



Tuesday, Jan. 24th, 2023- School Council Meeting Agenda 6pm

1. Introductions (if necessary)- ALL
2. Fundraising **Little Caesar's profit was \$856, Poinsettas \$498, etc. Probably can put fundraising on hold for now. We can support field trips with what we've raised and some funds that remain from General Fund, Milk, Pizza and other sources. (Dave)**
3. Teacher Spending- K2 MacDonald/ Banford \$100+ Crafts and Supplies, \$100 L. Lane Gr. 5/6 Science Resource, \$137.40 Gooderham Art Supplies, **Clay, Pipe Cleaners;** \$57.97 Stuart- Science & Clay for Art; 4/5 Cote- Spark Reading \$100+, 3/4 Harding- Spark Reading(Dave) SEE BELOW
4. Principal's Report-
 - Staff Expenditures so far- see above
 - Playground Repair update \$1068.19 Plastic Barrier repair & Vertical Post with welding- **\$983.80 came out of Playground Renewal. Completed**
 - Quoted \$2135+ for Engineered wood fibre chips. Plant's Choice Quote \$1400.15 (Thanks Karen) WE may need some volunteers to spread the wood chips at that time but the other repairs need to be completed first; **To be completed in Spring**
 - **Int. Basketball**
 - **Art Club, Karaoke Club (5-8); Choir (1-6), Chess Club**
 - **PA Day**
 - **Notes: New Feb 1st Ice dogs visiting WEB!**
 - Brock Tutor/ LLI;
 - Teacher and Staff Shortages again;
 - **WEB Cares Club/ Spirit Days- Community Support;**
 - **New Staff: LTO- Gr. 5/6 - Ms. Skurnac; Mrs. Lane's Retirement/ Resignation; LTO Gr. 2/3- Mrs. S. Bishop; Mrs. Stuart's planned leave; Mrs. T. McGraw- Long Term Educational Assistant- Mrs. J. Bartlett- resignation Jan. 31st;**
 - **New School Building progressing- there are advantages to not being on site;**

- **Notes: hole in the ground!**
 - **March 30th: Velveteen Rabbit (K-3) Carousel Players - Winger coming and paying:)**
5. Breakfast Club Update- Katy
 - a. Notes: Mon./Wed. hot lunches, a few new volunteers for a potential third day, site visit from niagara nutrition went well! Safe food handling certificate is being upgraded by Katy; more dishes being brought in; New idea suggestion for a cereal drive, but concerns for storage in the kitchen. So far monetary donations are working really well. :)
 6. Financial Report- **see attached**; Financials with \$600.06 withdrawn for Teacher spending and \$500 for Forest of Reading books. TOTAL SPENT thus far \$1100.06 **Balance is \$7532.63- Little Caesar's added; more Turkey Dinner expenses to come out - see Playground & Playground Renewal and Breakfast Club accounts as well**
 - a. Notes: balance is actually lower, still waiting on some receipts. Mr Howell is going to connect with Jenn Tye to see if there's any pricier items we could use money for before the school merge.
 - b. Mr Howell suggested money from other accounts (milk, pizza surplus) to subsidize gr 8's trip to camp Wahanowin, and another amount to go to each class for year end trips. & \$3500 to bring forward to new school Sept 2024
 - c. Discussion about future fun fairs - what components are free (entry and games) and what components could be paid (food, face painting)? Fun ideas: Cow patty bingo in the soccer field? Dunk tank/pie in the face/mad science.... Biggest take away is to brainstorm more activities outside, especially for the bigger kids to keep them occupied. Possible day: Thursday, June 15th (after report cards)
 7. NEXT MEETING DATE: **Tuesday, March 28th @ 6pm**