École Confédération
Parent Council Meeting
Wednesday March 30, 2022 - 6:00-7:00

**Virtual Teams Meeting** 

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#### Minutes

## 1.0 Welcome & Call to Order 6:03pm

Present: Beth Stapleton, Andrea Smith, Carolynn Hudson, Amanda Hague, Lindsay Murray, Claire Soden(guest), Tiffany Plant, Kathy Ricker (guest), Karlee Doucette

Welcome to Mme Ricker, our new principal

### 2.0 Introductions & Declaration of Conflict of Interest

none

## 3.0 Approval of Minutes from previous meeting

Motion to approve minutes of January 19, 2022

1<sup>st</sup> Amanda Hague, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lindsey Murray

Passed

#### 4.0 Additions to the Agenda

No additions

### 5.0 Treasurer's Report

- General Fund -\$10, 876.20
- Hot Lunches-\$2, 874.74
- Total=\$13,750.94

Motion to approve Treasurer's Report – 1<sup>st</sup> Amanda Hague, 2<sup>nd</sup> Lindsay Murray **(Passed)** 

#### 6.0 Correspondence (School Council Mailbox or Other)

none

#### 7.0 Fundraising

- Fundscrip- \$462.50.
- Mabel's Labels no action since last payout \$77.87.

#### 8.0 Hot Lunch Program

 How do non-parents get involved? They need to call the school to get the forms to fillout Police records check. Police Record checks last for 3 years.

## 9.0 Principals Report

Parent Council would like to thank Andrea for all her work at the school for the 8 years she has been with us.

- EQAO-preliminary preparations. Mid-May to Early June, Gr. 3 and 6 will be done entirely online.
- Hepa filters have been delivered. Now in every space in the school including office, library and gym.
- Hot lunch in place for April. Jola Westerhoff leading the group. Additional volunteers needed.
   Message coming in April newsletter. Also, looking at breaking down the cost for to help lessen the impact for families with multiple students that they are buying for.
- Jr. Badminton yesterday: 2 first place and 1 second place. Intermediate tournament tomorrow.
- Masking: mix of staff students wearing masks/not wearing masks. We have emphasized school wide that it is a choice. We respect choices and act with kindness. So far, so good.
- Parent Engagement-\$500 remaining: ideas? Potentially for Welcome to Kindergarten kits, still
  have credit for the outdoor movie, this may be something could combine them together, guest
  speaker, BBQ. Need to earmark it by May and used up by end of June. Carry forward to April's
  meeting for discussion.
- \$200 for parent council was spent on paper cups. Fountains are now open, and cups are no longer needed
- Library Commons- Consultant Jason Hall will reach out to Kathy to help with this

Thank you for the plant. It has been a pleasure working with parent council and I have appreciated all the work you do to make Confederation such an amazing school!

# 10.0 Adjournment & Next Meeting 6:51pm

1<sup>st</sup> Lindsey Murray, 2<sup>nd</sup> Althea Allen passed

Next Meeting Date: April 20, 2022 (virtual)

**Future Meetings:** 

May 18, 2022