

Golden Learning Centre  
School Council Meeting Minutes  
March28, 2017

Jamie welcomed everyone and meeting was called to order at 5:30.

Deb, Lorrie, Jamie, Robert, Maria, Erica, Brooklyn, Sabrina, and Morgan were present.

Kim sent regrets

Motion was carried by Robert to approve the agenda and seconded by Maria.

Playground update:

Survey results- 146 students said new equipment was needed (88%)

- 17 students said no equipment was needed (12%)
- 97 students said new monkey bars needed
- 123 students wanted more bridges
- 112 students wanted a climbing wall
- Everyone wanted a merry-go-round
- Upper playground 42 students not satisfied with current options and 17 students are satisfied.
- Upper playground students would like to see (in order of most desired) soccer balls, badminton net and equipment, volley balls and net.

A discussion of missing equipment took place, how do we stop things from going missing? Soccer Canada may be able to help get some balls, perhaps students could write a letter or have a survey to see why balls go missing. Perhaps writing a letter to acquire equipment may bring a sense of ownership.

Students suggested perhaps having a prize at the end of year as an incentive to keep the equipment from going astray.

Meat draw letter has been approved Deb stated and she thought we had the month of August and will follow up.

Jamie has been in touch with Michele Lebonte regarding possible partnership with Municipality to acquire funding.

Breakfast Club: -Need to ask to make sure supplies are replenished when needed. Deb will check with Kim.

Eco Team: Push for water tank to buy a school water bottle. If students make a pledge online the cost of bottle is \$2, without the pledge the cost is \$4.00.

In conjunction with the museum the school will have a display at the local museum and will be attending the museum in a week or 2.

Branding:

Deb passed around the options. Green and Gold will be the new school colours. The colours of school jerseys were discussed and noted that Green would be good as St. John's has blue and RLMPS has red. Deb will send to graphic designer and bring final design to next meeting.

Math Night:

Math night will be May 31 from 6-7:30 pm. Cake will be served in breakfast club room to cut down on congestion in entrance. Activities incorporating math will take place in classrooms and led by students.

A math challenge leading into the event was also discussed.

2017-2018 PRO Grant

Provincial and regional grant money. Monies from last year will pay for this year's math night. Changing things up for next year and having an Art night was discussed and decided upon. Jamie will do a draft and bring to next meeting.

Science Fair:

6 students are going to Fort Frances for science fair on Saturday April 1. The top 3 will go to Regina.

The school board has some funding to help students.

Book Fair next week

May 10 Lions Public Speaking

May 17 District public speaking at high school

May 3 & 4 GLC school production at 12 and 6 pm. Parents are given first chance to purchase tickets. T shirts are also ordered and will be Red and white this year to incorporate Canada's 150 Birthday.

Student Report:

Project alert has been taking place since January and has 2 weeks left.

Boys did great in basketball!

Water bottles were designed by the students.

Letters will be going out for class teams.

**NEXT MEETING:**

**APRIL 24 @5:30 PM**