



## Richmond Hill High School School Council Meeting

January 18, 2016

7:00 – 9:00 PM

2nd floor, Library

### ----- Minutes of Meeting -----

Presentation/ Discussion Topic	Presenter	Action
1. A Balanced Digital Diet	Beverley Ellenbogen <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What is Digital Media Diet</li> <li>What are parents' issues with media use based on parent survey results</li> <li>What does research say</li> <li>"Answers" or ways to help students' balance digital usage</li> </ul>	
2. New Business Parking Lot	Hillary B. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reviewed process of identifying questions for New Business to be discussed later in meeting</li> </ul>	
3. Approval of November Minutes	Hillary B. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>November minutes approved</li> </ul>	To be posted on school website
4. Student Council Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>N/A</li> </ul>	
5. Administrator and Teacher's Report	Principal & Teacher School Council Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Administration updated on school events</li> <li>See related document</li> </ul>	Report to be posted to school website Check June PD Day date – June 7 or 3?
6. Treasurer Report	Wendy Wu <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parents Reaching Out (PRO) Grant: \$ 1,000</li> <li>Grant from the board approved \$500; waiting to receive</li> <li>No expenses as yet</li> <li>Balance \$1,000</li> </ul>	
7. Board Policies for Review <a href="http://www.yrdsb.ca/AboutUs/Policy/Pages/Policies-for-Comment.aspx">http://www.yrdsb.ca/AboutUs/Policy/Pages/Policies-for-Comment.aspx</a>	Hillary B <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Parents were reminded that YRDSB Policies for review are available on the board website.</li> <li>Any parent can provide input on these policies through the school council.</li> </ul>	

8. Pro Grant Update	<p>Jacky/Aline reviewed status</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Speaker: Sara Dimmerman, Director of Parent Education and Resource Centre</li> <li>• Proposed Date: May 4</li> <li>• Initial list of To Dos reviewed</li> </ul>	<p>Jacky/Aline to complete list of To Dos with due dates</p> <p>Recruit Volunteers – council, students, school clubs</p>
9. Focus Presentation	<p>Iris Murphy updated the status of Financial Literacy Presentation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lydia will present topic of Financial Literacy at April 18 meeting</li> </ul>	<p>Lydia/Iris to solicit feedback from school council via survey or key questions on areas of interest to cover</p>
10. Sub Committee for School council Award	<p>Sandy H</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Criteria for School Council Award that was developed last year has been posted for students to review and apply</li> <li>• Sub Committee required to review applications and choose awardees</li> <li>• Criteria for Sub Committee membership – no parent with student in Grade 12</li> </ul>	<p>Volunteers for Sub Committee to be finalized at next council meeting</p>
11. New Business	<p>Members at Large</p> <p>Question regarding availability of study rooms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• no additional rooms available due to school capacity. Students can use rooms off library or library study carrels</li> </ul>	
13. Wrap Up/Next Meeting	Next meeting: April 18, 2016, 7 to 9pm	

### 2015-2016 Meeting Dates

September 21, 2015  
January 18, 2016

October 26, 2015  
April 18, 2016

November 16, 2015  
May 16, 2016