



Genesis Home & School Meeting
Held on October 13th, 2020 via zoom

MINUTES

Attendance:

Abbraccio, Maria

Alicando, Lucia

Anobile, Rosanna

Brescia, Josie

Brunet, Anick

Camisano, Josie

Conte, Sandra

Di Fruscia, Cynthia
(Secretary)

Di Lillo, Patrizia (guest)

Di Lorenzo, Mariella
(guest)

Ferraro, Anne-Marie

Ferraro, Catherine

Fiore, Mary

Fiorillo, Joanne

Gaudio, Anna

Iaconetti, Sandra

Klndom, Feleecia

Livornetti, Sabrina

Marcantonio, Maria

Marcarelli, Shanna (Guest)

Marinelli Patty(chair)

Neveu, Lynn (principal)

Norabian, Houry

Pisegna, Sandra

Pivetta, Sonia

P., Jennifer

Rosato, Tina(vice-chair)

Siconolfi, Tania

Studham, Emmanuel
(treasurer)

1. Adoption of the Agenda:

No Additions or Corrections

Sandra C. moved to adopt the agenda. Seconded by Tania S.

The agenda was adopted

2. Adoption of the Minutes:

➤ Proposed corrections:

1. Add Houry's last name to the attendance list.

Lucia A. moved to adopt the minutes from the September 15th meeting. Seconded by Mariella D.

Motion carried

3. Business Arising from previous meetings

3.1 An e-vote was sent out in September for an extra 80\$ in order to hand out a SMILE cookie to the students as a welcome back treat. 23 people were in favour of this treat, but the product did not ultimately meet our safety standards therefore it was not distributed.

3.2 Quotes were researched concerning donating Lanyards for masks to the students:

- Quote # 1: 250 lanyards @ 2.31\$ each + tx = 663\$
- Quote # 2: 250 lanyards @ 2.50\$ each + tx= 718\$, these do include the swivel clip as well as the school name.

- Parents may already have what they need for masks for their children
 - Some have mentioned that it might make mask wearing fun in the school
 - Many agree that the lanyard will not go to waste
 - If we choose to not give a snack at Halloween we can hand out the lanyards.
- ***Maria Motions that we allocate 700\$ towards the purchase of lanyards. Rosanna A. seconds. 13 are in favour. The motion did not pass.***

3.3 Long term Projects:

- Outdoor classroom and Air Conditioning for classrooms.
- Pictures of certain ideas will be sent to school in order to bring to the attention of the school board.

4. Question Period (Guests)

None

5. Reports:

5.1 Treasurer

- Currently we have 14,439\$ in the account to be allocated this year.
 1. A few chqs are left to be cashed from TCBY
 2. 7750\$ are still allocated:
 - 4500\$ for edugrimpe
 - 2250\$ for grad
 - 600\$ for Halloween

5.2 Principal

- Thank you to the decorating committee the school looks beautiful
- The students had a great time at the Terry Fox run
- Students are happy at school despite the differences
- Progress reports will not come out as planned because of the ministers decision to push back report cards
- QPAT meetings are on October 16th
- Trees were planted in the school backyard. An initiative from the City of Laval.
- Lockers are being given out to students
- Lunch boxes to remain in classrooms for now

5.3 Chairperson

The chairperson reported on the following:

- The Chairperson reminds us that membership forms need to come in in order to be able to vote on Home & School.
- A warm thank you to our principal for her tireless efforts and for keeping our children safe and happy

5.4 Governing Board Liaison (Sandra Conte)

- Nothing to report

5.5 Gardening Club

- Not up and running yet just yet

5.6 Graduation

- No committee has been set up yet but the school is taking care of sweatshirts

6. Committees

6.1 We are urging parents to sign up to at least 1 committee ! the fundraising committee is of course very important, therefore should you wish to participate please fill out the google document to this effect.

6.2 Decoration

- The front of the school has been decorated
- Sabrina has received the new supplies for Remembrance Day

6.3 Halloween

- A meeting took place in early October
- Staff will be running some activities as well in their classes
- No volunteers are allowed on school premises
- There will be pumpkin decorating
- Allocation is sufficient

6.4 Fundraising

- There are not many parents signed up to this committee. Although there won't be much fundraising happening this year because of COVID , it is the most important sub committee in our H&S . A new sign up sheet will be sent out.



7. New Business

7.1 Indoor recess

- The purchase of games toys would be appreciated to accommodate indoor recess. The recesses will be staggered between classes.
- The teachers will be asked for a wish list.
- Tina R. motions that we allocate 120\$ per class. Seconded by Cynthia D. 25 in favour

Motion carried

7.2 Lunch for teachers and staff

- We would like to offer lunch to teachers and staff to show our appreciation for all of their efforts in these unprecedented times. We can support local business by ordering individual pizzas to each staff member from VINCENT pizzeria for 6\$ per unit. A total of 250\$ would be needed for this order. Rosanna A. motions that we allocate 250\$ for a staff pizza lunch. Joanne F. seconds

Motion carried

8. Varia

1. Tina R. asks if Mme Neveu is in agreement with the possibility of offering individual pizzas to each student. She suggests that we poll parents being that it is a very individual choice right now to eating food from outside sources. No motion was made.

9. Adjournment

It was moved by Rosana A. to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Lucia A. Adopted.

The meeting was adjourned at 8h47pm

NEXT MEETING: November 10th 2020, at 7h15pm via zoom