



Michael Cranny Public School

School Council Meeting Minutes



Location: Virtual, GoToMeeting

Date of Meeting: January 13, 2021

Time: 7:00pm-8:40pm

Minutes by: Shachar

Present (in alphabetical order):

Anna Bruno

Janis Jones

Andre SCM

Cecilia

Celine SCM

Charles

Despina

Ecaterina SCM

Fanta

Gillian Gibbons (Superintendent)

Irina

Marina SCM

Maryam SCM

Maya SCM

Melissa SCM

MKK

Nadeem Mahmood (Trustee)

Sandra SCM

Shachar SCM

Tara

- **Principal Profile and Constitution – Ms. Bruno**

- **Q&A Session with Trustee & Superintendent – Mr. Mahmood & Ms. Gibbons**
 - Mr. Nadeem Mahmood – School Board Trustee
 - Ms. Gillian Gibbons – Superintended
 - Both addressed various questions from parents & school council

- **Treasurer’s Report - Celine**
 - Opening Balance in December: **\$2,714.14**
 - December deposits of **\$755** from direct donations + **\$129.65** from virtual Bingo + **\$2,738.54** from cookie dough fundraiser
 - Missing **\$183.42** - Checking with Ms. Kaufmann
 - Expecting additional deposit of **\$200** from FLIPVGIVE proceeds
 - End of Month Total **\$4,444.71**
 - December Net Revenue **\$1,730.57**

- **Public Health Self Screening Tool - Ms. Bruno**

- Use daily to determine if child should stay home or come to school.
- If you have had to administer meds, child stays home.

- **Report Card Timeline for Term 1 – Ms. Bruno**

Elementary Report Cards - Term 1	
Jan 15	PA Day: Report Card completion and Assessment Day (teacher-directed)
Jan. 29	Term 1 Reports to the office by the end of the day. Earlier submission at teacher's discretion.
Feb 4	Term 1 Reports returned to teachers for corrections
Feb 8&9	Report cards finalized for IT uploading
Feb 10	Report Cards go home electronically

- **Reorganization for Term 2 – Ms. Bruno**

- Families will have a final opportunity between January 15-19 to fill out a board survey to switch from F2F to EVS or from EVS to F2F
- On January 22nd, board will send out confirmation email
- On February 2nd, families will receive a letter to indicate possible reorganization for Term 2
- February 9 and 10th, staff will receive updated teaching assignment, class lists and timetable
- February 12th, the last day of old organization
- February 16th, first day of new classes schedules

- **School Initiatives – Marina & Ecaterina**

Due to time constraint, we did not get to discuss all topics below

- Magic Show and Science in School Proposal
- Kahoot! Community Event Night
- Read-a-thon Proposal
- Update on Grants and Community Outreach

- Parents Reaching Out (PRO) Grants School Councils
 - Submission Due Jan.29
 - Boost more and mental health
 - Virtual Family Paint Night
 - Grant money will be used to purchase art kits and distributed to students
- ESL Family support initiative update (Ambassador program)
- Alana Bassanese, MA, ED, S, Psychoeducational Consultant
 - March meeting to talk about COVID anxiety and how to manage conversations at home and at school around COVID)