

McMurrich Jr. P.S. Council

September 25, 2024

McMurrich School Library & TDSB Zoom Link

CO-CHAIRS (2023-24)	Livy Jacobs, Rachel Cooper * seeking re-election 2024-25
SECRETARY (2023-24)	Briar Wells, Danielle Fallone *OPEN 2024-25
CO-TREASURERS (2023-24)	Gwynyth Keir, Jon Hook *OPEN

CO-CHAIRS (2024-25)	Livy Jacobs, Rachel Cooper
SECRETARY (2024-25)	Jennifer Dunk
CO-TREASURE (2024-25)	Eto Gordon, Portia Jhagroo

AGENDA + INTRODUCTION

(Rachel Cooper) & Livy Jacobs

AGENDA	<p>Land Acknowledgement</p> <p>Welcome from your 2024-25 Co-Chairs</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Principal/Vice Principal's Update2. Co-Chairs Update - Livy/Rachel - upcoming dates/events3. Council Executive Committee: Roles & Responsibilities -Overview VOTING MEMBERS: Chair, Secretary, Treasurer4. Committees Overview + sign-ups5. Re/election: Executive Committee6. Committee Circulation [sign-up in person and online]7. Next meeting date confirmation [Tuesdays, 3rd week of month]
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DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● We had a school reorganization <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Got 1 new teacher for grade 5 ○ Some junior classes were over 30 students and are now 24-26 students ○ New classes start Monday ● Curriculum night is October 9, 6-7pm ● Playground update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Paving and track were done over summer ○ New play structure is in and waiting on inspection ○ Baseball backstop being worked on ○ Basketball hoops and pavement painting will probably be done in the spring ○ Funds from school council were used to help with the new build, along with TDSB and city funds ● There is a new gate at the Hendrick entrance that is a problem and not working well ● Student Nutrition Program <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ We received a \$1500 grant from PC Charities ○ Looking for parent volunteers to help plan and run the program ○ We need a fridge, hoping to get it through a PC equipment grant, but donation of a fridge would also be welcome ● All volunteers need a police check ● Terry Fox run will be on September 26th from 9:30-10:10 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ We've raised about \$2,800 of the \$3,500 goal ○ Link will remain open so people can continue to donate ● Lice check on October 10, provided by school council ● Picture day on October 8 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Retakes on November 13 ○ Class photos on January 23rd ● Current sports are cross country, grade 6 boys touch football, 4/5 flag football, 4/5 touch football, 5/6 girls soccer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cross Country meet is at Winston Churchill Park on October 9th ○ Primary kids will take a bus, others will take TTC
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NEW COUNCIL

DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Discussion of council roles ● Council vote <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Co-chairs: Livy and Rachel ○ Secretary: Jenn Dunk ○ Treasurers: Eto Gordon and Portia Jhagroo ○ Members at Large: Ariele Moscone, Romy Matthes, Serah Lefler, Janna Fraser, Briar Wells, Dionne Aleman, Alissa Steinberg, Faithe Holder, David Mandel, Jessica Hamilton, Kate Burgess, Kate Coley, Lauren Bakalar, Melissa Zimmerman, Ariel Platt, Samantha Morris, Lillian buxton, Anika Joester-Stuart, Alexandra Armstrong, Erin Franklin, Talia Klein Leighton
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COMMITTEES

DISCUSSION	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Discussed various committees and will send out a way to sign up <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Communications ○ Outreach & Enrichment (Movie Night, Dance-a-thon, Spirit Wear) ○ Fundraising (each event has a different lead) - Fun Fair, Holiday Market, Pizza Lunch, Wine Survivor ○ EDI (includes BSA, Holocaust Ed, Pride) ○ Grade 6 Grad ○ Safe Schools ○ Road Community/Safety ○ Nutrition Program (will also help with organizing the Teacher appreciation lunch *end of year*) ● Tentative event dates <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Fun Fair - May 29 or June 5 ○ Holiday market - December 8 ○ Dance-a-thon - November 16
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COUNCIL MEETINGS

REVIEW	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● October 15 ● November 19 ● January 21 ● February 18 ● April 15 ● May 20 ● June 17
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ADJOURNMENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 8:15 pm
NEXT MEETING	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● October 22 at 7pm ● If in person, childcare is provided
ATTACHMENTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sign in sheet