

# Woodland School Advisory Council

Tuesday, Sept. 24, 2024

## **Attendance:**

Heather Ferretti

Amber Hein

Diann Federico

Laura I'Anson

Whitney Sterk

Pat Goertzen

Samantha Martens

Bryanne Schafer

Lindsay Currie

Alex Floto

Tom Wiens

Lanny Pizzingrilli

Kandice Caughlin

Karen Weinhardt

Despina Tzemis

Cassidy Sotola

Meghan Carlomusto

Ashley Wright (Staff Representative)

Terri Della Manna (Administrative Assistant)

Kristina Worth (Principal)

## **Agenda:**

**1. Ancestral Land Acknowledgement**

**2. Welcome/Introductions**

**3. Approval of Minutes from May 28, 2024**

**4. Council Information/Responsibilities**

- Improve learning for all students, maintain a schoolwide perspective, parents provide input, become a link between school and community

**5. Representation & Membership**

**a) Who is part of our council and duties**

School principal, teacher, parents (minimum 8 parents to be present), community member (if available)

**b) Elections or Appointments - Chair, Secretary, Treasurer**

Co-Chairs – Cassidy Sotola & Karen Weinhardt (prepare agenda, communicate with principal and council members, facilitate col

Secretary - Heather Ferretti

Treasurer - Lanny Pizzingrill

**6. Review of Woodland Public School: School Advisory Council Constitution**

- Will be posted on school website, constitution approved

**7. Principal's Report & School Updates**

- Staffing: Miss Moynagh (Grade 6/7)
- Elementary Remote school (Gr 4-8) home-base at Woodland, supervision and attend staff meetings (Miss Clark, Miss Pennington)
- Woodland student enrollment currently at 112
- PA Day October 11, 2024 (agenda posted on Woodland school website)
- National Day for Truth and Reconciliation Monday, September 30th
- PIC Conference 4:00-8:15 at Eden (November 6th), topic: "Student well-being in the digital age"
- Student Leadership opportunities (Grades 7/8) - job applications (lunch monitors, kinder helpers, library helpers, milk, hot lunch, recycling crew, assembly crew) to earn points toward their "Woodland Letter" at graduation
- Colour Houses - school-wide events, school spirit, cross-graded, first colour house event is Friday September 27th (Terry Fox Walk)
- Woodland has currently raised \$675 for the Terry Fox Foundation
- Days of Significance - link on the Woodland calendar website, weekly memo, newsletters
- Extra-curriculars: Junior Soccer, Intermediate Soccer, Cross-Country running, Intermediate Volleyball (Co-Ed), Junior Flag Rugby
- Health & Safety: Fire Drills, Lockdown Drills
- Photo Day October 30th
- School Spiritwear - to come, will be able to order year-round

## **8. Financial Report**

*Account Balances:*

Winter Toques Balance: \$590.11

Breakfast with the Wolves Balance: \$311.24

Strawberry Social Balance: \$8081.31

Lottery Trust Balance: \$721.00

Class Fund Balance: \$2315.53

Playground Fund Balance: \$1447.02

- 2024/2025 Fundraisers: COBS, MacMillans Cookie Dough
- 50/50, Raffle Baskets - are no longer allowed as fundraisers at school, Silent Auctions are allowed
- Expenditures approved: Student per class funding, Intermediate drumming, Grade 8 Graduation

## **9. Sub-Committees**

**a) Breakfast with the Wolves: Saturday, November 30th**

**b) Strawberry Social: Thursday, June 19th**

- Google Form will be sent to families for sub-committee volunteers

## **10. New Business/Potential Events for 2024-25**

- Danceathon & snacks (Friday before March Break), same DJ
- Outdoor Movie- potential event for Fall next school year?
- (Vintage?) Spiritwear Sale

## **11. Proposed Meeting Dates for the 2024-2025 School Year**

- a. Tuesday, November 12, 2024
- b. Tuesday, February 11, 2025
- c. Tuesday, April 15, 2025
- d. Tuesday, May 27, 2025

## **12. Adjournment**