Dr. Emily Stowe Scc Minutes April 22nd, 2024 5:30pm

Attendance: Colleen, Christina, Krystal, Amy, Lisa Staff: Bryan B eers, Amy Jackson

- 1. Welcome and Declaration
- 2. Review of Prior Minutes: Krystal (1); Lisa (2)
- 3. Principal's Report
 - Fire drill unexpected practice
 - Playground improvement met with facilities * see below
 - EQAO
 - Grade 8 trip finalizing details
 - Grad finalizing details with parents of grade 7 students donating food items,
 - wondering about the photographer's photo of students in their formal wear
 - School Council 'Parent Involvement Fund' of \$500.00 (from last year and this year, combined \$1000.00) Anne wondered if it could be used for agendas?

 Bryan/Anne will survey the teachers to ask who wants and will use a paper agenda and will report back

Motion to support the purchase of school agendas using the Parent Involvement Fund: Krystal (1); Amy (2)

4. Teacher's Report

- Badminton team exceptionally well at regionals, boys moving onto KPREAA
- Gymnastics team gearing up for their competition on April 25th
- Most classes participated in an Earth Day clean up of the school yard
- Soles for Souls collected 343 pairs of shoes; one of biggest collections in area
- EQAO grade 3 and 6 preparing for writing the test during the first week of June

5. Budget

Overall budget: \$9236.00

(for itemized breakdown, please see Budget Report)

6. Fundraising Update

- Fun Fair Inflatables; Axe Throwing; Soccer Darts;
 Police, Fire & EMS (pending), Oshawa Generals (pending playoffs), Raffle
 Theme Baskets, Regular games of chance, BBQ with pre-orders, Funnel Cake
 - * bbg pre-orders in a separate cooler than 'purchase on site'
- M & M Market Margaret will contact the store/head office to inquire as to our prior fundraising initiative (previous cheque was 'lost')
- Healthy Hunger slight hiccup earlier this month; missed student lunches; resolved through Head Office

7. Outdoor Plan Update

- Facilities Manager site inspection, suggested ideas,
- get rid of gravel they will remove for free if another school is needing gravel
- structures without moving parts is ideal less maintenance/repair
- swings are inexpensive and affordable to maintain (gravel would be okay for swings)
- start with a few pieces and then add on (swings, beams)
- permanent soccer nets for the primaries? Tetherball posts just need ball/strings?
- some schools have a mound of dirt they plant grass on to have for kids to run on/roll on/slide on
- notify parent population that we welcome suggestions/feedback; invite them to an SCC meeting
- ask for student input

8. Meeting Adjourned: Margaret (1); Lisa (2)

Next Meeting: May 27th @ 5:30pm