

Prince Charles School Council Meeting Minutes

Date: December 5, 2024

Attendance: John, Abby, Sarah, Emma, Emma, Andrew, Jenny, Shari, Kristina, Stefanie

Regrets: Susan, Mehrdad, Shaleigh

Agenda Items:

- **Minutes:** Sarah motioned minutes, Abby seconded.
- **Holiday Concert:** December 12, 11:00pm or 1:30pm. Parents encouraged to attend one session to comply with fire code.
- **Family Skate:** 17th is the next family skate.
- **School Dance:** December 20 in the gym. There will be optional library activities for those who don't want to dance. Snack options available for purchase.
- **School Trip:** Grade 2 classes visit museum on Dec 19.
- **Spirit Week:** Dec 16-20.
- **Superintendent Visit:** Dec 11, meeting with leadership team, walk-through, discussion of 2022+ school improvement plan, student survey results.
- **Student Survey Results:** 52% want shaded areas, 37% better gym equipment, 59% older students to organize activities, 68% more evening events, 61% murals or artwork, 74% quiet space, 82% furniture update, library upgrade, new jerseys, reading competitions.
 - Discussion on Implementation: How to narrow down requests, approval process for murals, library upgrades, consideration of reading house, bins for organizing learning items, parent volunteers.
- **Games Club:** Miss Yumada in charge, no games purchased yet, donations welcome.
- **Jerseys:** Abby working on costs, \$50/jersey, 25-30 needed, color decision to be made, \$2000 budget.
- **Badminton:** Students need eyewear, \$15/each, 30 needed, total cost \$500.

- **Financial Report:** Available funds \$21,189.71, funds out for music subscription, boardgames, juggling chef, Canada Post strike delays checks, cashback with scholastics, potential \$34,500 from fundraising.
- **Events:** Fitness night successful, spring fling tentative date June 5, dance-a-thon fundraiser, juggling chef coming, PROGRANT funding for social inclusion, mental health, literacy programs, playground revitalization project.
- **Next Steps:**
 - Agree to put \$2000 towards library bins.
 - Abby motioned, Jenny seconded
 - Use Scholastic cash back for reading house.
 - School jerseys/sport uniforms: \$2000.
 - Emma motioned, Sarah seconded
 - Badminton safety goggles: \$500.
 - Jenny motioned, Andrew seconded
 - Allocate \$15,000 towards playground revitalization plan.
 - Abby motioned, Stefanie seconded

Meeting Adjourned: 8:38PM