

### In attendance

Mary Oppedisano  
Diana Baldesarra  
Jacqui Getfield  
Joyce Yang  
Jamie Cruz  
Tina Dias  
Lauren De Paoli  
Sefi Chassid

### **Approval of Minutes April 16th:**

- Minutes Approved.

### **Pro-Grant Closure & Application next school year update:**

- Application not finalized
- What topics do we want for next year? Math, Cyber Safety, feeling of belonging, mental health, citizenship- community-global; In line with inclusion goal of ministry. Child protection is part of the curriculum. Inquiry based learning is a topic, STEAM. If students are immersed in learning they feel better. STEAM, Mental health and wellbeing, Global Citizenship; to blast out to the community.
- Wellbeing day was a huge success, kids wanted more days like that.

### **Fun Fair:**

- Inflatables booked
- Fire and police will come unless there is an emergency
- Maybe ask police volunteer to play soccer with the kids? Can collect bets for fundraising – Students Vs Teachers for example.
- Based on budget we are looking for more money to fund the fun fare. Can students sell popcorn?
- Freezes can be sold- jumbo cut in half.
- Mrs. Busbridge's class will take care of media. They can be promotions, flier's announcements, general crowd hyping needs.
- Can some kids sell freezies class to class?
- Queenie said that the band will play
- Can we pay \$20-30 to have a parent volunteer do stencils at the fair without a table chair?  
Council voted yes unanimously
- Ninja warriors are bringing an obstacle course, do we need a waiver?
- Fiesta rentals will also need a waiver?

- So for raffle we have: Reptilia x 8, Movie vouchers x 4, Mani Pedi and facial from Aveda Salon, 3piece Luggage. Waiting on a few more answers from a few other people.
- Vaughan Libraries might bring something for the fun fair? Tina will look

### **Council Community Events and Budget 2018-2019**

- Balance is \$970.50 we will have more once we start cash on line for bracelets and food orders.
- Jump rope for heart will be next Friday.

### **Government funding cuts**

- Mary provided an update on the YRSDB position on the cuts.

### **Input / Feedback regarding:**

- a.
  - Progressing discipline – biased free discipline. Connected to inclusion in schools. Staffs understanding needs to be refined. What does that mean and how do we deal with it in the school.
  - When we look at values and beliefs our mind sets about children and behavior is important. Behaviors is for a reason. There is a need with the behavior. Children might need attention, love, and approval when they are misbehaving. At the core is the perception is that behavior is fro a reason. We want our kids to grow up with the skills necessary to be self-aware, peer aware and community aware. Empathy and self-awareness and need for differentiation, and uncover what that need is.
  - Antecedent, Behavior, Consequence.
  - We are not aligned as a team, we have to create common understanding as a process. There are more social emotional challenges today than when we were in school. Focus on mental health is important.
  - Differentiation, needs are all different.
  - Program based on inclusion model is different now. Different in primary, then in intermediate.
  - Behavior is for a reason.
  - How to reinforce positivity in the school. Positive tickets?
  - Office level; if we don't see change why not? What can we do differently?
  - Every kid has different goals to work on.
  - 3 strikes and you're out, but there is a positive reinforcement piece to keep kids in line.
  - Look at the document: Progressive discipline on the YRSDB web site. We will bring it back to council.
- b. Online support to be reviewed, math and reading.
  - Cost for reading app is k-3 2000k
  - Feedback is requested to licenses can be bought.
- c. Please send emails on school procedures to pay attention for next year.
  - Is there a better way to start the first day of school? Email blast of class list? Map?

**First meeting next year?**

- Sept 26<sup>th</sup> 2019
- Nomination forms back by Monday the 16<sup>th</sup>

**Ticket out the door**

- Tina will buy the freezies for fundraising for the BBQ.

**Student letters**

- Air-conditioning in the building. There will be two locations in the building with air conditioning. Every classroom will have two fans not one. Board says they have preferred vendors because the quality is approved, however it isn't mandatory for these items. No blades is important.
- School uniform: we need 100% consensus in the building to make it happen. It's a long process to make it happen. Dress code should be enforced instead. There needs to be constancy and enforcement overall.

**Date for teacher appreciation lunch: TBD**

**Meeting Adjourned**