

WJ WATSON SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING

May 8th, 2023 6:45-8:00

IN ATTENDANCE

- Sue Wansbrough, Bryana Lloyd, Valerie Vriesen, Alison Hutt, Meghan Bonder, Patricia Spear, Katrine Monaghan, Stacey Holliday, Derek Holliday, Leilani Olamit, Danielle MacDonald, Amanda Link, Lyndsey McGill and Krystine Ross.

Regrets – Jill Antosik, Jaclyn Kinsman, Michelle Foley, Teresa McDonald – Thuro, Melissa McGhee, Rebecca Allport – Cohoon, Valerie Cotterill, Olivia Williams and Shawna Burke

Administrative Update

- EQAO Week of May 15
 - Grad Fundraiser Week of 15 - Frozen Yogurt & Ice Cream
 - Week of 22 - Cookies
 - May 16 - SODA Track and Field community class -May 17-Treetop Trekking
 - May 29 - Spring Fling Dance during the day. K, Primary, Junior & Intermediate at different times. 1/2 of the gym dance, 1/2 of the gym games, crafts in foyer. Thank you to parent council for glow bracelets.
 - School and basketball game fundraiser will pay for DJ.
 - May 31 - Jump Rope/Hoops for Heart (May 12 is kick-off date, organized by Ms. Spear and Mrs. Lewis
 - Popsicles will be purchased from parent council for the students - Katrine to do before (Approx 360 total)
 - Email/Note will be sent out with code for online fundraising.
 - June 7 - Primary play day - popsicles will be purchased from parent council for the students.
Katrine to get them the day before (Sue to get #s)
 - June 9 - Zoo trip
 - June 12/13/14 - Denison
 - June 14 - Volunteer appreciation
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talent show for grades 3 – 8 during school hours. Parents should be able to attend – Sue will look into this. This will be in the weekly notice.
<p>Fundraisers</p>	<p>Kernels popcorn Fundraising is doing well. -Popcorn funds left over will go towards grad</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$3000 from school / matched with government - we got 49 chrome-books & iPad for community classes. • Movie night - spend 130\$ sold 110\$ • Macgregors - \$2150 for school, Total 12,000 sold. Pizza lunch for top seller Ms. Williams class - sold over \$2200 worth. • Lunch box made 550\$ February, 721\$ March. • Basketball tournament was successful. • Start new year with Krispy Kreme fundraiser in Sept. • Approx 2500\$ left to roll over to next school year. • Speaker still not paid. \$800 paid by board, 300\$ by school. He is awaiting cheques. Sue to look into this. • Lunch box payment for March has not arrived yet. • Spring Fling May 29 - Any available parent council members to volunteer - speak to Katrine. • Bus company to come on primary play day -Sue going to look into/approve of this.
<p>The year to come</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bingo nights for next year instead of movie nights? • Plan to find out restrictions prior to planning for any events next year. Parameters that are out now should be the same for next year. • Holiday vendor market next year • Speaker during the day for next event -information would reach more people this way. -Halloween dance with baskets, silent auction on the same day. • Meet the teacher pizza night in October. • Bus company to come on primary play day -Sue going to look into/approve of this. • School enrollment similar to this year. • More options for lunch box next year.