

# School Council 2020 - 2021



**November 2, 2020**

Item	Details	Discussion	Action/Questions/Responses
<b>In Attendance</b>	<b>Voting Members:</b> Veronica Lewis (Co Chair) Brianna Orava (Co Chair) Cheryl Chelsea Jenna Hunter Trish Barker Donna Lewis Jill Murphy Laura Lighthead Marian MacGregor Tracey Scott Candice Wiggins Karla Benoit Yvonne Chow	<b>Regrets from Voting Members:</b>  <b>Non-Voting Members:</b> Lisa Cooke (Principal) Perry Iacobellis (Vice Principal) Alyssa Armstrong (Teacher Rep)	Addition of Voting Member: Michelle Philbrick (All members voted in favour)
<b>All</b>	Welcome Acceptance of Minutes	Minor/secretarial edits required (voting/non-voting member lists)	Acceptance of Minutes: Motion – Cheryl Chelsea Second – Candice Wiggins All in favour  [From Principal] Will be posted to website after minor edits completed.

<b>Principal Report</b>	<p>Administration Profile</p> <p>General Updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School Action Plan</li> <li>• Staffing</li> <li>• PD Day</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Character Assemblies</li> <li>• FI: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Grade 8 – 9</li> <li>- FI moving</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<p>Co-chairs – Due Nov 20<sup>th</sup> , Input welcome</p> <p>VP's final year at FHPS</p> <p>School Action Plan – input pulled from all three divisions and EN/FI. Goals 20/21:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Excellence in Learning and Teaching Numeracy;</li> <li>- Excellence in Learning and Teaching Literacy;</li> <li>- Well Being and Community (self-regulation and coping strategies)</li> </ul> <p>Retirement of Ms Greg, replacement staffing action initiated</p> <p>PD Day Autism video shared with council.</p> <p>Character assembly held last Friday; Next character assembly mid Dec.</p> <p>Remembrance Day assembly to be done virtually with artwork, songs etc compilation shared with teachers to incorporate into their day on Nov 11<sup>th</sup> at a time that works for their schedules.</p> <p>Confirmation received that Barrie North is designated site for all FHPS Gr 8 students. Other regional schools for FI: Banting in Alliston, Collingwood, Georgian Bay, Nantyre Shores, Twin Lakes (Orillia). Eastview will run the Extended French program which will continue for the next 3 yrs (not FI). 10 compulsory credits in order to graduate from full FI program, credit details to follow once finalized (expected by mid Nov).</p>	<p>PD Day video (autism):  <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KmDGvquzn2k">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KmDGvquzn2k</a></p>
<b>Teacher Report</b>	<p>Stacey Bock stepping away for now, Alyssa Armstrong assuming Teacher Rep role.</p>	<p>Rotation of court areas between students for COVID, coding class visits occurring in following weeks, class walks well-received, reminder of appropriate outdoor dress as weather cools.</p>	
<b>Fundraising</b>	<p>SGF Funds</p> <p>Fundraising Plan Changes</p> <p>Pizza Palace Evening: Nov 18</p> <p>Teacher Wishlist</p> <p>Poppy Campaign</p>	<p>No change to SGF – minimal spending and fundraising.</p> <p>Follow up: outdoor classroom, need to take back for re-quote (VP to lead) given time elapsed (2 yrs) since quote was provided; basketball backboards and rims to be postponed until spring but VP working on approval so ready to go in spring.</p> <p>Fundraising Plan Changes. Board contacted council to remove COVID preclusions (lunch program, Barrie Colts night) and adjust allocations to other areas</p>	

		<p>needing funds. Mabel's Labels, Chicken on Run, etc still remaining as part of the plan and execution will depend on volunteers.</p> <p>Nov 18 first fundraiser Pizza Palace Evening. 3 menu options. School cash online with pick up time specified (btw 4 and 8 pm).</p> <p>Teacher Wishlists – Requests starting to be received. Discussion as to amount provided in past years (\$200 for each teacher) and whether increase of funds would be in order this year given decentralization of activities. Important to communicate to teachers that funds are available if items are brought to council (e.g. Waterworks program for FI). Desire to be conservative until additional costs to outdoor classroom are quantified.</p> <p>Not permitted by board to collect coin/cash at school, impact to poppy campaign. Only option is to donate to Legion. Using 'per student' 653 for own face to face and remote learners</p>	<p>Vote to allocate up to \$225 per classroom in addition to Planning Time and French staff (with receipts provided):  Motion: Cheryl Chelsea  Second: Marian MacGregor  All in favour.</p> <p>All members in favour of donation, using \$2 per child would total approx \$1300.  Motion, Cheryl Chelsea, Second Jill Murphy, All in favour - \$1300 To be donated to Legion Poppy Fund.</p>
Questions/Inquiry		<p>Query re: FI move to W.R. Best – [Principal Update]: Approval for septic not yet approved, were hoping for 2022 but with ministry/environmental studies, expecting Sep 2023 as earliest possible move date.</p> <p>Query re: road construction on Doran Rd plan – why could the Board not work with the Township to have this construction completed in the summer? Originally scheduled for Jun – Aug but COVID delays with materials pushed date to right (info shared to residents). Other school-related construction such as parking lots etc was delayed due to COVID but remained a priority over road work. Curbs are in and storm sewers installed to resolve drainage/ditch problems and prevent road degradation; asphalt anticipated to go in shortly.</p>	
New Business		Nil	-send to co-chairs
Agenda Items for December			-none at this time but to be submitted to co-chairs by November 27 <sup>th</sup> for December 1 <sup>st</sup> meeting

**Meeting adjourned at 8:12 pm.**

**Future Meetings:** December 1, January 5, February 2, April 6, May 4, June 1