

Johnny Lombardi Council - Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, October 25th, 2022 - 7:00 PM in person (Johnny Lombardi Library) with virtual option
(Chair: Shalini Saini and Tina Gandhi)

Next Meeting: TBD

Meeting Called By	JLPS Council
Notes By	Katie Steinfeld
Attendees	Craig Bradbury, Lisa Cornelissen, Sarah-Denney Falsetta, Meiling Wong, Naudea Mair, Denyse, Tina Gandhi, Shalini Saini, Tammy, Kady, Cedric Tam, Samhita Ghera, Christina, Katie Steinfeld, Mrs. Rita Angellotti, Ruby Dhillon, Falguni Karia
Regrets	None

AGENDA

1. Welcome: Mrs. Rita Angellotti
2. Review and Approve Previous Meeting's Minutes and Current Agenda: Mrs. Rita Angellotti
3. School Council Election
4. Classroom Parent Representative Update
5. Principal's Report: Mrs. Rita Angellotti
6. Budget Review: Cedric Tam
7. Fundraising Update/Planning: Ruby Dhillon
8. New Business/ Questions/ Wish List: All

1. **Welcome:** Mrs. Rita Angellotti
 - o Everyone was welcomed to the meeting
2. **Review & Approve Previous Meeting's Minutes & Current Agenda:** Tina and Shalini
 - o Previous Meeting's Minutes were approved
 - o Current Agenda was approved
3. **Elections for Treasurer, Fundraising Representative, Secretary, Co-Chairs**

The following individuals were elected for school council positions:

 - o Treasurer: Cedric Tam
 - o Fundraising Representative: Ruby Dhillon
 - o Secretary: Katie Steinfeld
 - o Co-Chairs: Tina Gandhi and Shalini Saini
4. **Classroom Parent Representatives for School Council**
 - o Looking for classroom parent volunteers to promote fundraising events, to find volunteers when needed to support parent council initiatives

- Parent Council to initiate new ways to communicate this initiative to parents

5. Principal's Report: Mr. Craig Bradbury

- Kindergarten trip to Around the Bend Farm.
 - Motion: to approve funding to help pay the increased cost of school buses for field trips from school council budget - *approved*
- JLPS welcomed a new staff member to JLPS - Ms. Cellupica for a grade 4 class
- Intermediate volleyball teams are participating in tournaments
- Cross country areas has taken place - approximately 50 students completed and five students qualified for regionals
- First charitable initiative - Terry Fox raised just over \$4600 this year - a very successful event and exceeded the goal of \$3000
- Active School Travel and Walk to School Wednesdays
- Upcoming Dates:
 - October 31: Black/Orange/Costume Day
 - November 16: Progress reports go home
 - November 17 (pm) and 18 (am): Parent/Teacher interviews
 - November 18: PA Day
 - November 25: Spirit Day Colour Team
- Hot Lunch Program: now offering gluten free Mr. Sub and can order dairy free and gluten free pizza
- Staff meeting: board wide training, continued focus on supporting marginalized and underserved students and the impact on mental health
- Support Groups, Leadership Groups, Empowerment Group, Games Club and Makerspace
- Homework club is taking place every day from 2:30pm - 3:15pm
- Negotiation update: not a lot to report at this point. Staff will work to keep the community updated as new information is available.

6. Budget Review: Cedric Tam

- Started the month off at \$6,474
- Fresh From The Farm will give council approximately \$330

7. Fundraising Update: Ruby Dhillon:

- Deliveries from Fresh from the Farm coming soon
- Next initiative is FundScript starting at the beginning of November
- Read-A-Thon to take place in December
- Chat about a survey sent out to parents to get input on fundraising initiatives
- Video email sent out to parents about council initiatives as a different way to communicate
- BINGO Night - December 1st
- Katie to put together Google Survey for parents