

Westminster Public School – School Council Meeting



Wednesday November 28th, 2018 – Proposed Agenda

- 1. Approval of October 17th, 2018 Minutes: (VOTE Required)
- 2. Approval of Treasurer's Report: (VOTE Required) (10 min.)

Prepared by Ellen Crackower (with office staff: Kim Mueller)

3. Co-Chair's Report:

(10 min.)

Autumn Ball review and feedback School Council Forum feedback (Oct. 29) School Council Parent Survey for fundraising events (will review with item #6)

4. Principal's Report:

(20 min.)

Land Acknowledgement
Principal's Profile (Review & Approve)
Staff professional learning outcomes (October 22nd)
Every Student Counts Survey (Nov. 12-30)
Student Lead Parent Teacher Interviews (Nov. 22 & 23)
Student Council representative(s)
School Fundraising Plan (event and dates)
Windows replacement update
Other items

5. Action item considerations and updates: *(15 min.)*

Status of Grants
Metro Food Grant (see attached for more info)
Hot Lunch program, Swiss Chalet, Milk Program, Pizza updates
Fresh from the Farm update (delivery on Nov. 28)

6. Proposed future School Council events and dates (see attached for more info.) *(20 min.)*

Online fundraising options (QSP, Cookies, McGregor's, Halenda's, etc.)
Lunch recess programs (karate, arts, chess, dance, drama, etc.)
Speaker Seminars & Community Events
Health & Wellness Night
Family Movie Nights
Family Restaurant Nights
Rummage Sale
Spring Fun Fair Festival
Teacher Appreciation Luncheon



Future School Council Meeting Dates (6:30 pm to 8:00 pm)

January 16, 2019 February 13, 2019 March 27, 2019 May 1, 2019

For Your Information...

General Events and Fundraising Proposals (TBD on November 28th)

(suggested by Lucy)

(1) Martial Arts Event

A small group of trainers and kids from a local Martial Arts club would come to show the kids a demo and run an easy training session. They would talk to kids about discipline and respect.

(2) Writing Contest Event

Students will be encouraged to write a short story or poem and submit it before an established deadline. Lucy to choose one winner for each grade and reward an age appropriate mystery prize (sponsored by Lucy)

(suggested by Diana)

(1) Roma Crafts

Art classes offered during lunch recess. Can be for grades 1-3 and 4-6 on Mondays or Fridays. YRDSB Approved Vendor. Classes are for 8 weeks for \$64.00 (+HST). Minimum 10 students/class.

http://www.romacrafts.com/home.html

(2) Martial Arts or Sports by Jay

Classes offered at lunch recess.

(suggested by Sandra)

Halenda's – The Meat People

Prepackaged pepperoni sticks. Sell at events or students/parents to sell and return profits to school. Approx. 50% profit. No minimum order required. Shipped anywhere. No tax.

http://www.halendas.com/ontario-fundraising-program/

(suggested by Edna)

Metro Food Grant (Application Due December 31, 2018)

The Green Apple School Program, launched in 2012, aims to encourage young Ontarians to develop healthy eating habits by participating in a project proposed by their school that will have a positive impact on their home, school or community. For the seventh year in a row, METRO, along with its Metro and Food Basics merchants, will award 500 grants of \$1,000 each to elementary schools and high schools in Ontario communities in which we operate. **Project must be completed by June 21, 2019.**

https://www.greenapple.metro.ca/a-propos/index.en.html