

## School Council Meeting- Dec 14, 2022

### In Attendance:

- Jennifer Donato, principal
- Amy McDonnell
- Tanya Belanger
- Amber Hughes
- Lucy Kibalian
- Student Rep: Tegan

Regrets: Lisa Quiquero

### Principal report:

EQAO results

Grade 3	Pine Grove	DSBN	Province	PG results over provincial standard
Reading	81.1%	82.1%	73.1%	<b>+8%</b>
Writing	73%	74.7%	64.9%	<b>+8.1%</b>
Math	67.6%	69.5%	59%	<b>+8.6%</b>

Grade 6	Pine Grove	DSBN	Province	PG results over provincial standard
Reading	97.7%	90.1%	84.9%	<b>+12.8%</b>
Writing	92.9%	89.7%	84.1%	<b>+8.8%</b>
Math	73.8%	56.8%	47.2%	<b>+26.6%</b>

## **School Improvement Plan: Goals**

Our staff will be working on

- 1) **developing confident and proficient readers** by teaching foundational reading skills in a variety of contexts,
- 2) **developing thinking and reasoning skills, confidence and perseverance through the teaching of problem-solving in math, and,**
- 3) **reinforcing the feelings of belonging, connecting, and school pride so all PG students feel valued and important.**

## **Events and Upcoming Dates**

- Reintroduction of Monthly Assemblies- starting in January
- Class of the Week- January (with the purchase of a new ('stuffie') mascot
- Creation of a new slogan- suggestion to have a student-created banner with the new slogan for the School Council to use
- Paul Davis- March 6 and 29th, 2023 to speak with Grade 4-6 students and grade 7-8 students on the topic of social media and internet safety.

## **Other**

- Donations to Community Care! Very generous! Thank you.
- Poinsettias/Porch Pots- thank you for your support- total sales \$5369.00 (profit= 1728.72)
- Scholastic Book Fair- total sales \$5926.93 (60% profit =3309.19)
- Clubs (Puma Voice, History Club, Crochet Club, Origami Club, Rainbow Loom Club, Eco Club, Learn a Language Club, bucket drumming, PNN and coming in January is MiniMakers)

## **Financials- School Council Accounts**

Family Pasta Night Fundraiser- \$0.00 (- 2 730.15)  
School Council Fundraising-\$1193.42 (+ 525.88 milk)  
Milk- \$0.00  
Total: \$1193.42

Hot Lunches- \$25 366.95  
Outdoor Playground - School Council- \$ 20 269.31

\*Moved Milk to School Council Fundraising  
Moved Family Pasta Night to Outdoor Playground

**Playground Financials:**

\$20,000 owing October 2022 (extended until December) for the playground and  
\$20,000 owing in October 2023  
\$40,000 still owing total

**Follow Up:**

Chocolate bars: Amber to contact Mary Jo at Worlds Finest Chocolate to set up fundraiser for early March (Feb. 27-March 21)

**Next meeting:**

February 22nd @ 6:30

At that time we will set meeting times for the year.