

MILLIKEN MILLS PUBLIC SCHOOL

School Council Meeting Minutes

Monday May 16, 2016

7:00 pm

Attendance: Nandy Palmer (Principal), Adil Nashed (Co-chair), Anders Rawlins (Co-chair), Mary Massoud (Treasurer), Kim Loftus (Secretary), Budi Yusino, Fiona Veening, Angela Scrofano, Theresa Ng

Meeting Norms

Adil reviewed the norms for the meeting:

- begin and end on time
- attentive listening
- mutual respect of perspectives
- items not on agenda to be discussed at the end if time allows
- raise hand to speak

Review of Previous Meeting Minutes

The minutes were reviewed from the last Council Meeting of April 4, 2016 and adopted by Fiona Veening and Angela Scrofano.

Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer Report was not available as Angela Pun (School Secretary) was not at school that day. Mary reported that the total in bank was \$3469.14

Teacher's Report

The Teacher Rep Madame Tantalo was not available but the Principal Ms. Palmer outlined school activities which included:

Welcome to Kindergarten – planning for next year is underway

Tea for Volunteers

Gr 8 Camp Tamarack trip

Talent Show

Track and Field – May 19 for grades 4-8 and winners from this would go on to Regionals.

A suggestion for a tent was put forward.

EQAO will start at end of May for Grades 3 (Math) and 6 (Reading, Writing and Math)

Principal's Report

Ms. Palmer noted that the School Council Annual Report was not out yet for us to complete.

Coppard Glen grade 2 students who are returning for FI at Milliken Mills came in to see their classes.

Roles and Responsibilities for elected Council Members

There was positive discussion over how to better enhance communication and processes among Council members so duties are shared and not left to one or two individuals to

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manage.

Donation/Fundraisers:

It was not certain how many Boxes of Cards were left but it was agreed that anything left over should be returned to Costco.

Angela Scrofano was recognized for singlehandedly cutting and stapling all of the fundraising ticket booklets. Further kudo's were extended to Mary, Budi and Theresa for their invaluable contribution creating the fundraising booklets. A plan was discussed around Mary coordinating a PA announcement to begin by May 30 as the draw is June 2.

It was also suggested that future fundraising planning take place at the first Council meeting next year.

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.

Upcoming Meeting Dates in Library at 7 pm:

Tentatively next year meeting dates will be held on Mondays.