

Markville Secondary School Council

Participants: **Admin team:** Stephen Bewcyk (Principal), Paull Simmons (Vice-Principal)
Parents: Annie Cai, Joyce Chan, Sharda Still, Lee Carwana

DRAFT Minutes

Wednesday June 18th, 2014
7:15 p.m. – 8:45 p.m. Library

Welcome & Introductions

Approval of previous meeting minutes

Joyce, Annie

Student Council Report (Steve)

Students are busy with exams, not able to attend the meeting
The water fountains in the school have been converted to water bottle stations
All recent events have been a huge success – prom, music and athletic banquets, SAC attack

Council Report (Joyce, Annie)

1. Council Elections 2014/15
 - would like to promote this more – add this onto the school newsletter being mailed to parents
 - School Council letter will be re-designed to be more engaging
2. Breakfast Program
 - The Guidance Councilor has taken this on and will continue to renew this program. The government needs a quarterly report to show how fees are spent.
3. Staff Luncheon
 - Friday June 27th 12:30 to 1:30
 - Approx. 120 for lunch
 - \$250 has been set aside for drinks and desserts

Treasurers Report (Sharda)

This school year, council funds have all been used in support of the following:
Parent Engagement Evening
Alt Ed/ Spec Ed Scholarship fund
Year end mailing to all parents
Mobile Museum
Teachers Appreciation Luncheon
Teachers Wish List

Admin Report (Steve, Paull)

There are 3 reports due at the end of every school year

- 1- Pro Grant – due to the labour dispute, there was difficulty for many schools to use their funds. An allowance was made to extend the time when these funds could be spent. Our extra funds will be used towards postage for school year end mailings, which includes roughly 300 grade 8's, 850 grade 9-11 students
- 2- Treasurers Report
- 3- School Council Annual Report – to show what activities were done during the school year

Grade 9 student will start Monday Aug 29th, 2014

- They will be divided into 3 groups, with 3 different lunch periods
- All students are to bring their devices into the school. There will be staff in place to ensure all students are able to successfully connect

The following admin/staff will be moving on to different schools next year:

Paull Simmons

Kelly Bradshaw

Michael Sinukoff

Niki Ramdeen

Rob Cotey

Next Meeting: Wednesday Sept 17th, 2014 / 7:15 p.m. – 8:45 p.m. School Library

LINKS:

School's Website: <http://www.markville.ss.yrdsb.edu.on.ca/>

York Region District School Board, School Councils Home Page:
<http://www.yrdsb.edu.on.ca/page.cfm?id=SSC000001>

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