- Financial literacy presentation by Enriched Academy
 - o kevin@enrichedacademy.com
- Land acknowledgment
 - o Where all the communities of the first nations partners are geographically located
- Attendance (following were present)

Co-Chair Lei Hong -
Co-Chair Mukesh Gautam -
Secretary: Alifiya Kanchwala
Treasurer: Sarah Lee - ABSENT
Voting Members :
Sally Ni
Angela Yau
Xiyi Feng
Patricia Wan-Chow-Wah
Mahta Mirbagheri
Christine (Yao) Chen
Emma Zhang
Hava Jouharchi
Angela Spiro

Previous Minutes – November meeting minutes

move to approve - Mukesh

- o Seconded Christine
- o All voting members approved by all
- o Will put the pathways presentations links on the website under the minutes
- Student council report
 - Brian president
 - o Eileen VP
 - o Most recent event: Valentines day activities:
 - Gave out personalized notes and lollipop to all kids in school to raise spirits after exams

- Will be releasing a student feedback form for events students want to see
- o Planning a teachers vs students sports event probably volleyball
- Also planning a school dance date ~ end of April, in school. Therefore much more cost efficient and a little more casual
- Teacher Report Sean Pomakov
 - Guidance has been running course selection presentations for students and parents and drop ins after school



- Athletics many successes from junior boys bball, sr girls voll
- o Math dept:
 - CIMC math contest Rhill team placed 11th
 - 4 students have been invited to write AIME
 - Waterloo math contests
- Family Studies
 - Origami
 - Pizza competition
 - Brownie baking
- o ESL
- Field trip to Newcomer Youth
- Music
 - Holiday Serenade.
 - Senior band took a field trip to U of T
 - Gr 9 and 10 concert bands performed in many festivals had many successes
- o Computer

- Canadian Computing Contest .
- VEX Robotics in rm 1032 after school
- SHSM
 - Anita Mahzouni first place in experiential learning
- Greenhouse project
 - Vegetable Seedlings
 - Green Wall
- o French
 - 2 students won national French podcast competition and won a trip to Quebec
- English
 - Poetry slam
 - SpyGlass winter issue
 - Vanessa Wang won first place in York Region and Won First place in entire GTA region, and 3rd in Ontario wide creative writing. "How do you keep it together"
- Admin Report- Debbie Linkewich
 - o Graduation Date change to June 27th at 6pm to accommodate a faith day
 - Grad Fee for gowns, location, grad photo, tickets \$75
 - o Faith Days: Ramadan
 - Kids can speak to their teachers if they need some accommodations
 - Many Faith Days in April so can't have assessments on those days
 - Community Iftar: March 29th students and families who would like to attend should fill out a google form
 - Course selection is done very important as it determines teacher selection and staffing
 - Report card and student credit summaries
 - Please take the time to make sure that report cards are accurate and no anomalies exist due to new system – please report anomalies so they can be resolved.
 - Black History Month
 - Daily announcements, guest speaker, Black Student Association being made,



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- Admin Report-
 - Admin Team George Voumakis is replacing Mr Ruytenbeek until he returns around Easter. Absent today

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- Admin Report- Helen Ho
 - Interim Reports March 27
 - Student Progress Meetings March 30
- Admin Report- Tamara Gord
 - OSSLT next date: April 18,2023.
 - After school literacy program running with credit recovery to prep
 - After school numeracy currently running too.
- Treasurer report
 - \$500 is available for school council to use in 2022/2023
 - Past purchases include: graduation awards, outdoor picnic tables, refreshments for personal best awards – each staff nominates 1 student to achieve a personal best award for different achievements – for staff to think about who stands out. Usually takes the first hour of the meeting. 100 staff, + students and family - so ~ 200- 300 people.
 - Suggestion: \$250 for grad awards, \$250 for subsidize refreshments.
 - Move to approve: Alifiya. Seconded: Christine
 - Approved by all voting members
- Board policies for review on the YRDSB website
- New Business:
- Next Council date: April 3 2023 Focus on Youth Mental Health
- May 15th Personal Best Awards Evening
- Principal Profile
 - o Completed and submitted by mukesh, alifiya and Lei

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