



# KPS School Council Minutes

**Date: Tuesday April, 2018 @ 6:30-8:00pm**

**Chair:** Jacie  
**Vice Chair:** Lara  
**Secretary:** Sylvie .  
**Community Engagement:** Samantha

**Council Members:** Cathy, Samantha, Tanya, Laura, Lara, Karen, Jennifer, Christiane, Stacy, Christine, Suzanne, Jaclyn, Sylvie, Leigh, Carrie, Lori

**Regrets: Sydney, Sylvie, Leigh**

**Principal:** Marina Cochrane  
**Teacher representatives:** M. Marc Vojnic

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1. Welcome - Round table - Daniella, Lori, Lara, Cathy, Samantha, Stacy, Christine, Sydney, Tracy
2. Approval of March 9, 2018 minutes
3. Grade 8 Presentation – Mme Crawford’s science class Zack and Fiona – conference water docks in Toronto. Lake Simcoe cleanup fund cancelled, education about invasive species in water. Lake Simcoe clean up conference will show video approx. 36 kids attending. Requesting money for bussing they want \$950 for bus. We offered to help with organizing grilled cheese lunch and obtain the profits and School will top off. Council offered to “hand up” funds and grade 8s will fund raise after through Grill Cheese days.
4. Dance a thon – wrap up discussion
  - a. It was a huge success, how to engage 7 and 8’s to participate, possible a buy into event for them to raise funds. Google form in 208/19 for what the students want as prizes
  - b. Time capsule buy in was an idea
  - c. Budget to give to teachers for promotional in classes (possibility) advertise how many prizes, next year Zoo prize again
5. Ice Cream social
  - a. Dj at dance
  - b. Sale of sundae with toppings
  - c. Pizza
  - d. No vendors
  - e. No community event extending event to new grade 1 parents, raffle basket up to \$10 donation

- f. June 8 5-8 pm
- g. Still need to find a name
- h. 1<sup>st</sup> meeting April 20, 018 at 7 pm Tim Horton's at woodbine.

#### 6. New Recruits

- a. Spirit wear – Daniela and Lori
- b. Lunchbox order – Christine
- c. Nutrition program – send out an email

#### 7. Bailey's Night

- a. Contact week before event May 28, 2018
- b. Get up on cash online
- c. Belter way to organize kids
- d. 3 different groups
  - i. Primary/junior/intermediates
  - ii. Need to know servers before going up on cash on line
  - iii. Letter to go out to students for volunteering

#### 8. Marina's Corner

- a. Connor delivered hats to sick kids and Southlake
  - i. Nominated for student success award by Mme Cochrane
  - ii. Will represent KPS in May
- b. Mapping out field trip days too many events at end of school year
- c. Together We're Better– workshop students/CYW attending
  - i. Grade 4-8 Equity and inclusion
- d. Kids riding bikes to school. Need to use helmets and bike racks
- e. Field are closed
- f. Year book form went out – needs to be earlier next year
- g. Class placement – newsletter insert sent by Marina - class placement process and how staff and principal determine placements
  - i. 4 portables next year
  - ii. Next year 2/3, 3/3 and 3 in portables because only transition is gym
  - iii. Routine for bathroom safe
  - iv. Class size, gender balance, achievement English language
  - v. IEP's, social relationships
  - vi. Growing to 450 next year now 440 students
  - vii. Smaller class sizes in upper grades won't happen next year,
- h. Teacher transfer placement until June 2018 (grade 1 now 68 registered – 23 student cap per class.
  - i. 1 class room is empty for class reorganization if needed in September
- i. Music Teacher will be on Maternity Leave Mrs. Thompson.
- j. Mme Zinder is coming back
- k. Out of 9 junior classes 6 teachers have special Ed qualifications
- l. Grants – Lisa Day forwarded ideas
  - i. Mme Richmond and Mr. V. working on it and \$1000 Best Buy Grant
- m. Grade 8 Tanya Hilton and Susan Faulkner graduation planning committee for after celebration - parents



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- i. Bowling night 9 dots
- ii. Fun fair 4 dots
- iii. Cookie dough 3 dots
- iv. 1 for bailey
- v. Spirit wear 2 dots. (on going events)

## 9. Adjournment.

\*Next meeting dates are: February 6, 2018, March 6, 2017, April 3, 2017, May 1, 2018, May 29, 2018.)