



Herons Crossing School Council Agenda

April 17th, 2024

6:30 pm – In -person

- ❖ Call to Order / Introductions/ Approval of Agenda & Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting
- ❖ Grade Team Presentation by:
Megan Vandale and Ashley Tamborine - Grade 8 Farewell
- ❖ Old Business / Business Arising from Minutes
 - School Field and who oversees the maintenance? RVS or City? Re: mud and benches
 - Bike Trip subsidy - I'll follow up with Mr. Calkins and will look at having those students participate in a Bottle Drive
- ❖ Administration Report / Q 'n A :
 - Positive Behaviour Supports in Schools
 - Budget
 - Student Leadership
 - Readathon May 6th-16th (Funds raised will go towards Learnings Commons)
- ❖ Trustee Report / Q 'n A (Todd Brandt):
- ❖ Chair Report
 - Financial -Council Account Balance is sitting at approx \$1268.16
 - Cheque for Sound Kreations invoice was paid in the amount of \$1811.84 from Council and \$3732.16 from fundraising (Greenery and Prudy's)
 - Celebration of Learning Staff Appreciation dinner was a success. The entire meal for two nights was covered by donations from parents. HUGE THANK YOU!
 - Family Spring Dance was a success with close to 500 in attendance. Grateful to our Volunteers and Laurisha for Heading that event. Financials will be discussed on the side and finalized for our next meeting.
 - Our Volunteer Form put together by Meghan our Volunteer Coordinator is being utilized by staff and Council. Please continue to direct those needs to Council and post the link in the Headlines.
 - With June coming quickly and being a very busy month for field trips and other school events, please remind staff that we're here to support them with volunteers and remind them that the money that was allocated to offset costs for field trips can also be used for volunteer parking. \$1000 per grade and band. Many have used those funds.
- ❖ New Business
 - Fundraising needs for next year -House Teams tee shirts (\$?) and for in school events like speakers or hosting Sound Kreations in the 24/25 school year.

- Need for flags or pylons in the intersections for students crossing (crossing guards?)
- Is there a need for more outdoor equipment for older grades?
- Kindergarten is looking for a donation to cover the Open House in June. Last year we covered up to a certain amount for the purchases of crayons and a coloring sheet. In the past we've purchased bubbles or some sort of take away for the students. Motion an amount.
- ASCE Grant Money use? May 8th has been held to host this event and we need to select a speaker. A few topics that came to mind were Anxiety, Online Safety, Time Management/Life Balance for adults.
- Readathon Incentives/Prizes? Motion an amount.

❖ Fundraising (Friends) Report