

JGPS SCC MEETING MINUTES

Meeting Date: Thursday September 24, 2020

Location: Virtual - Zoom

Attendance: Lisa Rolph – Co-President, Jackie Burch – Co-President, Linda Compton - Treasurer, Melodie Langhorst - Secretary, Andrea Della Torre – Principal, Dawn Vasey - Vice Principal

Requested Zoom link (attendance not confirmed): Michelle Bagshaw, Anastasia Cameron, Jennifer Carroll, Jodi Crix, Sara Daly, Lesley Duckworth, Megan Easton, Kris Everson, Gillian Freedman, Catherine Gibbs, Niki Hall, Tania Lentini, Natalie Little, Leslie Martens, Tamara McKenney, Kate McLeod, Kari Pope, Casey Ranich, Frances Riley, Mandy Vanderberg, Ashley Woodhams

Meeting Call to Order: 7:01pm **Meeting Adjournment:** 7:47pm

Next Meeting: Thursday October 15 @ 7pm

1. Admin Update

- i. Welcome
 - this year the council will be made up of parents with students attending JGPS and Virtual School
- ii. Bus Loop will be closed from 9:00-9:15 and 3:30 until buses depart
- iii. Multi-use path: please use this path to enter the east school yard. This will allow for bus students to safely use the path in front of the school.
- iv. Breakfast program has been cancelled due to cohort restrictions, but students who need a snack will receive it in their classroom
- v. There are many protocols in place for physical distancing, lunch rooms, and bus safety. Visit ddsb.ca under the Return to School section to view the posters and/or for more information
- vi. Public Health Nurse - at school ½ day per week
- vii. SCC Executive appointments: Lisa Rolph – Co-President, Jackie Burch – Co-President, Linda Compton - Treasurer, Melodie Langhorst - Secretary
- viii. Terry Fox Run - will be held over 3 days. More information to come.
- ix. Question regarding Occasional Teachers, EAs, DECEs, and Clerical - The JGPS administration does not have any input as to who is assigned to our school. Occasional staff were assigned a certain number of schools to reduce exposure, but due to shortages, they may be required to expand their availability so openings can be filled

2. Finances

- i. Loss of 3 months of pizza fundraising from last year
- ii. Teacher allotments still has \$1900
- iii. Scientists in the school \$3690 in this account
- iv. Jungle Sport \$4300 - Usually funds raised have to be used in the current school year, since the fundraising should benefit the families who worked to raise the funds. Due to the current situation, The Board has allowed us to hold funds to roll over for next year. We would like to do this with the Jungle Sport funds.
- v. Lunch Lady - need to look into \$ from last year - no check seen in report
- vi. \$2500 from Gibbs family - library? STEM?

See motion below.

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3. Fundraising

- a. Willowtree Farm
 - i. Families will order a bag through Cash Online - parents can pick up at Willowtree or we can set up a tent at the school and have a kiss and ride drive through pick up - *seems like we will have enough volunteers to do a drive through pick up at our school*
 - ii. also a donation bag option \$12 - gives to our local Food Bank
 - iii. Event will run before Thanksgiving so veggies will be available for Thanksgiving meals
****postponed due to Covid cases rising****
 - iv. PPE will be provided for parent volunteers who help sort and hand out bags

See motion below.

- b. Little Caesars Pizza
 - i. Jackie will look into it to see what the protocols are and if we can do it this year
 - ii. sell online with a drive through pick up option?
- c. Otter's Greenhouse
 - i. Were there any funds from this spring?

4. Misc.

- i. \$ to Grad? - we will discuss this next meeting
- ii. Presentations, Scientists in the School, Swim to Survive - not happening right now - fundraise in the Spring if they begin again
- iii. Renew insurance? - 140 + tax

See motion below.

- iv. Occasional Staff - are assigned to a pod and they only service a small number of schools - JGPS administration does not have ability to request - 2 days ago Occasional ECEs have been taken out of pods, now
- v. Parents picking up - social distance while waiting - use the field to help ease congestion on the blacktop
- vi. Water bottles - Students are encouraged to bring their own as fountains are not available for use at this time - Can there be extras in the office for kids in need?
- vii. Thank you to Andrea, Dawn, Niki for getting the school up and running!

MOTION: by Lisa Rolph to use \$ from the Willowtree Farm fundraiser towards new audio system for the gym	2nd Mandy MOTION CARRIED
MOTION: by Lisa Rolph to move \$ from the Scientists in the School account into the Teacher allotment account to allow \$100 per teacher and DECE	2nd Jackie MOTION CARRIED
MOTION: by Lisa Rolph to use \$140+ tax from the pizza account to purchase SCC insurance	2nd Linda MOTION CARRIED