

School Council Meeting Minutes - May 31, 2021

Attendance: M. Jones, C.Pizzey, E. Heavin, K. Hemstreet, P. Odywer, K. McNabb, S. Reinhart, C. Peacocke, L. Andary, B. French

Welcome and Additions

Adoption of Agenda. Motioned by K. Hemstreet. Seconded by K. McNabb. Carried

Trustee Report

- Cathy Peacocke spoke about the three year **Education Plan**
- The **budget** has been approved. It does include drawing four million from our reserves. Fortunately, our reserves are healthy.
- One million will go towards the District's Covid Recovery Plan
- Nominations for Trustees are open. Cathy would be happy to talk to anyone interested in that position.

School Report

- DCE has also been working on the **Education Plan**. We will send out the draft for feedback. Please provide any feedback by June 7th.
- The warm weather is here and we are happy to see the students biking and riding to school. We will be reminding parents and students to wear **helmets**.
- The **Covid Recovery plan** will include the hiring of teachers to address those with gaps in their learning. We are thankful that the Board is supporting this.

Old Business

- **Readathon** was a big success. The prizes were well received. Even though it was not a major fundraiser there was a lot of buy-in from students.

New Business

- We will have a few year end events. We will have Grade 5 Farewell on June 30th (drive-thru). We will also have a grade-based modified field day on June 25 that will still adhere to Covid guidelines

Adjournment @ 7:21 Motioned by S. Reinhart, Seconded by P. Odywer

Parents for Don Campbell Society

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Adoption and Approval of Agenda. Motioned by B. French. Seconded by P. Odywer. Carried.

New Business

- We are looking at new ways to promote our **Campbell Core**. An idea we are considering is giving each child a water bottle and then using our vinyl cutter to make stickers to recognize students. We may come to the council to ask for **funds (\$3000) to support** this. B. French motioned to support the funds. K. Hemstreet seconded. Carried.
- **Staff Appreciation** will need to look a bit different this year. DCE has 41 staff. A possibility would be to provide staff with a **gift card (\$75)** to a business of their choice. Motioned by K. Hemstreet, seconded by B. French. Carried.

Reports

- Hot Lunch is still going well. As a **treat for the students**, the committee is proposing to purchase each of them a Jugo Juice (\$1200). Motioned by K. Hemstreet, seconded B. French. Carried.

Treasurer's Report

- We have \$24 200 currently (Hot Lunch profits have yet to be included in this total)

Adjournment @ 7:40. Motioned by L. Andary. Seconded by B. French. Carried.