

**John Young School Council Meeting - April 27th, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.**

**Google Meet:** <https://meet.google.com/cht-vcuw-sqi?authuser=0&pli=1>

Attendees: Jaime Routliffe (Vice-Chair), Roxanne Driscoll (Vice-Chair), Dwayne Routliffe (OCASC Rep), Rob James (Principal), Kristine Storah (Vice Principal), Amanda Mariscak (Kinder Rep), Jennifer Wilson (Primary Rep), Shane McCheyne (Junior Rep), Robyn Hastie, Sebastian Towler

Absent: Marit Lely (Treasurer), Paula Chang (Secretary), Kevin McHale (OCASC Rep), Aaron Driscoll (OCASC Rep), Laura Dubois (Community Rep)

1. Welcome and Approval of the Agenda (Jaime)
  - a. Approved
2. Review of Minutes - March 2022 (Jaime)
  - a. Approved - minutes can be found on the School Council tab on the JYES website
3. Treasurer Report (Jaime)
  - a. Food Day sales have grossed \$13,734 - estimated profit of about \$6,000.
  - b. The bank balance on April 25, 2022 was \$18,087.42.
  - c. We have outstanding written cheques to pay for teacher reimbursements, clothing, the grade sixes, Maverick's March Break Scavenger Hunt gift cards and Hot Lunches refunds. We will have cheques to write for Domino's, Subway, Poppa Corn and Laura's YIG for apples and apple juice.
  - d. Funds available should be \$9,830.87.
  - e. Robotics - the math and tech budgets were used to purchase BlueBots (Kinder - Grade 1), Ozobots (Grade 2 - 4) and MicroBots (Grade 5 - 6) to create a full robotics plan for the school
4. OCASC Report (Dwayne)
  - a. Minutes can be found on the OCASC website.
  - b. We were unable to attend the last meeting.
5. Principal's Report (Rob)
  - a. School Organization 22/23
    - i. ○ 6 Portables
    - ii. ○ Projected enrollment = 581

**Kindergarten**

1. KJSA
2. KJSB
3. KJSC
4. KJSD
5. KJSE
6. KJSF

**Gr. 1-6 English**

1. R1A
2. R1/2A

3. R2/3A
4. R3/4A
5. R4/5A
6. R5A
7. R5/6A
8. R6A
9. R6B

**Gr. 1-6 EFI**

1. EF1A
2. EF1B
3. EF2A
4. EF2B
5. EF2/3A
6. EF3A
7. EF3B
8. EF4A
9. EF4/5A
10. EF5/6A
11. EF6A

- b. Leaving Ceremony
    - i.  Will be in person
    - ii.  Must be on onsite
    - iii.  2 ceremonies to accommodate numbers
  - c. Staff Absences
    - i.  Continue to manage
  - d. Play Structures Open
    - i.  Starting Friday play structures will be open - will be a schedule to allow all classes to participate
6. Teacher Reports
- a. Kinder (Amanda Mariscak)
    - i. Looking forward to the end of winter! Kids love the picnic tables and hoping to do more outdoor learning with those.
    - ii. looking at end of year celebrations - possibly a picnic with families or just a fun day with students but hoping to invite families to bring back the community feel
    - iii. Kinder Information night coming up - waiting for that date
    - iv. looking to spend the remainder of the budget that was originally being held for next year
    - v. butterflies arrived and the students are excited to see what happens with those
    - vi. duck eggs have arrived in the Beluga class
    - vii. most kids are still wearing masks
  - b. Primary (Jennifer Wilson)

- i. Budget - looking to keep some money to spend next year for the Science of Reading program being promoted by the OCDSB - team is focused on literacy and supporting our students
    - ii. Grade 1 french - Scientists in Schools workshops are booked
    - iii. Grade 3's - Scientists in Schools on plants is booked
    - iv. Coding in Grade 1 math using BeeBots
    - v. Grade 2 french - students are working on their first big research project on animals
    - vi. Mme. Goncalves - project about professions in the community and also working on plants
    - vii. Ms. Wilson - working with plants
  - c. Junior (Shane McCheyne)
    - i. Robotics have been ordered
    - ii. A lot of Scientist in Schools workshops are being booked
    - iii. Mme. Woodward has booked a field trip for some Grade 5 and 6's to Bill Mason Centre in June
    - iv. Scholastic budget has been spent and ordered
    - v. Looking forward to getting outside and using the picnic tables!
- 7. Upcoming Events/Call for Volunteers (Jaime)
  - a. Food Days have started and are going well with just a few kinks to be worked out after 2 years! Students have been very excited! The first popcorn day is on Friday. Thank you to the students from Mme. Woodward, Mr. McCheyne and Ms. Shelley's class for helping with deliveries.
  - b. Bags2School - sent email to confirm pick up for May 20th, waiting for reply
- 8. Other Business (Jaime)
  - a. Yearbook: The yearbook is done! They will be delivered and handed out to students mid to end of June.
  - b. We are still waiting to see if we will be able to have the BBQ.
- 9. Adjournment - Time: 7:01 pm

**Next and Final Meeting: Wednesday, May 25th, 2022**