

June 2017

Final School Council Update 2016-2017



**Thank you SJAM Community
for another
Wonderful Year!**

Thank you to all volunteers who have contributed your time and efforts this year!! We're proud that our school has such a strong culture of volunteerism, and that current students of all ages and former students take part in helping out. Thanks to the parents who have spent many hours planning, organizing and volunteering at School Council Events!

Good bye Ms. Zaitlin! Best of luck as Principal at Beynon Fields P.S. next year! We'll miss you! Thank you for all your contributions to SJAM this year!

**As we wrap up the 2016-2017 School Year, lets take
a look back:**



In the fall, our **Invest in Education** fundraiser raised over \$7500 that went to purchase 30 Chrome Books for classrooms, an alto saxophone and 2 rhythm percussion instruments.

On a snowy winter night, we hosted a cozy **Movie Night** in the Gym featuring **Moana**. Over \$1300 was raised.



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Public Speaking Classes**

**Tracy Griffin,
Craniosacral Therapist
and RMT**

**WESTROW
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Lisa Zhou

Lisa Zografos

Rahim Surani



In April, we received a **Parents Reaching Out Grant** and hosted “**Active Living to Promote Better Academics**”, a free, fun, active evening featuring **Sarah Gallsworthy** and several exhibitors who showed the SJAM Community fun ways to be active!



School Council fundraising contributed \$10,000 for SJAM's **new Outdoor Classroom!**



Last month we celebrated **Canada 150 at our Annual BBQ Fundraiser!** We didn't let the rain ruin our event and we moved it inside for an evening of bouncy castles, raffle prizes, burgers and hot dogs, and fun activities with the SJAM Community! It was our biggest fundraiser of the year! You can attend the school council meetings in the fall to contribute to the decision on how the money is spent at SJAM!



Have a wonderful Summer!

Goodbye Gr. 1 French Immersion Families. We'll see the rest of you again in the FALL!



Will you consider joining School Council next year? All parents/guardians/community members welcome! School Council partners with staff and administration to help make SJAM even better than it is already!

Save the Dates!

First School Council Meeting: Thursday, October 5, 2017

ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND and find out more about School Council!

Tentative date of first School Council event:

Tuesday, November 7th 7:00 PM

Watch email, Twitter and the school website for updates.