

**Present** – Karen C, Chris P, Gayle K, Cathy C, Elaine S, Sylvia R, Sonja L,

**Start** – 6:33 pm

### **Welcome/Introduction**

**Approval of Agenda** – Elaine S

**May minutes approved by** – Elaine S

### **Principal's Report**

- All students and staff attended a welcome back assembly on September 4<sup>th</sup>, 2018
- Had 3 former students attend the assembly and asked them to talk about what pride in school meant to them
- There are a number of new staff members at the school and there are approximately 690 students this year, which is about 25 more than last year
- There are 31 International students – 19 more than previous year
- There were 3 large school improvement projects over the summer, front parking lot paved, dust collection system installed in the wood shop, and the gym floor was redone
- Timetable changes – encouraging the students not to change but have until next week, and there are no changes just to get into a class with friends
- A change to the criteria for Academic Honour Roll next year
  - 3 A's 1 B for grade 8/9
  - 86% for grade 10
  - 80% for grade 11/12 – is grandfathered in as it affects Blue and Gold cord
- Want to encourage grade 12's to mentor – talk to the link group and walk the halls to help the new students entering the school

### **Chair Report**

- Need a new secretary – going to put on the website and see if we can get some interest
- We received thank- you letters and letters of proof of enrolment from bursary recipients
- Brought up changes to bursary – based on financial need – we want to revamp this to include trades, hairdressing..etc, we will get back to the counsellor as to how we want to proceed.
- Wednesday September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2018 – Raising digital responsible youth workshop at the Henry Grub and it is free of charge

### **Treasurer Report**

- General account - \$1343.45
- Savings account - \$12528.27
- Committed Funds - \$8609.71
- Available Funds - \$3918.56

### **DPAC Report**

- No rep present – but need to contact reps and confirm they are still willing to fulfill their commitment

### **Funding Requests**

- 100 intramural T-shirts – would last 2 years
- These shirts would be given to the winners of the intramural sport
- The cost would be \$720.00 –
- Elaine S approved the \$720.00 plus taxes to cover the cost – Karen C seconded – all in favour
- We only have \$3918.00 available until our gaming funds come in October, we are anticipating approximately \$13000.00

### **New Business**

- No new business

**Next Meeting** – Tuesday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2018 at 6:30pm in Conference room

**Adjournment** – 7:20pm