

Johnny Lombardi Council - Meeting Minutes

November 28, 2022 - 7:00 PM in person
(First Meeting of the 2022 - 2023 School Year)

(Chair: Tina Gandhi and Shalini Saini)

Next Meeting: January 17th, 2023 in person (online option)

Meeting Called By	JLPS Council
Notes By	Katie Steinfeld
Attendees	Rita Angellotti, Cedric Tam, Sarah Denney,, Christina Payne, Shalini Saini, Tina Gandhi, Hannah Wolfstadt, Meiling Wong, Ruby Dhillon, Katie Steinfeld, Craig Bradbury
Regrets	

AGENDA

1. Welcome: Mrs. Angellotti
2. Review and Approve Previous Meeting's Minutes and Current Agenda: Tina Gandhi
3. Principal's Report: Mrs. Angellotti
4. Traffic Issue Meeting with 3 Schools: Tina Gandhi, Shalini Saini and Mrs. Angellotti
5. Parent Concern Regarding Kleinburg Bussing: Katie Steinfeld
6. Budget Review/Discussion: Cedric Tam
7. Fundraising Update/Planning: Cedric Tam
8. New Business/ Questions/ Wish List: All

1. Welcome: Mrs. Angellotti

- Everyone was welcomed to the meeting

2. Review and Approve Previous Meeting's Minutes & Current Agenda:

Tina Gandhi and Shalini Saini

- The previous meeting's minutes were reviewed along with the current meeting agenda

3. Principal's Report: Mrs. Angellotti

- November 1- Grade 8 to 9 transition meeting took place to share information about the different types of classroom options for those students with special needs entering into Grade 9

- November 2 - Grade 8s went to the feeder high schools for additional information about transitioning to high school
- Intermediate Volleyball teams have participated in area tournaments
- Intermediate and Junior Volleyball and Basketball teams have also started
- Charitable initiatives: 360 Kids (clothing and hygiene products) was a huge success, Holiday Food Drive (November 18 - December 14)
- Active School Travel continues with surveys given to students every so often to confirm how students get to school
- Upcoming Events:
 - Bingo Night - Thursday, December 1st
 - Character Assemblies taking place on December 1st (Junior) and December 2nd (Primary) for the traits: Respect, Responsibility and Honesty. Parents are welcome to come to the assemblies to watch their children receive the award
 - Spirit Week: December 19th - 23rd with fun daily challenges throughout the week
 - Games Club continues to support positive peer interactions
 - You're The Chef Program is currently being run by Ms Olivo
 - Homework Club - takes place daily from 2:30pm - 3:15pm
 - After School Literacy and Mathematics programs information shared with specific families who could make use of the assistance
- Negotiation Update:
 - CUPE members have until December 2nd to vote on the contract
 - Teacher's Union is currently in discussions and negotiations with the government

4. Traffic Issue with 3 Schools: Tina Gandhi, Shalini Saini and Mrs. Angellotti

- A meeting took place between JLPS, Guardian Angels and Tommy Douglas' parent council about traffic issues in the community
- Brainstorming took place to help make things safer for the community. A traffic blitz took place around Tommy Douglas, which helped to bring more awareness to the problem. More solutions are needed to make more of an impact within the community

5. Parent Concern Regarding Kleinburg Bussing: Katie Steinfeld

- Some concerns about the Kleinburg buses being late picking up kids and the length of time kids are staying on buses
- There are some issues with a lack of bus drivers, which is causing some disruption with schedules and timing
- Check schoolbuscity.com for updates when buses are expected to arrive

6. Budget Review: Cedric Tam

- \$544 was paid to Fresh From The Farm (JLPS retained 40% of proceeds)
- Payment made for transport for Cross Country meet
- Started the month at \$7,182 and closed month at approximately \$6,400

7. Fundraising Update: Ruby Dhillon

- Funcrip has started and open until December 2nd
- BINGO night is happening on December 1st
- Read-a-thon will be postponed until March Break
- Art Night - Spring
- Fun Fair - June
- Wishlist for school includes funds to support field trips for students as well as games for classrooms

Motion: to give \$50 in gift cards to each classroom for games for the winter months

Passed

8. New Business/Questions/Wish List: All

- Dates for next meetings:
 - Tuesday, January 17th in person
 - Monday, February 27th in person
 - Tuesday, March 28th in person
 - Wednesday, May 3rd in person