

## **WEJ School Council Meeting – February 21 2017**

### **1. Principal's Update – Marilyn B.**

- Enrollment for the 2017 – 2018 school year is currently at 633
- Two new student are starting this week (Feb. 20 – 24)
- MFI program has had a low turnout, 24-30 per class
- Evictus game presented Thursday morning.
- RGC presented at the Ottawa 67's game on Feb. 20<sup>th</sup>
- Report cards are going home on Feb. 22<sup>nd</sup> 2017
- Beach day will be happening at the end of the month
- Earl of March chess tournament is coming up
- March break is not too far away!

### **2. January's meeting minutes – Approved**

- November's minutes are still outstanding

### **3. Lunch Program Update – Sutha**

- Went over Term 2 Lunch Program revenues
- Term 3 Lunch Program ordering will be available before March break, and close March 17<sup>th</sup> 2017
- Discussed, in brief, some food related fundraising events (Popcorn day, hot dog day)
- Set the date for the special lunch. This round is JoJo's Pizza (Sub or Wrap). Ordering will close on March 19<sup>th</sup>, and the event will take place Friday, March 24<sup>th</sup> 2017.
- PitaPit orders are in decline, and an alternative should be decided on shortly.

### **4. Financial Report – Laura / Julie**

- Went over the report

### **5. Events – Mandy**

- April event will be a LoneStar night
- February Recap
- April Movie discussed

### **6. Parent Concerns – Megan**

- Parking in front of the building reserved for quick child pick up.
- Plan v Actual enrollment numbers. Using the current system usually ends up in a reorg in September, and teachers are reluctant to really start their curriculum. This ends up wasting 1 month (1 / 10<sup>th</sup>) of the year. Can more proactive measures be taken
- Young and Parent information nights for Drug Use and Discussions. What resources do we have to address the recent events in Kanata.