

Minutes from June 13, 2017 Council Meeting

Admin and Staff report (Mrs Farrelly and Robertson)

EQAO a great success thanks to frozen yoghurt and extra recesses.

Signs in driveway (to restrict cars entering) have been successful.

Strict limit of 2 seats per family for graduation. Spring concert and musical coming up.

Kindergarten has had its open house.

Exciting mindfulness program which started this year with the grade 5 and 6es will be returning next year, starting at kindergarten. Enhances independent learning skills etc.

Pre-lunch announcements and character assemblies have been success.

Finalizing staffing for next year, as always short of staff. Staff shortages have meant fewer gym classes.

School resumes on Sept 5. Class lists will be posted on the Friday previous. There will likely be a re-org of classes (as there often is).

Thanks to council for a tumultuous but very successful year.

Mme Cenac:

Davisville achieved Platinum eco certification for third year in a row.

The eco club kids are treated to a trip to Todmorden Mills on June 20.

Bottlecap art projects are complete – one piece of art will reside in school, the other at retirement residence.

The grade 6 eco club members will be leading a Janes Walk soon.

Fun Fair

Raised over \$20k. Maximum to date was \$16k.

Treasurers Report

Currently 43k in bank. To date 75% of funds allocated to classroom enhancement, seminars and field trips have been spent. We have fundraised just under 50k with DVDs and Bake sale still to come. We have spent 35k. Some of these expenses included 10k on technology, 20k on classroom, seminars and field trips. Graduation expenses still to come.

Snack/Fresh Schools

Lesley and Chris have applied for a Broader Public Service Fund (BPS) provincial grant that would make possible a broader local food awareness program in the school and enhanced snack program. Should know by October if we get it. Toronto Green Community would be involved with planting veg gardens. We need new a new person to run the snack program, as Lesley and Chris are leaving the school (Chris will remain involved if the grant comes through).

Library

Still needs volunteers for shelving.

2017/18 School Council

Tamara would like to step down as chair but is willing to co-chair with someone new. All

manner of volunteers needed.

Minutes from last meeting approved by John Hiddema, seconded by Wynsome Walker.

2 DVDs (by Tanya Murdoch) available: one of the 3 spring concerts, one will combine Massey Hall and the spring musical

Motion to adjourn: John Hiddema, Wynsome Walker

Attendees:

Carrie Cox

Nelson de los Santos

Srianu Bochula

Najat Mousa

Anya Laskin

David Wells

Wendy Bhim

Ranjith Suddapalli

Meenal Warang

Aleksandra Stanimirovic

Corey Rotman

Marianao Martinex

Anne Sasu

Amie Luckock

Sandeep Sankav

Chris Trussell

Lesley Stoyan

Penny Hiddema

John Hiddema

Wynsome Walker

Naomi Buck

Tamara Kolber

Enkelejda Kondaj

Dan Collins

Anita Huang Teshima