

Highland Heights School Council Meeting Minutes
Monday April 16th, 2018

Sports:

The grade 7/8 class went to a ball tournament at POW on April 6th.

Jr. Boys Floor hockey with Mr. McBride has been a success.

Whole school swim events continue this year.

Thank you to the staff and coaches.

Assemblies:

World Autism Awareness Day - Raise the Flag!

Down syndrome day.

The LLS classes and the diverse student population at HH supported both of these events.

Pink Shirt Day. Raising of the Pride flag. Equity and Diversity Club sponsored by Ms. Leeder led this assembly.

Jump Rope for Heart Kick off Assembly May 2nd.

Events:

Jersey Day for Humboldt was a great success last Thursday.

Mathletes was a huge success, a school wide program of interactive math sessions.

Our community police officer ran a program for Mrs. Cavanaugh's class.

Free Cycle Café – sponsored by the Health Unit. Third Tuesday of each month. Free hygiene products, gently used clothing and other home items. Free coffee, tea and snacks. Come and sit with your neighbours and find out about community programs offered by the Health Unit.

Persuasive Writing event for cross walk has finished. Mrs. Wood and Ms. Rumble hand delivered the letters to the City. Please see our Twitter feed for details.

Ms. Ross and Mrs. Wood participated in the Spark's photo display with their classes, paid for by The Peterborough Green-Up. Please see our Twitter feed for details. Photos on display out back of the school for the month of April.

Classes continue to use the kitchen for class cooking opportunities.

Spring Water Awareness Program. Each class participated in a levelled program on water safety.

Fire Drills, lock down drills and Spring Bus Evacuation Drills continue in the school. Preparing the students for a variety of situations.

Piano tuner in building. He is inspecting the pianos and tuning them.

The annual Trent Enrichment program for selected grade 7/8 students is running.

Design Workshop in July- Green-Up

We are continuing to work on the NeighbourPLAN process and will be hosting a Design Workshop in July. This will be an event where people from the professional community (planners, architects, engineers) will come together and work with residents on further exploring visions for this community and begin discussing the development of a plan to move the ideas forward. We want the invitation to get a broad reach, but people will have to RSVP as space for this will be limited. People can get in touch with Laura if they want more information.

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Staff Development:

HH is participating in the board wide program called Renewed Math Strategies. Staff are attending further seminars and are enriching/developing their Math programs.

Staff Requests

Parent Council funding of \$5.00 per pupil for trips is requested.

Jimmy Chapman- book for Jan./Feb. 2020.