

E.I. McCulley School Council Meeting

Tuesday, September 26, 2023, at 6:30 pm

This meeting was our first council meeting of the year, it was a little over an hour and everyone's opinions were shared, addressed and answered.

ELECTION OF NEW COUNCIL:

CO-CHAIRS: Jen and Stacey

TREASURER: Nicola

SECRETARY: Nazia (Neeni)

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

- Positive and calm start to the school year! No re-organization of classes, new kindergarten class this year (15 students, no DECE), portable is scheduled to arrive any time for the Grade 6/7 class on the stage.
- Gr 8 hoodies = ~\$50 x 20 students – this is a tradition we have at McCulley, and our graduates look forward to the presentation of the hoodies in November
 - o Sarah will get 2 quotes on prices for the next council meeting.
- Nurse Jen comes on Tuesday – partnership with Niagara Region Public Health with the focus of promoting healthy and active schools.
 - o Students have identified a desire to learn more about mental health and well-being, substance use and addictions, physical activity.
- Grade 4-8 trip coming up to Laura Secord to hear Sam Demma speak – Unpack Your Backpack Presentation

OLD BUSINESS: Krispy Kreme Fundraiser to be organized to raise funds for school activities. On an average 600 boxes are ordered to resell for fundraising. Jen will be in contact with them.

NEW BUSINESS: New goal setting, fundraising was discussed, council's communication medium was also selected so all council members can stay connected through Remind App and email.

NEXT MEETING: Three dates were selected for future council meetings:

- October 24, 2023 – fundraising focus
- November 28, 2023 – holiday lunch
- February 6, 2024

Additional meetings will be booked as and when needed.