



November Minutes

Stoneybrook Parent School Council Agenda
 Wednesday, November 13
 7:00 p.m – 8:30 p.m in the Library
 Parents, Teachers, Students & the Community
 Working Together



Stoneybrook Parent School Council Executive 2019-2020

Principal
Melinda Curran

Chair*
Michelle Bacon

Chair-Elect
Vacant

Past Chair
Vacant

Treasurer*
Rebecca Hummel

Secretary*
Alex Ward

Parent Representatives*
Amanda Banas; Simone Bonello; Rannie Glanville; Felicia Hampson; Michael Lobodzinski; Allyson Watson

Communication*
Xin Zhou (Joe)

Teacher Representative*
Lorraine Lewis

Student Representatives*
Two positions to be filled on a rotating basis by students elected to school council

Hot Lunch Coordinator
Allyson Watson

***Voting Positions**

	Item
1.	<p>Welcome and approval of October 2019 SPSC meeting Minutes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Minutes were reviewed and approved
2.	<p>Business arising from the Minutes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Remembrance tree plaque: no further action taken since October meeting. Discussion around the content of the text/quote to include on the plaque. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ACTION: Julie to explore options and cost of plaque and make request to TVDSB to order the plaque
3.	<p>Principal's Report and Fundraising Calendar Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students will be completing school climate survey to identify areas of strength and weakness; this will be happening within the next week TVPIC inviting all school council members to "Four Corners" event on Thursday Dec. 5, 2019 Mrs. Curran applied for Learning Enhancement Fund for \$2000 with intent of running Screenagers movie; Jack Chambers and Northridge are interested in participating with Stoneybrook <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mrs. Curran has rented the auditorium at Kings for the event Mrs. Curran has removed old class photos from the hallway and has received a quote from Michaels for new frames for photos and matting (\$3000 for 50). Quote came in higher than expected so Mrs. Curran and Council would like to explore further options to make sure all photos are uniform. New mulch is being installed in the back playground area (\$1800) next week – the reason for doing it in the late fall is so that when the snow melts in the summer, new mulch will already be placed so kids can play right away and not be muddy or need to stay off the climbers while it's going in.
4.	<p>Student Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Students' Council Representatives: Cameron, Grade 8; Landis, Grade 8 United Way fundraiser began on Halloween with a dance where entry and concession stand profits were donated to United Way; also, Jersey Day and Crazy Hair Day – in total, the student body raised \$878 to donate to United Way The soccer and volleyball teams have done well so far – playoffs will be held this weekend for both boys and girls volleyball team; Students' Council will run a concession stand at the playoff tournament this weekend and all the proceeds will go to Students' Council Jack Astors evening was held last Wednesday, Nov. 6, which raised \$500

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Poinsettia Fundraiser now going on until Nov. 22, orders arrive Dec. 3 – all proceeds go to Grade 8 graduation.
5.	<p>Financial Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review of current financial statement provides Council with the opportunity to approve expenses up to \$18,000 • Mulch for the back and the front playground: \$2000 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Rebecca made the motion to accept; Felicia seconded the motion; all members voted in favour • Music: Mr. Massy has requested the following items: Keyboard (\$734.50), Amp (\$355.09), stand for keyboard & piano bench (\$114.97), hardware bag (\$140), congas (\$500 + tax) – total of \$2000 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Simone motioned to accept, Ranny seconded the motion; all members in favour • Rebecca suggested the purchase of an AED: Automatic Electronic Defibrillator, which totals approximately \$1300: some staff receive training for it in their first aid training, however, Mrs. Curran said that only 5 staff in the school are currently trained; ACTION: Mrs. Curran to investigate the needs and responsibility taken when having an AED machine in the school. • In-classroom technology was discussed in October – tabled for now. • Library chromebooks still needed since they are used by all students on a regular basis: at least 12 are needed at \$300 a piece (total of \$3600); some of these are to replace broken ones and some are newly requested. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Alex motioned to accept; Ranny seconded the motion; all members in favour
6.	<p>Communications Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No new registrations on The Hub. • No website updates.
7.	<p>School Council Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion of 2019-2020 events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cake Day (lead: TBD, date: Feb. 14, 2020), Family Fun Night (lead: Allyson, tentative date: June 11, 2020) ○ Scotia Bank partnership – the Scotia Bank fundraising committee will be discussing the possibility of continuing their partnership with Stoneybrook P.S. and will be in touch. • Stoneybrook P.S. 50th Anniversary Celebration <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Potential date: May 9th, 2020 ○ A sub-committee will be formed; a general e-mail will be sent out to invite parents to join. ○ Julie suggested contacting the Optimist Club for donations to the school for this event. ○ Is there a project for the 50th Anniversary Celebration that we can request submissions from outside organizations/companies for capital expenditure? ○ Simone suggested a silent auction for the 50th Anniversary Celebration

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brainstorming for a potential fundraiser? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Chocolate bars ○ Cinnabon: ACTION: Felicia to investigate. ○ Rheo Thompson? Great for gifts, however, they must be purchased ahead of time. ACTION: Simone to investigate. ○ Felicia suggested a drama/student show. ○ Rebecca suggested “Breakfast with Santa” for the week before Christmas. ○ Simone suggested winter breakfast in January. ACTION: Rebecca to price out breakfast options. Julie suggested Johnny’s for breakfast. Clarke Rd school a possibility as well. • Julie asked about the lack of seating for sports games in the gymnasium; she asked Mrs. Curran if it would be possible to purchase more benches, but Mrs. Curran said that there is no place to store them. The stage is full of furniture and supplies and there is no other place to store them. • The Scholastic Book Fair is booked for the week before Christmas – fundraiser for the library. • Hot lunch has had higher numbers this year thus far.
8.	<p>Important dates to remember</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parent Teacher interviews – November 14 • PD Day – November 15
9.	<p>Date of next meeting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • December 11 at 7:00 pm
10.	<p>Action Items</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Julie</u> to explore options and cost of Remembrance tree plaque and make request to TVDSB to order the plaque. • <u>Mrs. Curran</u> to investigate the needs and responsibility taken when having an AED machine in the school. • <u>Felicia</u> to investigate a Cinnabon fundraiser. • <u>Simone</u> to investigate a Rheo Thompson fundraiser. • <u>Rebecca</u> to price out breakfast options for the possible winter breakfast in January.