.

- Calendar DRAFTS

Remembrance Day will be a holiday Monday if Nov. 11th falls on the weekend.

Board created the week by moving Family Fridays throughout the first term. Please give feedback as soon as you can, feedback requests will end soon.

- Annual Return

Has been completed for the January and we will have to do another one in March for the Casino.

Motion to approve the Annual Return as Presented: Andrea Terletski, seconded by Marilyn Thir. All in favor.

- Staffing Process

Hiring process - recruitment fairs are happening soon. We are in the process of surveying teachers to see if we will be hiring in the spring for any positions. Teachers could be asking for transfers in or transfers out.

We are currently looking at the numbers and what hiring will look for us.

- Hygiene Kits

Health teachers to look at free kits. If there are costs associated the Booth will cover the costs of those.

- Other:

Bus Issues - concern that parents are not adhere to the morning bus lanes. Would like to see a push out to parents that they do not stop in the bus lane during the morning drop off time for buses.

Accountability Pillars Surveys - Grade 7 parents - they are out and if you know of any Grade 7 parents please remind them to look for them and fill them out and send them in. Students will be filling out the OurSchool Survey here before the end of Feb.

School Car - Has been sold as it needed a lot of repairs.

Staples - approached us about selling ChromeBooks. Asked about putting an insert into the School Tools about buying a ChromeBook.

Parent comments: Payment plan would be great. It is important that parents are aware that it is optional and that the school has computers available.

4. Next Meeting (Best Time)/Adjournment
Wednesday, Feb 28th 6:30pm

NHS Parent Advisory Council – Wednesday, Jan 24th

Meeting time: 6:30pm NHS Staff Room

1. Agenda Items:

- Volunteers NHS PAC Executive
 - President – Lisa Robinson
 - Vice-President – Kim Cyr
 - Treasurer – Andrea Terletski
 - Secretary –
 - Director – Twila Moore
 - Director – Jason Whaley

- PAC Account
As of Dec 6th: \$10,362.34

Cheque for \$10,161.31 written for Chromebooks

- Ideas for projects this year?
 - Uniforms for the school teams

Will look into this for next meeting - especially volleyball uniforms.

- Event Tent - Prices from Canadian Tire and Sport Factor. Everyone liked the one from Sport Factor, but have a few questions: Can it be anchored down due to wind? What kind of fabric is it made out of? Does the colour black attract heat in the fabric used? Jason will follow up with those questions.

Motion to spend no more than \$1000 to purchase the tent: Kim Cyr

Seconded: Marilyn Thir All in favor.

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