

Harold Longworth Public School Council Meeting Minutes – November 13, 2024

New emails to include for minutes distribution:

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Individuals in attendance:

Sherry Richer, Tony Carcone, Lisa Butson, Michelle Van Dyk-Houghton, Jessica Knapp, Deseraye Campbell, Amanda Robertson, Kathryn Hopley, Ashley Reynolds, June Smith, Nicole Alexander, Tara McLean, Shannon Schryer, Daryl McAdam, Colin Marson, Vanessa Williams, Jay. – WELCOME TO THE NEW FACES

Regrets:, Siobhan Delacour, Carolynne Liebrechts, Amy Wood, Amanda Jones, Eileen Jones, Lena Anderson, Jennifer Robeson

Call to order: 6:31pm

Approval of Meeting Minutes – October 2024: Motion to approve – Ashley , Second – Nicole

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

- New VP! Tony Carcone – Welcome to the school Tony!
- New Northglen Neighbourhood School – Opening set for Sept 2025 – about 100 students should be going to this school from HLPS, families were notified last week. Grade 7's will stay here at HLPS for their grade 8 year (Northglen will only be K-7 for that first year for this reason) – Communications will continue to go to affected families
- Jr/ Int volleyball tryouts
- Primary science club
- Int students have been asking to start clubs for younger students and are being helped by staff to get set up with a supervising staff member and organize the club
- Winter Concert December 13

TREASURER'S REPORT :

Opening amount for year is \$11,300 - Pending Treasurer Update - will update in January's minutes

Still to pay

- Outstanding purchases – badminton and volleyball equipment

Fundraising

- Gym for December 3rd item pick-ups – half gym booked 2-5:30

- Lunches/Treats – Huge uptick in pizza sales recently, milk sales going up as well, Mucho maybe a bit less, but it's easy. Treats doing well.
- Booster juice will be this month (first one this year) – will see how it goes. Lisa has spoken with Matt to see if we can make things smoother this time.
- Holiday Market – Tough with School Cash Online to figure out which vendor has paid. Have potentially lost some vendors. Have 65 vendors. – Set up will be grade 8's during the day. – Ask Amy to add a closing shift to the volunteer site.
- Recipe in a jar finished up – 108 items sold – about \$1200 in total sales
- Kent Farms – we made \$390
- Mabels - \$121.26 cheque was sent
- Krispy Kreme is set up for Jan 1-19 – Pick-up March 4 3-6
- 58 poinsettias have been sold so far
- 30 card boxes so far
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ADDITIONAL ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION

- When are photos being delivered – Photos came in today and should be heading home in the next couple of days
- Table cloth came this week - \$433.13
- **REQUEST** – Dodgeballs for gym (request from Mr. Renaud)– 2 sizes (one for Jr and one for Intermediate) – total of \$270 – **APPROVED**
- **REQUEST** – Risers for the gym (request from Ms. Barry) - \$7000 for 3 or \$2100 each - **APPROVED**
- **REQUEST** – Chrome book cart replacement – approx. \$1632 – **APPROVED**
- Grade 8 grade trip discussions have started – admin have reached out to Brightspark for potential trip options, maybe the one night overnight to Blue Mountain again – a little concerned about some student behaviour, but will have reminders for now and the goal is to book it and make the overnight happen – if same trip is chosen it was about \$500-\$600 per student, some funding from school and some funding from council for Helping Hands for students needing assistance
- Jan Treat days – 10th popcorn, 17th muffins, 24th ice cream
- Feb Treat days – 7th cookies, 14th popcorn, 21st muffins, 28th ice cream

FUTURE MEETINGS – all at 6:30 in library

January 29

February 26

April 16

May 21

June 18

Adjournment: 7:25 pm

Next Meeting: January 29 @ 6:30 in the library