

Gainsborough School Council

Minutes - *DRAFT*

October 22, 2024.

Attendees: Sandy Huibers, Allison Moore, Jen Dressel, Bre Turl, Susan Sedore, Shari May, Courtney Kelly, Julie Adams, Stacie Reade, Cam & Erica McLaren

Regrets: Tom Adams, Samantha Lachapelle, Shari May

Staff: Lori Peck, Kim Comfort

	Action
<u>Teacher's Report</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•	-All meetings start with land acknowledgement See calendar
<u>Principal's Report</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•	Students want to be together outside of the classroom, diverse ages and grades Alternative spaces Looking for plants for the library, small wooden tables MakerSpace is in progress! Wiring is coming along, the school has purchased several tools Milk program is up and running (will be on trial till Christmas) Volleyball is starting Jr Robotics starting soon Take me outside day Eco team is running Waste reduction week Photo day – Oct 25
<u>Financial Report</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•	See financial report Money has come in for popcorners and coffee We will purchase books with the money we had set aside for Forest of Reading
<u>Fundraising</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•	Pointsettias - \$20 each, \$5 profit Black Sheep – 28 bags sold. Lori will see about sending coffee home with the kids. Krispy Kreme – pick up March 20 – max 300 dozen they charge us \$8 per box, we will charge \$14 Purdy's Chocolates? Spring Plant Sale in May
<u>PIC Committee</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>PIC – Local (Gainsborough)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">•	PIC Conference is Nov 6 at Eden High School from 4-8:15pm – everyone should sign up! There is a vacancy on the PIC committee for our area. Click this link to volunteer:

<p><u>New Business</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 	<p>Mad Science in February (3 & 7) & Spring BBQ (June 12) Playground update – not worth adding wood chips to exercise playground We are hopeful there will be extra asphalt for a basketball net. Movie night – Nov 8, SCO open for snack purchases Hoping for an outdoor classroom after the gym construction using armour stone. We will not re-chip the old playground, we will reserve our money for the primary playground Discussed options for the blue fitness playground (remove? leave? How much will it cost?) Subcommittee Nov 15 6:30pm at Sandy's house Kids are loving the 3-D printer. Lori will investigate the health aspect of it running all the time. List of things that the Maker Space would love to have – hot glue sticks, cardboard, popsicle sticks,</p>
<p><u>Next Meeting</u></p>	<p>Jan 21, Mar 25, May 27 Subcommittee meeting dates pending, as needed.</p>