



AGINCOURT SCHOOL COUNCIL

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School Council Meeting June 8, 2010

Attendance: Michelle Demery, Penny Mayo, Julie Parker, Kerri White, Shirley Brackenbury, Heather Esdon, Shauna Lafrance, Petra Morewood, Fariba Amjadi, Jodi Bodkin, Melanie Newell, Krista Shibata, Kalai Sivatharam, Charmaine Kippen

Welcome and Introduction

Minutes of May 18th meeting approved without amendments.

Treasurer Report – Penny Mayo for Janet Li

- Approximately \$3,000 going into September

Principal Report – Shirley Brackenbury

- Grade 5 graduation is June 24th at 1:00.
- Great response to the first yearbook. There are approximately 241 orders. This initiative was led by Alli Marcotte. Shirley to follow-up on how Alli made the yearbook in case we decide to do another one next year.
- Staffing for next year is complete. Names of next years teachers will not be on June report cards due to ongoing changes in September classroom make-up.
- Grade 5 trip is tomorrow at the Ottawa Athletic Club. This trip was sponsored by the Parent Council.

Introduction of the new Principal Jill Bennett and Vice-Principal Ron Henry

- Jill is currently at a school in Brockville and has worked at a number of schools in the Upper Canada School Board.
- One of Jill's goals while at Agincourt is to practice her oral French.
- Ron has been with the Carleton/Ottawa-Carleton for his entire career. He has been at Aidrian Clarkson for the last 9 years.

Teacher Report – (no report this evening)

Events– Julie Parker

End of year BBQ

- Friday June 11th from 5-8pm.
- There will be a clown and activities.

Teacher Appreciation Lunch

- Teacher's Appreciation Lunch is June 11th.

Fundraising

- Doing Entertainment Book again next year.
- Last year's fundraiser raised approximately \$9,000.
- A reminder notice will go home shortly.

Class Parent Coordinator – Jodi Bodkin

- Still looking for volunteers to do security at the BBQ.

OCASC Report – Norah Volmer

- See OCASC web site

Parent involvement – Penny for Norah

- Penny to follow-up on how this year's PRO grant will be spent (could consider something related to September meet and greet).
- Penny and Michelle submitted proposal for next year's PRO grant focusing on encouraging the involvement of new parents to Agincourt (workshops).

Correspondence and New Business – Penny Mayo

- Update on the office administration position- Collective agreement means that allotment of positions is based on seniority. Should the position opening up in the office not be filled, existing office assistant can apply for it.
- Volunteer breakfast was successful and well attended.
- New parent tea – date to be identified
 - Shauna and Kerri have volunteered to come to the new parent tea to promote the importance of being involved at the school.
 - Shauna and Kerri will also plan the tea.

ELECTIONS

It is Council's job for succession planning. As of June 10th meeting – all positions are open. People will be nominated tonight and ratified in September.

CHAIR

Penny Mayo

VICE CHAIR

Julie Parker

TREASURER

Janet Li

SECRETARY

OCASC REP

Krista

EVENT COORDINATOR

Fariba Anjadi

PARENT INVOLVEMENT

Michelle Demery

COMMUNITY REP

CLASS PARENT COORDINATOR

Jodi Bodkin

COMMUNICATIONS

Meeting adjourned at 8:37 p.m.

Next meeting will be September 2010

