



Jack Chambers School Council

January 25, 2023

6:30 pm – Jack Chambers Library / [Virtual Link](#)

1. Welcome and Call meeting to order at: 6:39pm

Council Attendance:

- Jonathan
- Adeel
- Andre
- Amanda Mulder
- Andrea Legato
- Yi (Otter.ai)
- Mrs Murdoch

Members at Large attendance:

Regrets:

- Adam & Jessica
 - Clara
 - Mason Kadem
 - Tricia Baratta
 - Katie Martin
 - Wenli Zhang
 - Lei Li
- ***Andre LeFort voted in as secretary, nominated by Jonathan Somerville***

2. Approval of October meeting minutes

Motion: Jonathan

Second: Amanda Mulder

3. Chair Report-

Updates – Jonathan to share total fundraised from concession stand.

Co-Chair:

- Jonathan Somerville
- Mason Kadem

Secretary:

- Andre LeFort

Co-Treasurer:

- Adeel Nasim

Voting Members:

- Tricia Baratta
- Andrea Legato
- Katie Martin
- Adam Fox
- Jessica Fox
- Amanda Mulder
- Wenli Zhang
- Clara Liu
- Yi Chen
- Lei Li
- Andre LeFort

Teacher Rep:

- Susan Baldinelli
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Administration:

- Susanne Young
- Richelle Hirlehey

- ***Funds raised were \$332.02***
- ***Potential for Badminton event and fundraising***

4. Fundraising Initiative Update

Discussion topics:

Pizza lunch program (Andrea),

- ***On hold currently***
- ***Plan from Andrea to come in the next couple weeks***
- ***Find vendors that can package individually, if possible, by person. If not, then group by class and option***

Chambers day (group),

- ***Community event for all families***
- ***Lunch on a sunny day during school, picnic with all***
- ***Schoolcashonline orders for pizzas***
- ***We need loads of volunteers, minimum of 20:***
 - ***Pizza lines***
 - ***Drinks***
 - ***Freezies***
 - ***Cleanup***
- ***Ask parents at large to help volunteer***
 - ***We could ask each class to find 2 parent volunteers, 31 classes***
- ***Schedule is 12 to 1:30 in the past***
- ***Put call out for planning committee volunteers in Charge Ahead newsletter***

Movie night (Clara),

- ***No comments as Clara is not present***

Other ideas:

- ***Christmas Concert:***
 - ***50/50 raffle or basket draws***
 - ***We need to confirm lottery licensing requirements prior – AGCO***
 - ***<https://london.ca/lottery-licensing>***

- ***VIP tickets – front row couches, hot chocolate***
- a. ***Ping-Pong tables***
 - i. ***Not being used actively***
 - ii. ***Can we foster an internal club?***
 - iii. ***Can we ask other schools who wants to do a friendly competition?***

5. Community Engagement

Update from Andre LeFort on Pro Grant application, and group discussion on whether they'd like to amend or proceed as is.

Ideas (Further funding):

- ***Interpreters for parent sessions such as report cards***
- ***ESL and Coffee – Open sessions for parents to attend and ask questions about homework, assignments, report cards***

6. Administration Report (Susanne Young)

- Registrations are active
- Open house for jks at June the 13th
 - School council to have a presence via table and volunteers to talk to parents
 - Motion to support event and use PIF for materials to support parents, approved!
- Open house for high school students is ongoing as well. Students are receiving acceptances
- Request for \$1000 in funding from school council for ceremony and award for grade 8 graduates
- French immersion update (SK to grade 1)
- Lunar New Year Celebration exceeded expectations
 - Jack Chambers provided coordination, including space to rehearse
 - Cultural diversity supports everyone's purpose. Let's do more!

7. New Initiatives

- What?
- How?

- Who?
- When?
- Where?
- Why?

8. Next Meeting: ___ February 22nd, 2023 _____

- ***Let's get commitment from members if they are going to attend within 24 hours prior to the meeting to determine if quorum will be met. If not, we cancel meeting.***

9. Adjournment @ _7:57 PM _____

Motion: Jonathan

Second: Andre