

Minutes for October 8, 2019

Changes/Issues regarding last Meeting: Leftover food from school open house BBQ to be used as a reward for classroom that collects most food during We Scare Hunger campaign

Approval of Last Meeting Minutes: September meeting was informal, no notes to share as all discussions were around planning the BBQ

Principal's Report: Tentative agreement reached with CUPE. Staff was great during one-week work-to-rule. Minimal effect on students other than need to eat in classrooms (safety/cleanliness). Food orders to commence (Pizza Pizza/Subway). Staffing completed. Student Monitor role posted and request made for additional EA support. EQAO results provided. Overall doing well. Mrs. Mountenay retirement celebrated. Cross-country scheduled for tomorrow. Soccer to begin next week (Gr. 5/6). Eco-group to meet. Student produced newspaper to begin publishing next week. Dental/vision screening to be offered by Health Unit. Wax Museum, Social Justice Day and WE Day to be celebrated in the near future. Agenda for Safe and Accepting School Team meeting distributed.

Teacher's Report: School open house went well. To extend invitation to teachers for requests from council. Sound system for gymnasium identified as potential priority.

Current Topics/New Topics: Discussed ways to increase awareness of and involvement in council membership and involvement.

Elections: Shannon/Leanna (co-chairs), Jen (Treasurer), Dave (Secretary)

Fall Fun Fair: Described to new members. Mrs. Mountenay to return to help organize/facilitate. Jen Symons to produce all paper-related products (notices/stamp cards). Book Fair to run concurrently. Committee formed.

Pro-Grants: Typically applied for in the spring. Currently no one attending to with recent change to membership.

Goal Setting for 2019-2020 school year-potential fundraisers: Chocolate bars (World Famous most recognized source for fundraising), movie night. To be discussed further.

Next meeting: November 19, January 21, March 24, May 5 @6 PM