



Vincent Massey Public School

School Council Meeting

Monday October 4, 2021
5:30 pm to 6:15 pm
Online Meeting

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Present: Nick Shea, Simon Farquhar, Korri Bickle, Cindy Williamson, Desiree Newman

Regrets:

Agenda Item	Introductions & Land Acknowledgment
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Simon to start with Land Acknowledgment

Agenda Item	Principal Report
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The Third Path and eight conditions: Safety, Regulation, Belonging, Positivity, Engagement, Identity, Mastery and Meaning. October will be focusing on safety strategies. Nick will discuss at next council meeting. - Students have been working on diagnostic reading and numeracy. 40.8% of students are above reading level and 40.1% are below the reading level. Teachers and staff will be focusing on plan to support those students not at reading level. - Guiding Reading Resource: Focusing on how to plan guided reading and what the assessment will look like to support students with their reading skills. - PLCs are completed for grades 3-8 and now to start an action plan. Nick to follow up next week with the plan. - VMPS Webpage- <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. All visitors and volunteers must fill out the Attestation form on the school webpage before entering and must be fully vaccinated. We are currently waiting on update and plan for those who are not vaccinated. b. Return to school link-information about staggered start c. Covid-19 screening tools-Parents, if you are unsure to send your child or children to school because they may have symptoms of Covid-19, use this link to help with those questions. d. Bullying and Prevention-Information regarding the VMPS Bullying Prevention and Intervention Plan

- e. Code of Conduct-Communicates standard behaviour expectations for the school's community to create a safe environment.
- f. **Action-School council to hold a meeting to review Code of Conduct and Bully Prevention. Nick to make changes to Cash online link on school webpage. School council to review Code of Conduct and bring forth any questions to next meeting.**

Agenda Item	Setting Out Fundraising Goals / Activities
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - School council has a \$600 starting point. We will need \$400 to make the \$1000 goal. - Fundraising ideas- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Mabel's Labels b. Rekker Poinsettias. Action-Desiree to contact and organize c. Recipes in a jar. Action-Desiree to contact and organize d. Little Caesars e. Macgregors meat f. Cash online for donations to school council g. Cheese. Action-Korri to find fundraising information

Agenda Item	Round Table
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Nick-For those who are googling VMPS, ensure you are on the Bowmanville site. We have 80 new students at the school. Action-Nick to send out poll for preferred meeting dates and times -Simon to address school council meeting times -Korri to review Parent Survey comments regarding preferred council meeting dates and times.

Agenda Item	Concluding Remarks