



Co-Chairs: Christy Wallingham, Ann Sisak

Minutes: Ann Sisak

Present: Christine Nicolaides, Paul Fox, Billy Dhillon, Bob Ellis, Ann Sisak, Christy Wallingham, Nicole Jones, Ameer Hamoodi - Prime Minister of Student Council

Regrets: Robyn Patcheu, Lee Austin.

February 18, 2020

Item No.	Agenda Item	Person	Summary	Actions/Motions
1.1	Welcome and Introductions	Christine, Ann, Christy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Introductions and welcomes given.</li></ul>	Update
1.2	Approval of Minutes	All	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Please see minutes for Nov 2019.</li></ul>	Vote
2.1	HWDSB Correspondence	Christine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Parent voice survey:</b> Complete the online survey by March 13, 2020.</li><li>• <b>Bullying Prevention and Intervention Review Panel:</b> Dates have been set. There will be a meeting on March 9th at Saltfleet.</li><li>• <b>School Messenger SMS</b> – you can now receive text messages. Select SMS as your preferred option. You may also receive an initial text. Reply with Y to confirm.</li></ul>	Update
3.1	Principal's Report	Christine	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>New staff;</b></li><li>• Paul Fox-VP</li><li>• Joe Farruggia</li><li>• Ted France</li><li>• Daniel Pacey</li><li>• Michael Root</li><li>• Amber Archer</li></ul>	Update

			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Grade 12 grads:</b> There are students that at risk of not graduating. Staff will be looking into, who is on track and who is not.</li> <li>● <b>Community volunteer hours:</b> Some students are short hours and cannot graduate. Prompting grade 8's to try to get there hours before school grade 9 is being suggested.</li> <li>● <b>Feb 28:</b> Next year course choices due.</li> <li>● <b>Saltfleet closed to out of catchment:</b> As of Feb 28th, above 90% of capacity.</li> <li>● <b>Projected enrolment:</b> 1,128 students.</li> <li>● <b>OSSLT (Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test):</b> Required for to graduate high school. Unsure if it will be run this year due to job sanctions. The Prep-work is typically done by teachers but has been passed to administrations. Might be completed in June. If not administered, it is unsure what to do for kids that don't have it and need it to graduate.</li> <li>● <b>Student trustees:</b> Fatima Zakar from Saltfleet running.</li> <li>● <b>Heritage Green funds:</b> Looking for funds to redo the library.</li> <li>● <b>Robotics Club:</b> Billy Dhillon-parent mentor. Team embraced him and he would love to continue to help next year. Saltfleet was the runner up in 2 categories and won 1st match in first competition. They were also 2nd runner up in Motivation award thus it was not just about how you competed. Saltfleet placed number 13 overall.</li> <li>● <b>Reach Ahead Program:</b> Grade 8s can take high school courses in the summer for grade 9 in this summer program.</li> <li>● <b>Tours of the new science labs.</b></li> </ul>	
3.2	<b>Student Parliament Report</b>	<b>Ameer</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>March madness:</b> - Hoping to have a Mamba day &amp; Kobe Bryant memorial. Maybe a mini basketball events in atrium</li> <li>● <b>All star game:</b> Senior Midget and Junior teams</li> <li>● <b>Spring fling dance:</b> Will be held in May for grade 9s</li> <li>● <b>Board games in Library</b></li> <li>● <b>Looking to get more feedback from students:</b> They often get informal feedback from students in the hallway,</li> </ul>	<b>Update</b>

			<p>but they are looking at developing voting polls on Instagram or Twitter. They tend to get 15-20 students per Council meeting. More, earlier in the year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Semi formal:</b> Went well. Bishop Ryan in the same facility. No issues.</li> </ul>	
4.1	<b>Parent Engagement Funds</b>	<b>Christy &amp; Christine</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Christmas wreath fundraiser was success.</b></li> </ul>	
4.2	<b>School Council By-Laws</b>	<b>Christy &amp; Ann</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>By-Laws:</b> Were distributed for recommendations. Vote to be sent out electronically.</li> </ul>	
4.3	<b>Next meeting</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● <b>Next meeting Thursday March 26th.</b></li> </ul>	