

Central Public SAC

Meeting Minutes

DATE/TIME: September 23, 2024 @ 5:30pm

LOCATION: Central Public Staff Room

1. Meeting called to order at 5:30pm by Kara

In attendance:

Name	Position	Email
Amanda Fraser	Parent - past secretary	
Brooke Mackinnon	Parent	
Alex Rowse-Thompson	Parent	
Laura Rushworth	Parent	laura.n.callow@gmail.com
Kacey McCuen	Parent	kacey.Mccuen@gmail.com
Emberly Doherty	Parent - Past Chair	
Liz Raven	Parent	ravenelizabeth@gmail.com
Kate MacDonald	Parent	
Tina Hagberg	Staff Representative	
Melanie Allport	Vice Principal	
Kimberly Denison	Parent	kdenison@live.ca
Hanna Kaufman	Bingo Rep	
Andrea Hilborn	Parent	andrea.hilborn.moscow@gmail.com
Kevin Wood	Staff Representative	
Cherie Bunting	Parent	cheriebunting@gmail.com
Megan Nute	Parent	megnute@gmail.com
Kelly King	Parent	inquire.mao@gmail.com
Hilda Barrett	Principal	
Kara Fry	Chair	
Nico Koenig	Parent	
Alice Rush-Rhodes	Parent	

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2. School Streets Update - Nico

- We have approval from the School Board and the City of Kingston to start up school streets again! (blocking traffic from the street directly in front of the school during peak drop off and pick up times)
- We are in need of a co-ordinator to get this running again
- Eventually hoping the co-ordinator would be a paid position, but we are not there yet
- Will require more follow up, forms, etc (the boring admin stuff) in order to proceed
- Lots of volunteers still willing to help out
- Kelly King expressed interest and will reach out to Nico for further discussion
- Alice to include snippet in the next newsletter

3. Elections for current positions

- a. Chair - Kara Fry is sole nominee - elected
- b. Treasurer - Brooke Mackinnon is sole nominee - elected
- c. Secretary - Amanda Fraser is sole nominee - elected
- d. Fundraising Co-ordinator - Andrea Hilborn is sole nominee - elected
- e. Communications - Alice Rush-Rhodes and Kacey McCuen nominated - elected
- f. Indigenous (+ Equity/Diversity) Reps - Kelly King and Laura Rushworth nominated - elected
- g. PIC - Kelly King (as schedule permits)

4. Treasurer Report - Provided by Kara Fry

- Just received report
- Not much money in the bank at the moment
- Will pass along to new treasurer Brooke!

5. Staff Report - Kevin Wood and Tina Hagberg

- Terry Fox run this Friday at McBurny Park @ 1:40 pm
- (Kinders will run in the school yard)
- Initially talked about encouraging school colours and temp tattoos, but realizing picture day is in the morning...
- Kids have been learning about the marathon of hope
- The school, as well as each class have set fundraising goals; top earning class gets a pizza lunch
- Kate: Parent council to provide Apples for post-run?
 - Andrea to call Waddell's, Amanda to pick up apples, Kara to bring 9 large bowls, Kate and Alex to wash and distribute to classes
- Tina - Will the council support the pumpkin patch again this year?
 - Last year's total was 219 pumpkins for a total of \$363
 - This year will need 230 pumpkins
 - Brooke: approved! - This can come from Bingo funds

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6. Principal/Vice-Principal Report – Hilda Barrett

- Reorganization is now complete
- Tina and Stacey did a fantastic job with their large number of students until the reorg could be completed; there will be a permanent ECE in both classes
- Basement renovations went well - grand reveal to come
 - 2 conference areas, library, flex room, kitchen, updated ventilation, lighting
- Going through books to pair down collection and fill any gaps from an equity and diversity perspective
- Empower - already operating

7. Fundraising Plan - Kara Fry

- a. Wilton Cheese - Oct 8th - (Brooke and Annie taking lead)
 - i. This is a quick turnaround - needs immediate action
- b. Cozy Closet Sale - Oct 9th right after school (Brooke and Rebecca)
- c. Winter Greenery
- d. Cake Raffle
- e. Dance/Family function in February?
- f. Spring planters
- g. School clothing? - Brooke to look into it

8. Other Notes

- Call out to teachers to see what is needed
- Athletic jerseys, banners, tents, etc
- PRO Grant - deadline for submission is Oct 31st

9. Meeting Schedule:

- a. October 21, 2024
- b. November 11, 2024
- c. December 9, 2024 (potluck?)
- d. January 13, 2025
- e. February 10, 2025
- f. March 3, 2025
- g. April 14, 2025
- h. May 12, 2025
- i. June 9, 2025 (potluck?)

Adjournment