

MINUTES

Stonebridge School Council Meeting

April 5, 2021 from 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Location: Online - Zoom

Future Dates: June 7th

School Council Members: Sumir, Kevin, Garth Morris, Joanne Wang, Micol Mihaila, Carmen Chan, Ingrid Lambie, Josephine Fu, Jun Yan, Tasneem Ali

Present: Sumir Bansal, Joanne Wang, Garth Morris

Agenda Items	Lead
Welcome: Welcome from 2020-21 School Council Co-Chairs	Joanne/ Garth
Garth welcome Joanne Wang as a school council co-chair in 2020-2021.	
Approval of Minutes from February 1st, 2021	Garth
Garth approved the minutes of February 1 st ,2021 and Joanne has seconded it.	
Welcome and updates from School Administrators	Kevin/ Sumir
<i>Virtual Lunar New Year Celebration</i>	
Identity is important and the school will continue to contribute the tradition events of different culture, Sumir was presenting the picture of Lunar New Year from last year throughout the school, celebrate with all students with Chinese New Year with giving out red pockets.	
We will have virtual gathering for Lunar New Year on Feb 12th, 2021 from 6 to 7p.m. with the whole Stonebridge community.	
There will be a virtual Lunar New Year celebration presentation video	
Family will be invited to RSVP. We will provide them with a link to the meeting, wear their Lunar New Years outfits, choose a Lunar New Years background for their zoom screen, and volunteer to read a story relating to LNR, share how they celebrate as a family LNR and be scheduled to speak that evening.	

French project on how to combat racism, presentation in English

As a school we have been engaged in lots of learning around anti-Racism. There was a video shown about students learning about the impact of Racism and their learning in French.

Active school walk to school

The school shared a new sign was installed at the front of the school to promote walking and biking to school as part of our Active School Travel Initiative.

Texts for classes

As a school we continued to order from A Different Book List this year to ensure our texts in our classrooms were diverse and representative. We ordered new texts for each and every classroom that the students and staff were excited about.

Spirit Week

The week that was supposed to be “March Break” we held a spirit week and had several fun activities such as Pie Day, Earth Day etc. We ended the week with an awareness campaign around World Down Syndrome Day.

Pro Grant Application

School is mainly focus on Media Literacy, Social Media, cyber-bullying, mental health/ well-being and COVID-19

Fund Raising:

Garth

The School Council accepts donations from business, parents are welcome to use their business account to do direct donations to the school; However, business donations cannot use for advertising purpose.

The School Council has 6 voted and approved that we will put \$750 toward to graduation gifts to all our graduates in 2021, which it matched up the school raised funds.

Accounting Update

Jun/Kevin

There is no change of the account balance from last month.

Upcoming Meeting Dates

June 7th 6:30 to 8:30pm

Adjournment
