***Naahii Ridge Public School***

***School Council Meeting Minutes***

***January 15, 2019***

*In Attendance:*

Mary Anne P, Elaine B, Nicole T, Laura Z, Janet E, Sara M, Gill P, Greg C, Jennifer W, Becky W, Jolene W, Candace N

*Minutes & Agenda*

Minutes of November 5, 2018 meeting, and Agenda for January 15, 2019 meeting approved. Moved by Sara M, seconded by Nicole T.

Distributed: PBS information, PRO Grant Application, Parent Involvement Committee Minutes

PBS Review

* Mary Anne gave PowerPoint presentation on school-wide positive behavior support (PBS) philosophy that’s been in place for 6 years
* Focus for 6-8 weeks on a defined behavior with reinforcement of those behaviours using Thunderbuck tickets for classroom and school-wide bucket-filling
* Behavioral supports, visual aids within school, assemblies and celebrations
* Question and answer followed; can follow up with Mary Anne for more information

PROGRANT Application Update

* Elaine updated on PROGrant – successful in getting $1000 to spend ($200 on refreshments, $100 on promotion, and $700 on main fees)
* Doing a showcase to educate on history and culture of local first nations community
* Full program of dancing and drumming with some key exhibits: wampum belts, Delaware language room, stories on display in another room, students to share their stories/history; craft/activity in another room; community presentation to start
* April would be ideal time; will be held at the school – aiming for April 4th 6:30-8
* Elaine willing to coordinate, sign-up sheet circulated for subcommittee volunteers – group can correspond via email
* Use of the van to have community members attend

PIC Update

* School Cash Online information - credit card option will be available soon; option to order more than one month at a time is available now; contact Andrea in the office about any particular issues or questions

Chair of School Council Election

* Sara M to chair the remainder of the school year

Fundraising

* May 10th is scheduled for flower delivery and need junior students to help with pick up

Share your Concerns Steps

* Board has outlined steps for parents sharing school concerns (see <https://www.lkdsb.net/Contact/Pages/default.aspx> “Share your Concerns” pdf document)

Budget Update

* $2875.94 in school council budget

Other

* Kinderstart is Feb 11, parents can do pre-registration electronically this year

Deferred

* February fundraiser update
* Turkey Dinner Debrief
* Math discussion

*Next Meeting*

March 21, 2019 at 6:30

Useful links:

[www.mediasmarts.ca](http://www.mediasmarts.ca)

[www.kidsareworthit.com](http://www.kidsareworthit.com)

[www.4-Hontario.ca](http://www.4-Hontario.ca)

[www.coolmath4kids.com](http://www.coolmath4kids.com)