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In Attendance:

Administration (4): Julie Derbyshire, Principal / Brad Sokalski, Vice-Principal / Dorothy

Penney, Vice-Principal

Teaching Staff (2): Joey Persaud & Jessica Cole Kindergarten

Community Rep (1): John Preston

Chairs (1): Aimee McCarthy

Parent Attendees: (14)

Co-chair welcome (Lead: Chairs)

- a) Welcome / Approval of Agenda
 - No changes to agenda.
- b) Approval of the minutes from December
 - o minutes approved

2. Administration welcome and update (Lead: Principal)

- DPA equipment
 - o has arrived, blowing up balls and labeling everything
 - Broadview uniform shirts
 - two version one that is muscle t-shirt, \$30 and \$42 respectively
 - \$1160 to procure 24 of the v necks
 - Richard to look into other vendors, if no vendors found in two weeks then Julie to go ahead with current vendor
 - vote passed
- Bullying prevention and intervention plans
 - o had a lot of discussion at school over past month
 - o group includes parents, teachers, and staff members
 - o staff filled out form from admin team
 - gave a lot of data, to understand where we want to head as a school and community with regards to bullying prevention and intervention
 - Question 1, Are you seeing bullying type of before?
 - got a variety of answers
 - kindergarten see targeted aggression
 - primary exclusion behaviour
 - junior callous comments, racialized comments, lack of economic standing
 - Question 2: Where does the staff see the bulling taking place?
 - during unstructured time
 - when kids are eating
 - Question 3: Are students reporting bullying behavior?
 - mostly yes

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- Question 4: Do staff think WITs program working well with WITS programs for grades 1-3?
 - kindergarten to grade 3 doing a reasonable job
 - junior to intermediate division said that WITS was doing a good job
- Question 5: IS there another program staff feel work better for older grades?
 - no answers given
- Question 6: What do you see as your role as a staff member in bullying prevention and intervention?
 - only had 6 responses
- Looking to have student focus groups
- Kindergarten information night February 9, 2023

3. **Division/Teacher Updates** (Lead: Teacher Reps)

Teacher	Grade/ Division/Club	News
Joey Persaud (speaker),	Kindergarten rep	Did you hear the rumour about the butter? Never mind I shouldn't spread it. What sound does a nut make when it sneezes? it goes cashew. Do you know why scuba divers fall backward off the boat? If they fell forward they would still in the boat. Craig Cardiff music workshops with the students to create songs. Learning about kindness, patterns, and appreciation of winter and is working on a song. Booking the experiences some of the prices have increased over past years. Little rays reptiles is \$785 with HST. Brazilian drumming workshop 5 kinder class \$750.10. The request is asking for addition \$292.45. The same experiences for workshops at York \$864.45 for two kinder classes for the two workshops.
Jessica Byrd (speaker)	Primary	Field trips grade 2s going to Bill Masion outdoor education centre, local animals and habitats. Grades 1-3 Craig Cardiff later in January song workshops. University of Ottawa stem workshop on specimens.
Jessica Byrd (speaker)	Intermediates	Band is back at Broadview for grades 7 and 8. Concert band Thursday second recess, Wednesday May 31 concert.

4. OCASC Update (Meaghan)

No updates

5. Budget overview (George)

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- \$4000 to York street, workshop money to go out of that
- Kelly and Ali to talk about workshops with principal and determine how to proceed

6. Fundraising (Sheena)

- Thank you successful bake sale, raised \$2195
- Intermediate movie night, January 27th if we get the volunteers
 - o callout within the next few days

7. Community Engagement Update (Ali, Kelly)

No updates

8. Yard Update (Krista)

No updates

9. Survey results (Vicky)

- Special agenda items are not available before meetings
- No online meeting option
- Principal emails
- Reasons for not being able to come due to time of meeting
- gathering information for agenda items, determine timelines to get to parents before
- proposing to have agenda to send out to parent community on Thursday before the meeting, to make it more engaging

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Meeting adjourned, 8:18 p.m. / Next meeting: February 15, 2022

*Broadview School Council is a group of volunteers who work to complement and enrich the educational experience of Broadview students. Volunteering and attending council meetings are great ways to be informed and to shape the direction of the school for our kids.