

Irwin Memorial Public School
School Council Meeting
Tues December 4, 2018 3:15 pm

In Attendance:

Emma Platts-Boyle-Chair, Sarah Roberts-Co-chair,
Tamara Wright-Secretary,
Christina Demarco, Mel Maxwell.

Principals Report:

- Facility Update-Magnets are going to be installed on the lounge doors. This allows the doors to be open, but also address the fire hazards of having the doors “wedged” open with door stoppers.
- Programming Update-The grant was submitted to the Health Unit in partnership with the high school for the healthy social media education engagement program. Jenn is still waiting to hear the outcome of this application.
- Week of kindness occurred at the school; the older students took a leadership role to help the younger students.
- The book fair occurred as well, the profit was \$225. This will go back into the library.
- The lounge had a field trip to the Table Food Bank; they were then inspired to run a bake sale to raise profits for the food bank. They raised \$170.
- Progress Reports went home to parents on November 16th.
- Parent-Teacher interviews were held Thursday November 22nd.
- \$1350 was sold through the Spirit Wear fundraiser.
- Tickets are being sent home for the gift basket fundraiser that will go toward the lights for the stage that were on the Wishlist. Tickets are 3 for \$5. Baskets are on display in the foyer. The draw will be held at the Christmas concert.
- The lounge will be going to Muskoka Landing. The kids are going to sing songs and make intergenerational connections with the residents there. This will occur on December 17th.
- Tuesday December 18th is the dress rehearsal for the Christmas Concert at 11:30 am; visitors welcome.
- Wednesday December 19th at 6:30 pm is the Christmas Concert.
- Last day of School for the Christmas break is Thur Dec 20th. Students return January 7, 2019.

Hot Lunch Update:

- The hot lunch is scheduled for Thursday December 6th.

Bake sale:

- A bake sale will occur on the evening of the Christmas Concert. If you are interested in baking please contact Emma. Everyone can purchase a beverage and a baked good for \$1.

Fundraising Update:

-The lights for the stage have been ordered and have arrived. The school is hopes to have them up and running for the Christmas concert.

Next Meeting:

-The next meeting will be Wednesday
January 16, 2019 at 3:15 pm.