

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Public School

School Council Meeting Agenda

Wednesday, March 6, 2019

School Staff Room 7:00-8:30pm

Attendance: Elisa Lau, Dorothy Tong, Chris Liu, Bruno DesRosiers, Rod Toula, Grace Lee, Karen Lau, Bin Chang, Diana Yau, and Joyce Allimonos,

Student Council Presidents: Bruce Yu, Ibrahim Rahman

Staff: Deborah Joyce

AGENDA ITEM	<i>Minutes Notes</i>
1) Welcome, Greetings & Thanks (Elisa)	
2) Report from Student Council Presidents (Bruce & Ibrahim)	<p>Student Council Presidents presented on Spirit Days, Winter Dance and Winter Carnival. They also proposed a microwave for student use, but there were some logistical concerns from the admin (e.g. how many microwaves we would need for 700+ students).</p> <p>They also presented a proposal for a “Career Day” where parents would be able to showcase their careers to help students with career planning. The only concern from members was that it would be difficult to coordinate a time that would work for students (during school hours) and a time that would work for parents (in the evening).</p>
3) Treasurer’s Update (Bruno)	<p>Presented report of September 2018 to February 2019. We have \$7,215.84 left.</p>

4) Proposed Expenditures “EVENTS” (All)	<p>a. Wind Turbine design challenge : grade 6 pilot event; can be next year.</p> <p>b. Multicultural activities: discussed ideas about a student talent show to showcase multiculturalism and more engaging activities with the school community.</p> <p>c. Twitter account: discussed Edsby vs Twitter and the Principal Joyce mentioned to ask a staff to take hold of twitter going forward. There has been no tweets since June 2018.</p> <p>d. Movie night: discussed multiple options, including possibly renting a theatre on a weekend morning.</p> <p>e. Appreciation for Volunteers and/or teachers: pancake and coffee for teachers; happy hour for parents - Jerrica Lin to coordinate</p> <p>f.. Helping another school: did not decide on whether to help, how to help, and how much.</p>
5) Sub-Committees (All)	<p>a. Review 2018-2019 lunch program. Pizza is the largest money maker and Main St Greek generates the smallest profit. Astoria provided sample meals at the meeting. Council agreed to “choose a day for the students to sample the meals for possibly next year changing providers”</p> <p>b. Funfair committee: discussed new ideas of Extreme ice cream, students DJ, students performance.</p> <p>c. Did not have time to discuss any updates to constitution/by-laws</p>
6) YRDSB Programs & Events (All)	<p>Did not have time to discuss</p>
7) Report from School Administration (Deborah)	<p>Did not have time to discuss - handout shared with attendees as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Cost Sharing -purchased 48 Chromebooks · 4C between grade 9 math team at PETHS and our Grade 7 & 8 Math teachers · Film and Theatre club (run by students) for grades 2-4 · Art Club for grade 6-8 students · Grade 6 trips to Science centre · Winter Carnival Day

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grade 4 trip to Science centre coming up • Grade 6 VIP • Intermediate girls basketball • Intermediate boys basketball • Pyjama day Feb 25 • Kattam presentation • Drama Club (grades 5-8) • Deron Douglas grade 7 mural and learning commons art • Tennis program for whole school through Phys Ed • Edsby training for teachers • Tubing • Glenn Marais worked with Grade 8s • We made pancakes for whole staff
8) Open Forum (All)	<p>Bruce mentioned Jerrica offering funding for winter carnival prizes but since the offer had not come through the School Council (or a School Council Executive) offering funding for those prizes wouldn't be possible. Further discussed at meeting and concluded that School Council will be funding a board game for each of the grade 8 classes as the prize. Grade 8 students to purchase for School Council to reimburse.</p>

Next Meeting: Wednesday, April 10, 2019

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