Glenburnie School Council Meeting Monday September 19, 2022 6:30-7:30

In Attendance:

Sarah, Melisa, Stacey, Emily, Todd, Alyssa, Danielle.

- **1. Approval of June minutes** (Approved)
- 2. Old Business
 - No old business to discuss
- 3. Principal's Report
 - Principal's Update September 19, 2022
 - It has been an excellent start up, with students and staff enjoying the return to 'normal'
 - Because we haven't been limited to cohorts, there have been many leadership opportunities for older students (office helpers, Kinder helpers, DPA Instructors, Yard Pals, Leadership Team)
 - Some reorganization was necessary in order to balance out classroom sizes. This resulted in the 4/5, becoming a 4/5/6. All movements have now occurred.
 - A huge thank you to school council for funding busses for fall field trips. Two classes are going to Gould Lake at the end of the month, and other classes are making plans.
 - Extracurricular Soccer, Cross Country, Terry Fox. Two junior soccer teams are participating in tournaments on Wednesday and Thursday this week. Although we weren't able to find an intermediate team for some of our older students to join, they have been very involved in coaching the younger players and are invited to attend the tournaments. The Terry Fox run is scheduled for October 6th (October 7th rain date). Students will have the opportunity to fundraise virtually (like last year). The link will be sent home in the next newsletter and classes will be doing, 'kick off' activities between now and the 6th .
 - Open House Thursday, September 29th from 4:30-5:30. This is an opportunity for parents to drop in to the school to see the classroom and meet the teacher. It is not intended as a parent teacher conference. If parents wish an opportunity to discuss their child's progress, they should contact the teacher to arrange a time to meet on a different day.
 - French Teacher Matthew Saunders started the year as our French Teacher but was then consolidated, and he is now working at Ecole Maple. Our 0.63 Core French position has been posted and HR has begun the hiring process for this and other positions. Hopefully the new teacher will be able to start next week.
 - Lunch Box We have made the decision to go through 'Lunch Box' as a provider for hot lunches this year. All the work has been done on our end. We are now waiting for them to get back to us with the list of vendors who will deliver to this area. Hopefully we will be able to start hot lunches up soon.
 - PA Day September 26th A focus for this year will be looking at data to determine For whom is the current education system not working and why? -How do I/we know? What can I/we try? What are we, or what am I going to do differently?

4. Treasurer's Report

• Current Account Standings

General Account	\$6545.00 to spend
Maker Space	\$1014.08 to spend

5. New Business

- Boo Bash has returned! Oct 27, 5:30-7:30pm- We will need to look back at minutes or come up with ideas for stations in the gym. What do winners win? Who is baking?
- Fun Fair- We would like this to return in June, but as a community event instead of a fundraiser. Perhaps with tickets ordered online?
- Yearbooks-motion to purchase 1 for every family. 1st Stacey, 2nd Todd
- Jessica will continue to work on the years books, as well as take outdoor fall photos. *Motion for parent council to pay for all fall photos.* 1st Stacey, 2nd Todd

• Elections for 2022/23:

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Co/Chairs	Stacey Andrews/Melisa Harding
Treasurer	Alyssa Wright
Secretary	Sarah Purvis

Motion to adjourn: 1st Stacey, 2nd Todd Next Meeting: **Monday October 17, 2022**