SAC October 2 2024

Attending: Mark MacPhee, Nicole Conrad, Jennifer Wallace. Panos Philopouas, Neave O'Neil, Parker Palmer, Mary Mallon, Maddy Sequeira, Paul Khosla

We need one more community member. Must live in area and not have a child in this school and not be an HRCE employee. Mr. MacPhee will have it posted on our sign again.

Approval of June minutes:

Photomaster was selected. Photomaster. Neave moved for approval, seconded by Maddy.

Student Report:

- Table tennis team requested
- No soccer nets for lunch, can these be purchased
- Lacrosse team requested
- Hole in band room ceiling? Mr. MacPhee thought it was fixed. He wil check into gym ceiling hole
- Locker rooms were painted, girls washroom and boys washroom have new floors and stalls have the gap lessened.
- No door on boys' accessible washroom
- Pancake breakfast, can we include waffles?
- More candy grams? Can they be distributed without leaving some people out?

Principal's Report:

- 372 students, 14 classes.
- Mrs. Fee has gone to Millwood, Ms. Johnston is our new VP
- Photo day is completed
- Curriculum night was well attended. Interested in any feedback... Some staff felt some parents were not clear that it is not a time to chat about your student. Lines can be long.
- PTA meeting Oct 21. Direct ask is open for donations. Pancake breakfast, Bingo upcoming, bike rack contributions
- New mural on building for next summer
- Fire drill, lock down and hold and secure have been done
- Soccer underway
- Musical auditions finished
- Bear Blast (grade 7 fun day)
- Terry Fox on Monday Oct 7
- Pizza day begins Oct 18 (Fridays) (Dominos)
- Basketball electronic lifts installed
- New website launching today
- Oct 24 is next dance

New Business:

- Ms. Johnston is our new VP
- Cell phone directive: going well, kids respecting rules, only a few phones have been taken from students
- Election of SAC chair, Paul Khosla acclaimed as chair
- Student Success Planning: Grade 8 math, waiting on last year's scores. Each term gr. 8 math teachers are setting goals, last year focused a lot on visuals. This year the goal will be discussed at the Oct 11 PD day. 7-9 Literacy is around text. Well being goal: safety, a survey was done and our new goals will be discussed at the Oct 11 PD day. How do we ensure students feel safe? How do handle racial issues?

SACBudget:

- \$1333.40 remaining. New budget of \$5372
- Ms. Goold headphones \$80.48
- Ms. Gillis headphones \$187.49
- Ms. Andrews IPAD cases \$105
- Ms. Malon room decor \$200

What will our school lunch program look like next year? Likely be off site catering. It will be a pay as you can system. Our breakfast program will not be affected. In the future we will not be able to sell food for profit, this will affect our pizza lunch.

Next meeting: Nov 27