

## **KPS COUNCIL MINUTES**

Date:	Thursday March 3, 2022
Chair:	Christine
Secretary:	Melanie
Community Engagement:	
Council Members:	Christine, Melanie
Observers:	Jenn, Lori, Stacy, Mallory
Principal:	Tonya Vokey-Young
Vice-Principal:	Shelly Hewitt
Teacher Representatives:	Emily Stapleton, Mark Vojnic
Google Drive:	kpsmemberatlarge@gmail.com - Password KeswickPS
In Attendance:	Tonya, Shelly, Emily, Mark, Christine, Melanie, Jenn, Lori, Stacy, Mallory
Regrets:	
Student Representative:	Not Present



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Topic (Presenter)	Discussion Notes	Next Steps
1. Welcome (Christine)		N/A
2. Approval of last minutes (Everyone)	<ul> <li>Approval of last minutes - Jan. 20, 2021</li> </ul>	N/A
3. Financials (Christine)	<ul> <li>\$19453.77 is current balance</li> </ul>	N/A
4. Macgregor's Meat Fundraiser Recap (Lori)	<ul> <li>\$1880 profit</li> <li>Sold 181 boxes; received the 200 box kick-back</li> <li>Very fast pick-up! - 22 minutes</li> </ul>	N/A
5. Pink Shirt Day Recap (Lori)	<ul> <li>Was not overly successful</li> <li>Do not have exact numbers at this time</li> </ul>	N/A
6. School Lunch - Lunch Lady and Lunch Box (Christine)	<ul> <li>Tonya emailed Lunch Box this week to work out next steps; have not heard back at this point</li> <li>Staff/parents are eager for its return</li> <li>Need to figure out how to distribute food without having parent volunteers in the building</li> <li>Need to have everything individually packaged (e.g. cannot have pizza with slices distributed)</li> <li>Lunch assistants who are employees of the school can likely distribute food</li> <li>Could have tables set up in the main foyer and send runner down from each class to pick up individually wrapped food items</li> <li>In the past Lunch Box items were delivered by parents; Lunch Lady items were picked up</li> <li>Christine contacted staff at Lunch Box and Lunch Lady; Lunch Lady did not return email</li> </ul>	Christine and Tonya will email Lunch Lady and Lunch Box again; follow up with phone calls.
	<ul> <li>That's a Wrap - New company to Keswick - could be an option</li> <li>Milk Program - could this return?</li> <li>Intermediate students used to help Brenda deliver milk about 20 minutes before the end of class</li> <li>The milk order form was sent out about every 3 months</li> </ul>	Tonya will ask Brenda if she is willing to run the milk program again.
7. Parent Questionnaire (Christine)	<ul> <li>Towards the end of March might be good time to send it out so that it does not get lost in emails before or after March Break</li> </ul>	The questionnaire will be sent during the last week of March.
8. School Constitution Review	<ul> <li>Needs to be reviewed regularly</li> <li>The last time it was reviewed was in 2018; there were very few changes; "co-chairs" was added, instead of "chair" and</li> </ul>	Everyone should look over the constitution before



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(Everyone)	<ul> <li>"vice-chair"</li> <li>● We would like to have time to look it over before the next meeting</li> </ul>	the next meeting and send Christine a message if anything stands out as needing to be changed.
9. Tonya's Corner	<ul> <li>Report cards were sent home digitally last week</li> <li>Graduation pictures were taken for grade &amp; (last year this was not allowed)</li> <li>Recently celebrated the 100th day of school</li> <li>Duane Gibson will be presenting to students and parents next week due to PRO Grant funding</li> <li>Paul Davis will do an Anti-bullying and Social Networking Safety presentation for students - Tonya applied for and received \$500 grant that will be used for this presentation</li> <li>Sibbald Point is going face-to-face in April for students; parent volunteers are still not allowed to come</li> <li>Mr. Davison is away until further notice</li> <li>Mme. Hamilton has returned</li> <li>Ms. Courts was replacing Ms. Menzies and will leave on March 11; Ms. Menzies will return after March Break</li> <li>Ms. Bottomley will stay until the end of the school year</li> <li>Ms. Hewitt will be leaving as of April 1; she is being appointed to a regional role in CEC North/Central - short-term placement; following that she will be appointed as principal; community will be informed once the replacement has been determined</li> <li>Communication will go out next week regarding graduation - the board has approved in-person ceremonies in June; no details have been released yet about the number of people allowed, etc.</li> <li>Music Instrument Wish List</li> <li>* Prices based on Cosmo Music in Richmond Hill</li> <li>10 ligatures needed - \$5-10 each</li> <li>5 trumpets - \$690 each</li> <li>1 drum stool - \$162</li> <li>2 clarinet cases - \$95 each</li> <li>Piano bench - \$199</li> <li>2 tenor saxophones - \$1490 each</li> <li>6 fultes - \$555 each</li> <li>1 alto sax - \$1139 each</li> <li>6 fultes - \$565 each</li> <li>1 euphonium - \$1830</li> <li>2 trombones - \$3899 each</li> <li>Total = ~\$24000</li> <li>Staff could be asked to investigate prices at Connor's Music</li> </ul>	Tonya will ask staff to look into prices at Connor's Music.