

# GLYNN A GREEN SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

<b>MEETING/LOCATION:</b>	Microsoft Teams	
<b>DATE:</b>	January 23, 2024	<b>TIME:</b> 6:30 – 7:30 PM
<b>MEETING CHAIR</b>	Christina Garcia, Jodie Bartlett	
<b>RECORDER</b>	Heather Stortz	
<b>MEETING ATTENDEES</b>	Christina Garcia, Angela S, Anita V, Stacey D, Megan S, Heather S, Amanda	

Topic	ACTION/DECISION ITEMS
Welcome & Land Acknowledgement	Introductions
Old Business/Approval of Minutes	Approved: Jodie Bartlett, Heather Stortz
Fundraising Update	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MacMillian - \$1,275 raised. Not as high as we had hoped, but still a success.</li> <li>• Holiday Market - \$1,938.81 'raised', though not an official fundraiser, brings in money to the account.</li> <li>• First Aid Kits – on hold for 6-8 weeks until supplier has more supply of kits available. Revisit in the spring (late March/early April), has a good return so would like to do if we can.</li> </ul>
Chairs Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Playground Grant Sub Committee and Fun Fair Committee to start up; choose dates</li> </ul>
Treasurer Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Playground Fund - \$2,736</li> <li>• Lottery Account - \$1,815 – going toward purchase of Chromebooks; will be zero balance</li> <li>• Fundraising Account - \$16,146,26 (includes Holiday Market and MacMillian funds)</li> </ul> <p><u>Spending:</u>            \$2,200 for classroom spending; \$5/student            ~\$4000 for AV equipment – awaiting quote from Hamilton Sound            Scientists in Classroom - \$5/student from parents, council to cover remainder. Teachers to be told to book by May to ensure this is done this year so we have funds required noted.            Transfer some balance to playground fund – board does not like to see large amounts 'sitting' in accounts, unused.</p> <p><u>Future Considerations:</u>            Laminators/Chromebooks            Carpet for Library            School shirts for events like track &amp; field; penny's, expand current inventory of jerseys for small and large students.</p>
Principal/VP Report	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Term 1 report cards being issued February 15. No set parent/teacher interview date; parents can call teachers if concerns to set up time to speak.</li> <li>• EQAO Practice Dates:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Grade 6 – Jan 29 – Feb 2</li> <li>○ Grade 3 – Feb 6 – 9</li> <li>○ 4 sections of language, 3 sections of math and survey sections</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CCAT – Grade 4 students, Feb 12-27             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 9- 10min tests</li> <li>○ Board uses for initial testing for gifted program; results shared upon request. Results indicate whether any students are put forward for second round of testing.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p><u>DSBN Math Action Plan</u> 5 main categories: 1 – Focus Schools (schools where EQAO scores show they need more support) 2 – Instructional Coaches (for staff coaching and support for students in class) 3 – Developing Resources &amp; Corresponding PD that support effective instruction (i.e. De-streaming, math scope &amp; sequence) 4 – Continuous Use of Data (mid-year assessments etc.) 5 – Investment in Educator Learning</p> <p><u>2024-25 School Year Calendar</u> Draft shared Sept 3 – first day Dec 20 – Jan 6 – winter break Mar 10-14 – March break June 26 – last day (June 27, PD day)</p> <p><u>School Activities &amp; Sports</u> Intermediate &amp; Junior Lego Robotics Basketball Board Game Club Sports Stacking Club Jr Boys &amp; Girls basketball Jr. /Int Choir Honour Choir – up to 10 students chosen. Primary Choir Snack, Library, Milk helpers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School Council Insurance – not required any longer, covered under Board Insurance, as long as no fundraising activities occur off-site with principal in attendance.</li> </ul> <p><u>Upcoming Events:</u> Kindergarten Open house – Feb 1, 10-6 Pelham Panthers Jr B Game – Feb 4; students free, parents ½ price (\$5.00). Tickets to be handed out to students at school. Grade 8 Graduation – June 20, 6pm at the Meridian Centre. Parent group to organize “after party” to be formed.</p>
New Business	NIL
Future Meetings	Fun Fair Sub-Committee: Feb 7, 6:30 Playground Sub-Committee: Feb 13, 6:30

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**NEXT MEETING**

March 26, 6:30

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**SPECIAL NOTES**

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