

**Queen Elizabeth Public School
School Council 2021-2022**

Minutes of the Meeting of December 6th, 2021

1. Welcome and Introductions:

Present: Meaghan, Drew, Michelle, Kelly, Cherry, Lindsey, Mike, Lynn, Wendy, Jason, Candace, Matt and Chris

2. Approval of Agenda: 1st by Lindsey and 2nd by Lynn

3. Approval of Minutes: 1st by Kelly and 2nd by Wendy

4. Business Arising from the Minutes:

a. Lunch Box is not the only option as some schools are doing pizza days and figuring out the covid protocols themselves.

b. Done. We made the most money from hot dog lunches.

c. Matt spoke with Melissa from Lunch Box . The cost would be \$5.41 for 5 types of subs. \$6.63 for a gluten free sub. Queen E would get \$0.75/sub. Little Caesars is offering hot lunches, but will not deliver. **Action:** Meaghan to reach out to other schools to see what they are doing for hot lunches. **Action:** Matt will ask if there is a term for commitments with Lunch Box.

Motion brought forward to go ahead and start with Lunch Box – 1st by Michelle and 2nd by Wendy. **Action:** Drew and Matt to touch base about getting the program running.

d. Chris is still waiting to hear back from the Petes. **Action:** Chris to find out more information about running a fundraiser with Mabel's Labels and send council information by email. **Action:** Kelly to find out more information about running a fundraiser with Halenda's meat sticks and bring to next council meeting. **Action:** Mike to receive information from the School Board Trustee about school fundraisers and will email to council when he receives it.

5. Parent Outreach Event:

Carry forward to next school year. In person events have been successful, while virtual events have not. Council will need to discuss ideas.

6. Year-end Event:

We cannot do a Christmas event this year. Perhaps we can hold an outdoor event at the end of the school year (ie. Movie night). **Action:** Candace and Chris to discuss option and then present to council.

7. Student Enrichment Experience(s):

Scientists in the classroom could work. We would need an event that can be done classroom by classroom and not the entire school at once. Chris suggested an outdoor event with a 30-foot blow-up obstacle course. **Action:** Chris to call the bouncy castle company.

The event does not need to be academic.

Action: Candace to give a quick presentation on loose parts play at next meeting. Loose parts would need volunteers.

Christmas tree drop-off is a go for this year. Pick up trees and drop them off!

8. New Business:

a. Toast Maker Needed

Nancy needs someone to help with making toast in the morning for the breakfast programs. 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. **Action:** Chris and Lynn to discuss with Candace.

9. Reports:

a. Principal's Report:

- The Buddy Bench is in the primary yard.
- Still handling the construction and clean up.
- Aiming to have the library open in January.
- A French room is open now for classes.

b. Treasurer's Report:

- See report emailed.
- \$211.00 spent for playground repair.
- Need to figure out the next piece for the FDK playground.

10. Next Meeting:

Monday, January 10, 2022 – IN PERSON (meet in staff room)! With virtual option.

11. Adjourn: Meeting adjourned at 8:20 p.m.