

Date	Monday, June 10, 2019 at 6:30 p.m.
Attendees	Parents: Samantha, Sasha, Gabrielle, Adriana, Rifath Administration: Heather Schreider, Nadine Picktall Regrets: Shaffina, Sara, Mary, Madeleine, Adam, Kara, Stephen, Chris, Marielle
Topic	BLPS School Council Meeting Minutes
Notes	<p>September Open House</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Date: September 26th, 2019 (3rd Thursday in Sept) ● Food trucks – variety of options ● Action: Adriana, Rifath & Nadine get cards from food truck festivals & follow up for availability ... we will need 2 trucks ● Spiritwear – Gabrielle will take lead ● Madeleine will provide files for Spiritwear via Googledocs ● Council to conduct community consultation around future meetings - format will depend on format of Open House <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Jackie Linton (in-coming Principal) will call date for September Council Meeting – Action: Heather will follow up with Jackie <p>Update on Council Initiatives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Pavement Games completed – well-received by community ● Indoor Sensory Pathway –to be installed June 20th along Library Hallway (Council & Staff to do install) ● Outdoor Shade Umbrella – on pause after meeting of School Grounds Advisory Committee ● Meeting of School Grounds Advisory Committee attended by Robert Cram (Evergreen), Jacquie Copithorn (YRDSB – Operations; Waste & Environment), Nadine Pickthall (VP), Rifath (Council) ● “Green cluster” – salt tolerant variety ● \$750 per tree; 2 year warranty ● Biodiverse ● Phase in plan; can be incremental <p>Action: Nadine to follow up with Robert to obtain proposed site plan Action: Samantha to investigate TD Bank Grants available to schools</p>

Review of Funds Raised:

- Prof Jamz online amount transferred to our account
- Council funds to-date: \$13 600
- Sensory Pathway will cost \$995 + HST
- Pavement vendor payment of \$2400 to be released pending application of ring step to tarmac

Possible Future Projects:

- Door decals for washroom with inspirational messages
- Consider student consultation for messages to feature (for Student Voice)
- Vendor approached Heather: <http://www.systemgraphics.net/>
Contact: Suzanne Glover
- Other possible vendors on Etsy – look for board approved vendors
- Second phase for Sensory Pathway – calming corner

Graduation

- Grad Committee is seeking donation for cupcakes
- Council approved \$200 budget for cupcakes for Graduating Class Picnic
- **Action:** Council message to graduating class

- Farewell assembly – June 27th
- Recap of our year

Active & Safe Routes to School

- May 29th meeting attended by Pam Lalani (public health), Kathryn Shaw-Edmond, Rina Mistry (YRDSB), Nadine Pickthall (VP)
- Recommend we build on “Walking School Bus” success
- **Action:** form Healthy Schools Sub-Committee; meet mid-September
- They will create document to send to parents encouraging active travel
- We are on the wait-list for Primary Traveler Program for September

Staff Appreciation Week

- Week of June 16th
- **Action:** Send email from School Council

Fundraising Plan

- Remaining funds earmarked for further Outdoor enhancement; possible second phase to sensory pathway – calming corner; door decals for washrooms

School Council Annual Report

- Completed by Gabrielle & Samantha
- **Action:** Share with Council for feedback before it is submitted

Next Meeting – September 2019; date TBD