

Parent Attendees: Sheila Zahraei, Bob Arora, Kim Sparks, Corinne Szulansky, Chris Vaughan, Bahia Zitouni, Lori Duclos, Jennifer Lui, Praveen Arora, Sunny Cheung, Shakufe Virani, Ilana Keyes

Staff Attendees: Nereo Bonomo (Principal), Mihaela Avram, Sharon Tsui, Pamela Cytrynbaum

Location / Time: Staff Room, 7pm

Agenda	Speaker	Discussions /Actions
Welcome	Nereo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 7:10 meeting commencement Roundtable introductions were made June meeting minutes were already approved last June via email.
Elections	Sheila	<p>2018 School Council Members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sheila Zahraei, Bob Arora, Kim Sparks, Corinne Szulansky, Chris Vaughan, Bahia Zitouni, Lori Duclos, Jennifer Lui, Shakufe Virani, Ilana Keyes, Carrie Libling, Melissa Levin, Homeira Shahsavand, Lavinia (Liv) Corriero, Cristina Ilas <p>Non-voting Members:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Praveen Arora, Brooke Jacobs, Sunny Cheung, Katherine Sheridan <p>Membership Status Pending (Written candidacy submitted but unconfirmed):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Kamal Harrypersaud, R Shuval, Paulina Harcus <p>School Council Executive:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Co-Chairs: Sheila Zahraei and Shakufe Virani Treasurer: Bob Arora Secretary: Jennifer Lui, with Lori Duclos as back-up <p>Other Key Roles:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Member: Chris Vaughan Communications sub-committee (e.g. newsletter): Bahia, Ilana Fundraising sub-committee: Kim (eg. QSP and Acorn)

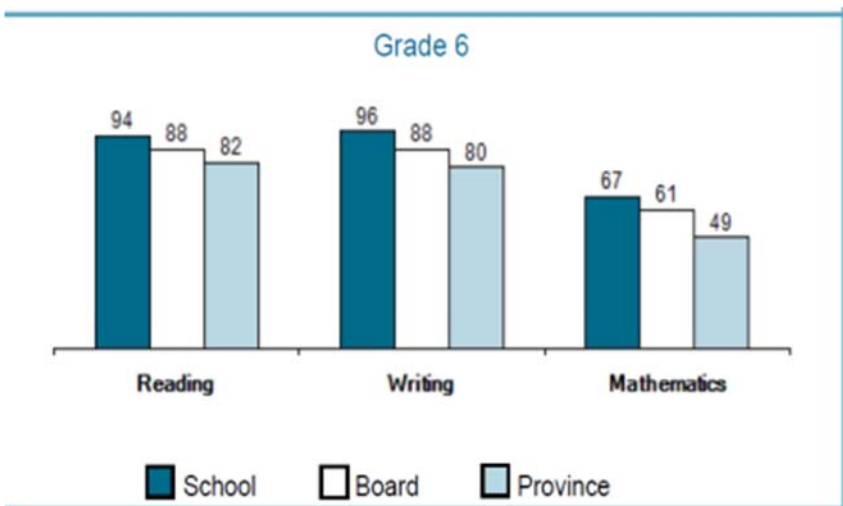
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Lunch programs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Monday – Subway via Lunchbox ○ Tue/Thur – Kids Kitchen ○ Wed – pizza ○ Fri – Astoria via Lunchbox
School Council Meeting Dates	Sheila	<p>Wed. Oct. 17, Thurs. Nov. 29, Wed. Jan. 9, Mon. Feb. 11, Tues. April 2, Thurs. May 9, Tues. Jun 4</p> <p>Other dates noted:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School Council Social Event: Nov. 15 – send out a save the date • Parent /Teacher interview on Nov. 22 • Fun Fair: Thurs. Jun 13 • Grad ceremony on Tues. Jun 18 <p>Note: the school has a Thursday evening school permit</p>
Principal's Report	Nereo	<p>This is Nereo's 8th year as principal. Nereo shared his background. Total = 12 classes, 304 students</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gr 4: 2 classes • Gr 5: 2 classes • Gr 5/6: 1 class • Gr 6: 2 classes • Gr 7: 2 classes • Gr 8: 3 classes <p>Welcome to :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Rachel Lipkowicz

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms Natalie Chippin, EA (CYW) • Ms. Madina Shaikh, EA (CYW) • Ms. Angela Incitto, PT Admin Assistant (replaced Patricia kategawa) <p>EQAO update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gr. 3 Yorkhill results will be sent to Gr. 4 students here at Woodland • Gr. 7 students will receive their results from the Gr. 6 test written last year. • Summary of data: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gr. 6 data, compared to the Board and the Province: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 94% achieve prov. std in reading • 96% achieved it in writing • 67% achieved it in math Gr. 6 data, compared to previous years: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 94% reading (up from 92) • 96% writing (up from 92) • 67% math (up from 61) ○ See Appendix A for full details. ○ Comprehensive math in the curriculum will be covered at a future meeting by Nereo. <p>BIPSA/SIPSA (Board/ School Improvement Plan)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Foci: Math, Mental Health, Modern Learning, Equity and Inclusivity (indigenous Education) ○ Leadership team members: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Technology – Lusan • Math – Valenzuela • Literacy – Avram, Zebic • Equity and inclusivity – Tsui • Athletic – Catenacci, Beaulieu ○ We are mandated to do what the Ministry tells us to do. ○ Curriculum got updated to 2014, but some strands such as sexuality were updated per 1998 curriculum.

