

# MINUTES-COUNCIL

# **Annual General Meeting**

# Foundations for the Future - North Middle School

October 21, 2020 6:30 pm

#### **In Attendance**

#### Council

Terri Sartori, Chair Andrew Chu, Vice Chair Lea Ann Triska, Secretary Mei Yoong Cheah (Jennifer), Treasurer Jyleen Wong, Parental Partnership Coordinator Shannon Middlemiss, Fundraising Coordinator

#### **Staff**

John Deines, Principal Jim Poirier, Associate Principal

#### Guests\*

Iana Atanassova
Tracey Wishlow
Zenita Lalani
Peace Bola Adeniyi
Simo Liu
Ummal Banin
Ruth Koch
Husseni Akberbally

Meeting called to order at 7:06 pm.

<sup>\*</sup> Names recorded as seen on Zoom meeting attendance list

# **Approval of 2020 AGM Agenda**

# Approval of 2020 AGM agenda as distributed.

- Motion Terri Sartori
- Second Shannon Middlemiss
- Motion carried at 7:07 pm.

## **Approval of 2019 AGM Minutes**

### Approval of 2019 AGM minutes as distributed.

- Motion Terri Sartori
- Second Jennifer Cheah
- Motion carried at 7:08 pm.

Chair Update Terri

- Funds were raised this year through Opt-In donations, Deal Deck sales,
   Davison Orchard apple sales, donut/cookie sales, and fun lunch.
- Plans for the learn-a-thon and Mom's Pantry sales were cancelled due to the closure of the school.
- Funds were spent on the sleigh ride for the winter festival, the welcome back breakfast, staff meals during learning conferences, a hydration station, discretionary funds for the teachers, token economy for two classrooms, prizes for the anti-bullying poster contest, and two scholarships for the High School.
- At the first meeting last year, council set 3 goals: 1) improve communication to parents, 2) increase parental involvement by a specific percentage, and 3) increase community outreach by hosting one event per term.
- The Communications Coordinator position was added in an effort to promote better engagement between council and the school community.
- We hosted an anti-bullying presentation for families in term 1.

#### **Treasurer's Report**

Jennifer

- We have \$3,240.54 to begin the year.
- We may not yet have been paid for February's fun lunch earnings and need to follow up with Healthy Hunger.

# **Principal's Report**

Mr. Deines

• Thank you to all council volunteers. You make an important contribution to the school and students.

This part of the meeting adjourned at 7:20 pm.

- Chair
  - o Terri Sartori
- Vice-Chair
  - o Ummul Banin
- Secretary
  - o Zenita Lalani
- Treasurer
  - o Lea Ann Triska
- Parental Partnership Coordinator
  - Jyleen Wong
- Fundraising Coordinator
  - Shannon Middlemiss
- Fun Lunch Coordinator
  - Vacant
- Community Services/Communications Coordinator
  - Vacant

All positions acclaimed.

Meeting adjourned at 7:41 pm.

Next meeting is November 4, 2020 at 6:30 pm.