

Minutes for Mills Haven School Council

Call to Order

A School Council meeting of Mills Haven Elementary was held on October 10, 2018 at Mills Haven Elementary Library. It began at 6:05pm and was presided over by Sherry J School Council Chair, with Becky M School Council Secretary taking the minutes.

Attendees

Becky M.	Laura D GBA)	Chandra C (GBA)
Keri B	Sarah G (GBA_	Laura G (GBA)
Sivanthy S	Erin (GBA)	Meagan D
Connie F (GBA)	Rachel K	Pia J (GBA)
Sherry J	Anke E (GBA)	Laura G (GBA)
Tanya L	Becky M (GBA)	Esra S (GBA)
Anna M	Michael S (GBA)	Jodi S

Approval of Minutes

No Changes

A motion to approve the minutes of the previous September 11th, 2018 meeting was made by Tanya L and seconded by Chandra C

Additions to the Agenda

- None

New Year Introductions for everyone at the meeting

School Report

Keri B, Vice Principal, provided school report

- Accountability Pillar
 - Review results are really great at Mills Haven Elementary
 - Results will be upon school website to view
- Successes:
 - EIPS Consultants are working in the school with teachers for Math and Literacy.
- New Curriculum
 - No timelines or deadlines as of yet. Will be signed off on in December and Legislated at that point
- New EA hired in Kindergarten
- Rocks and Rings
 - A Curling Canada program geared towards introducing elementary students to curling is coming into the school. This event has been paid for by School Council Parent Group.
- Wee Read

- Program geared towards Kindergarten -Grade 3 to help students find the love of reading. Volunteers are needed to come into the school to read to children. Volunteers DO NOT have to be parents.
- There is a quick 15min training session.
- School is asking School Council to help put call out for volunteers
- Email Rachel Kihn at Rachel.kihn@eips.ca

School Trustee Report

Not Present

Treasurers Report

Treasurer's Report is presented by Jodi S, Treasurer.

School Council End of September Account Balance: \$1853.93

- Jodi stated that 2018/19 Commitment money had not yet shown up in the bank report.
- Jodi S. confirmed that the Treasurer's Report read by Sherry J in School Council's September meeting was written and submitted by herself. Jodi has read the School Council September minutes and approved the information, discussion and motions.

Becky M motioned to accept Jodi's School Council September Treasurer Report. Tanya L and Anna M Seconded the motion.

GBA Report

a) Sign Night Update

- The company has created a webpage. Offering a PDF for distribution at a cost of \$25
 - i. All present agreed that was a great price to have the flyers and info made up for us. It was agreed to go ahead and purchase the PDF
- Register online, choose sign(s) you would like to paint.
- Date Set for Friday, November 23/18. 6:30pm-9:30pm
- Talk of getting local restaurants such as David's Tea to supply beverages.

Chair Report

Chair Report was presented by Sherry M.

a) Library Book Fair

- School Council is assisting the librarian in getting volunteers for the book fair. More volunteers are needed for evening and daytime help

b) School Council Position openings

- Welcoming Caleb V has taken on Kindergarten Class Rep position
- Grade 1 Rep, Grade 5 Rep

c) Insurance for MHSSSES

- Sherry and Jodi will follow up

Open Discussion for new initiatives and ideas:

No new discussion or ideas.

Sherry J. moved that the meeting be adjourned, and this was agreed upon at 6:58pm.

B. Mitchell

Secretary
Mills Haven School Council

Date of Approval