Trillium Elementary School Council (TESC)
Minutes
December 6 @ 7pm
Trillium Elementary School Activity Room and Virtual

## Attendance:

In person:
Yaa Dee
Sophie Clodge
MP Baird
Kate Woods
Jamie St. Onge
Kevin Fowlow
Brenda MacLean
Stephen Higgins
Trent Clarke
Jessica Martin
Sabine Doebel-Atchison

- Introductions
- The meeting was called to order at 7:07pm

1) Approval of Nov 15 meeting minutes, and of Dec 6 agenda (KW)

Motion: To approve the minutes from November 15 as presented.
Brenda MacLean/ Jessica Martin
CARRIED
Motion: To approve the agenda as presented.
Brenda MacLean / Jessica Martin
CARRIED
2) Principal and VP Report (PM-L and TC)

- Vice Principal
- Winter concert (11:30 for students and 6:30 for families)
- Triple ball
- December 21, dance for intermediate classes (6 to 8)
- Spirit day, silly sweater day coming up before the break

3) Teacher Report (SH)

- Food drive until Dec 15
- Scientists in school workshop
- Sir Wil visit for grade 8 students canceled
- Educational dance workshop
- Mineral marvel science workshop
- Students teacher volleyball
- Band and choir practice
- Dec. 19 Sir Wil holiday band visiting the school
- Dec. 20 winter concert
- Question regarding reimbursement form for start-up funding
- Coding and mineral workshops, nothing submitted to treasurer (\$125 available per class)

4) Financial Report (MB)

- Statement distributed
- Mabel's Labels and True Earth
- $\quad \$ 172.07$ combined

Motion: To move the Mabel's Labels and True Earth profits to general operating expenses.
Kate Woods / Sabine Doebel-Atchison

- Moved to online vote, due to lack of quorum.

5) Parent Concerns via facebook (BM)

- Discussion of snowplowing around the school

6) Fundraiser and Outreach Updates ( $\pm$ 2023-2024 Fundraising Calendar )
A) Movie Night Friday Dec 1st (BM)

- Expenses \$114.17
- Income $\$ 228.18$
- It was not to messy after the event
- Profits to be used for leaving ceremonie
B) Purdy's (SC)
- Just over \$3,100 in orders
- $\$ 880.98$ profit
- Sorting sunday evening
C) Jump2Math workshop April 25th (KW)
- PRO grant early literacy, etc.
- booked, evening
- fundraiser on the side, e.g. selling water
D) Merry Makerspace Tree (Jessica, Courtney and Sabine)
- About 70 ornaments made and up on the tree.
- Families can take ornaments after the Winter Concert and bring the items to the school after the break.
E) Winter Dance Friday Feb 23
- Schedule for event (5-8:30pm - Pizza Dinner/Raffle sales 5-7:30 pm, Dance: 5:45-7:45 pm, Raffle: 7:45 pm)
- First gift baskets, gift cards after
- Vera Shknevsky Santos offered to do a photo booth
- Maybe have it as a fundraiser (\$1)
- Spypens as a fundraiser
- Need more glow sticks
- Pizza from Dough Bros
- Canvassing
- zones
- spreadsheet
- canvassing letter

Prep Timeline:

| Feb 19-23 | The week of the dance the baskets will be on display in the activity room for raffle. Last year we <br> were open 8:30-10:30 |
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| Feb 5-16 | donation period. |
| Jan 22-29 | Communication needs to go home this week to families about the the basket raffle and donations |
| Jan 15-19 | Send a list of basket themes to teachers asking them to sign up. Also source baskets |

Basket Themes (choose 18):

1. Arts \& Crafts
2. Baking
3. Bookworm
4. Candy Shoppe
5. Chocolate
6. coffee, hot chocolate and tea
7. Comics and Cartoons
8. Cookies \& Chips
9. Cooking with Kids
10. Family Game Night
11. Garden (comb w/ outdoor fun 2023)
12. Gift Cards
13. Lego* (popular but \$)
14. Movie Night
15. Outdoor Fun (Snow \& Sun)
16. Rainy Day Activities
17. Sleep Over Basket
18. Slime, Putty \& Play-doh
19. Spa*
20. Sports*

## Canvassing:

| Zone | Location | Priority |
| :---: | :--- | ---: |
| 1 | Watters \& Trim | 2 |
| 2 | Tenth Line (near FarmBoy) | 2 |
| 3 | Tenth Line (Ray Friel) | 2 |
| 4 | Tenth Line and Brian Coburn | 2 |
| 5 | Inness (Portobello to Trim) | 2 |
| 6 | Inness (near Superstore and Shwarma Place) | 3 |
| 7 | Inness (near Walmart) | 3 |
| 8 | Inness (near Toys R Us) | 3 |
| 9 | St Joseph | 3 |
| 10 | Email or Special Trip | 1 |



Motion: To adjourn the meeting.
Brenda MacLean / MP Baird CARRIED

- The meeting was adjourned at 7:52pm.


## Appendix A: Items Discussed Electronically

1. Nov 17: Do you approve $\$ 192.19$ for new cheques? APPROVED
2. Nov 22: Spend $\sim \$ 122$ on a Jump2Math workshop? APPROVED

Appendix B: TESC meeting dates for 2023/2024 school year

- Jan 17, 2024, Feb 21, 2024, Mar 20, 2024, Apr 24, 2024, May 22, 2024, Jun 19, 2024

Appendix C: 目 Approved 2023-2024 TESC Funding 2023/2024