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		<p>Orange Shirt Day – this Friday at school.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Announcements to sensitize students to understand what the date is for. ○ A woman who, in 1973 sent to a residential school. Her grandma sent her an orange shirt to celebrate first day of school. She was so excited about it. But at the school, she was asked to not wear it and had to wear the uniform. This really affected her. ○ See video link to be sent out by Nereo. ○ Land Acknowledgement will be delivered to start each SC meeting. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Curriculum night: 6-7:30pm on Thu. Sept. 27 • Every Student Counts Survey – intended to understand where are the kids who feel they are being under-served.
Teacher's Report	Mme Avram Mme Cytrnbaum	<p>Maker Space</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A place for students to be able to increase their engagement • Governed by: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Critical thinking ○ Communication ○ Collaboration ○ Creativity • Layout for proposed Newly Redesigned Woodland Library was shared. <p>Key areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Coding and robotics ○ Building and constructing ○ Digital media creation ○ Crafting and creating <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wishlist: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Pro-Bots (\$130) - Introduce coding and programing ○ Plusplus Building Set (\$35) – Junior focus geared towards grades 4-6 ○ Kapla Blocks (\$97.19) – Intermediate focus – blocks for building ○ Google Cardboard Virtual Reality (\$20.40) – intermediate- immersive learning • Presentation received applause from council

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> \$20k was spent at Windham for the learning space. (they had double the kids though) Woodland's proposal could be another \$10k <p>Grade 8 Trip</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Year-end overnight educational trip in Montreal (last year was Montreal too) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2-night/3-day for gr. 8s on April 10-12, 2019. Info session for parents in mid-Oct.. Tour guides are French speaking and can only speak in French; all visits will be in French
Treasurer's Report	Bob	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bob presented the Treasurer's report. Please refer to Appendix B. 2018 Fun Fair: We sold \$1000 less in admission, and invested in an inflatable, so we were \$2500 in the hole, but was \$800 short from the previous year. Due to 2105 from 800 silent auction, incr. food and drink by adding new items, and adding pizza. Playground maintenance – we have a reserve in the budget to maintain. Donation request to parents can feature our goals.
PRO Grant	Bahia	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maker Space family night Invite parents and businesses to host a station
Walk-in Topics	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bahia will run Coding Club again; starting in Nov. All School Council attendees were asked to refrain from wearing scents, (e.g. from perfumes, hairsprays, etc.) to council meetings due to sensitivities of some members Pizza help needed!
Adjournment	Nereo	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Meeting adjourned at 9:05pm Next meeting: Oct. 17, 2018, 7pm in the school library

APPENDIX A: EQAO RESULTS



APPENDIX B: TREASURER'S REPORT

Woodland Financial Report As At: September 14, 2018 (2017/2018 Year End Report)

Date of Last Report: June 1, 2018
 # Days in This Reporting Period: 105

2017/2018 School Council starting balance: \$17,460.31

Fundraising Profit	Debit	Credit	Change This		% of Total
			Period	Profit	
Pizza	13,805.21	26,395.71	- 1,379.43	12,590.50	56.5%
Fun Fair	6,124.23	12,177.13	4,082.55	6,052.90	27.2%
Donations	-	1,676.00	200.00	1,676.00	7.5%
QSP	-	1,653.59	-	1,653.59	7.4%
Kid's Kitchen Rebate	-	266.61	-	266.61	1.2%
Mabel's Labels Commission	-	50.04	-	50.04	0.2%
	19,929.44	42,219.08	2,903.12	22,289.64	100.0%

Total Fundraising Profits: + \$22,289.64

Expenditures	Debit	Credit	Change This		% of Total
			Period	Cost	
Technology Cost Sharing, Scientists in the School	7,345.88	-	1,194.00	7,345.88	36.1%
Musical instruments (2 baritone, triangle, shakes)	5,084.90	-	2,531.16	5,084.90	25.0%
Athletics (glass backboard, playground balls)	2,210.26	-		2,210.26	10.9%
Grade 8 Grad (\$20 x 66 grads)	1,320.00	-	1,320.00	1,320.00	6.5%
Field Trip / Zeroing Out	1,274.37	-		1,274.37	6.3%
Classroom Games	1,240.79	-		1,240.79	6.1%
Tarmac Repainting	750.00	-	750.00	750.00	3.7%
Track & Field Ribbons	664.89	-	664.89	664.89	3.3%
Track & Field Line Marking Kit	238.94	-	238.94	238.94	1.2%
Yearbook subsidy	203.36	-		203.36	1.0%
	20,333.39	-	6,698.99	20,333.39	100.0%

Total Expenditures: - \$20,333.39

2017/2018 School Council Closing Balance: = \$19,416.56

Earmarked Funds:

Playground Maintenance	5,155.70
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- \$5,155.70

Surplus: = \$14,260.86

