



DSBN Academy

SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING TERM: 2017/2018 AGENDA

Meeting Date, Time, and Location

Wednesday, February 28 at 6:00 p.m. in the DSBN Academy Learning Commons
Log on to connect.dsbnet.edu.on.ca/academy

Invitees: WE WELCOME ALL PARENTS/CAREGIVERS TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETINGS IN PERSON OR ON THE WEBCAST!

SCHOOL COUNCIL

Carole MacDonald – Chair
Jackie Harrietha – Treasurer/Secretary

DSBN ACADEMY REPRESENTATIVES

Mrs. L. Nazar, Secondary Principal
Mr. B. Daniels, Vice-Principal
Ms. C. Hoffer, Elementary teacher
All Parents/Caregivers

MEMBERS & GUEST

A. Conway
S. Burtenshaw
D. Reid
B. Durrant
N. Hipwell
V. Prince

1) **Introduction and Welcome**

➤ Call to Order – Carole

2) **Principals' Report**

➤ Mrs. Nazar & Mrs. Grieve

- Application update- all applications were due February 16th and continue to come in. Good numbers so far, and the committee has started to review. Decisions will be made prior to March 31
- Course selections- all students have chosen their courses for next year and grade 9s will have a chance to review their elective choices and make changes if necessary
- Exams/Report Cards- secondary exams went smoothly and all report cards were mailed home, elementary reports went out on Feb. 9
- Semester One Honour Rolls- had almost half of our student population on the honour roll for semester 1. Celebrated with a full school assembly on February 28.
- Grad update- Grade 12 on June 27 at Brock again, Grade 8 June 25 here
- Denim, Diamonds and Diplomas- a wonderful evening of fun and laughter. We don't have final figures yet but Brock is anticipating hitting their goal
- RBC Grant- for technology for our grade 12 graduates, \$26 500 has been granted to us
- Bio Link Maker Space Competition- students competed to design a float for the Wine parade, and won first place, now 2nd semester tech class is going to build the float and have earned extra money to go to the program
- Camp Wanakita- Grade 9s heading there in May. Trip being supported by the YMCA, the school and students are going to be asked to pay the minimal cost of \$40 to help cover the cost of transportation and food.
- Grade 10 Overnight conference- happening May 23-24, students will have an opportunity to stay in Brock residence and attend workshops and experience some of university life

- Grade 6s- heading back to Camp in April for the second occurrence. They have been completing some sort of leadership/service project in between based on what they learned the first time there
- Grade 7s- planned a trip to Toronto for the day- very packed with events, information ahs just gone home
- Grade 8 Ottawa trip is planned and fundraising in underway for this
- Intermediate Boys' basketball team won the DSBN tournament and played in the night of champions, losing a close game to Glynn A Green

3) **School Council Discussion**

- Fundraising- Popcorn profit – we made \$701 on the popcorn. Money going to help pay for the use of Brock facility for Grade 12 grad, Grade 8 cake and our parent fun BBQ.

4) **NEW BUSINESS**

5) **NEXT MEETING DATE**

- April 25, 2018- at which point we will be asking for people to form a committee for the BBQ in June

6) **ADJOURNMENT**

→ Motion to adjourn

Moved by: Seconded by:

THAT: The School Council meeting of Wednesday, February 28, 2018 be hereby adjourned at 7 p.m.