North Toronto Collegiate Institute School (Parent) Council Monday, October 7, 2019 7:30pm Room 215

Welcome & Announcements

 <u>Jess Hungate (Chair)</u> An introduction about the Parent Council meetings and introducing all the current active members before the election.

Student Council Update

Kamil Mamdani & Sam Barton (Student Council President and Sr. Vice President)

- a) Red and Gray day is one of the biggest events of the year, busy with a number of programs including sports activities such as field hockey game, basketball, and other sports, students can watch the games.
- b) Later this year, in January (the week of January 21) we have charity week, this year the charity is skylark and mental health.
- c) The big thing is we are going to start up the committees.
- d) Social media: Facebook and Instagram. Instagram is the most active social media that the students are engaged with the most.
- e) Club fair, introducing over 40 clubs this year, encourage your kids to get involved with the clubs they like the most.
- f) Later this month will be a musical carnival, October 18th.
- g) Music Retreat: October 31st. YMCA Geneva Park. From grade 9 to grade 12.
- h) We have prom committees. Working on the prom ceremony, this will be held in the same place like the previous year.

Principal's Update

- Mr. William Mack (Principal)
 - a) Policies: Because of the constructions: we ask the kids to leave home earlier to be at school by 9 am.
 - b) Absents for the day: Please call in and let the school know about the absence of your child.
 - c) If a child misses a class and there are no reasons provided a voice mail message will be sent, if you are not getting them please call us and check the right phone number.
 - d) We have almost 1400 students for this year
 - e) We started today with mindful Monday, we have this on Mondays with Yoga instructors
 - f) ESL classes: All classes are full

- g) Gray day is always a hectic and exciting day
- h) University fair: next week on the 15th. 45 universities are attending. If you missed this event you can go to every college and university, Jennifer Schwartz you can call her guidance office: 416-393-9180/ Jennifer.schwartz@tdsb.on.ca, School Staff that can help you with the university
- i) Go over the school calendar in order to review the important dates and events of the year.

Staff Update

- <u>Mr. Rice</u> (Teacher/Music department)
 - a) Music Retreat: 300 students attending (October 30 to November 1)
 - b) December 5th is the Fall Fair which is the annual holiday concert.
 - c) December the 17th Presenting Tchaikovsky.
 - d) Music trip to Chicago during the March break, the number of the students is not enough, the trip might not happen.

Treasurer's Update

Janet Victor (Treasurer)

We open this year with \$11,070.

We've received 7 requests, two of them were crucial that have been approved:

- a. Student Council, \$1000 for Red & Gray Day the whole amount of \$1000 was approved
- b. Music Dept, \$5000 for the music retreat Oct 30-Nov 1 : \$2000 Was approved

Election of Council Executive members

Jess Hungate: Announcing the roles that are needed the most. Reminding that all the roles are open.

The results are as below (positions were elected by the Executive Council meeting after the meeting):

- Jess Hungate: Chair and Co-ward liaison
- Janet Victor: Treasurer
- Ellie Morch: Co-secretary
- Simin Keramati: Co-secretary
- Will Ollerhead: Co-speaker Coordinator
- Nicky Woldetsadik: Co-speaker Coordinator
- Melania Hobbs: Communications Coordinator
- Shanshan Tang: Co- ward liaison
- Koo Chun: Co-community event organizer
- Carmela Caramico: Co-community event organizer
- Andrea Stephens: Member at large
- Linda Rose: Member at large
- Nyandyea Mukirya: Co-Grade 9 Parent Rep
- Barbara Kornovski: Co-Grade 9 Parent Rep

Next Meeting: October 28, 2019

SEE YOU THERE!!!

The **NTCI School Parent Council** provides a forum for parents and other members of the school community to contribute to student achievement and performance.

The School Parent Council has several methods of communicating with parents:

- NTCI School Parent Council Facebook Group: Please join the new group at https://www.facebook.com/groups/1336801883128478/.
- **<u>@NTCL_parents</u> on Twitter**: Search for and follow @NTCL_parents on Twitter.
- Email List: Please subscribe to our email list at <u>http://eepurl.com/dyB_p9</u>.

Please also subscribe to Mr. Mack's weekly parent emails at https://ntci.on.ca/main-office/mailing-l

| Cash Flow | | |
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| 2018-08-01 through 2019-07-31 (in Canadian Dollars) | | |
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| INFLOWS | | E 020 27 |
| Carry Forward PRO Grant reimbursement | | 5,838.27 |
| Student Fees | L,000.00 | 22,640.00 |
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| OUTFLOWS | | |
| Clubs | | |
| Classics | | 1,000.00 |
| Engineering | | 200.00 |
| ESL-Amnesty International Book Club | | 1,000.00 |
| Indigenous Youth Exchange Team | 550.00 | |
| Robotics | | 1,000.00 |
| TOTAL Clubs | | 3,750.00 |
| Departments | | |
| Health and Physical Education | | 1,300.00 |
| History | | 550.00 |
| Modern Languages and Classics | | 1,100.00 |
| Music | | 2,000.00 |
| Social Studies and English | 600.00 | |
| Visual Arts | | 1,000.00 |
| TOTAL Departments | | 6,550.00 |
| Fees & Charges | | |
| Bank Fee | | 14.85 |
| TOTAL Fees & Charges | | 14.85 |
| PALS | | 1,500.00 |
| PROM Committee | | 1,000.00 |
| School Council | | |
| Admin | | 191.70 |
| Council meeting refreshments | | 52.63 |
| Appreciation breakfast | 512.68 | |
| Graduation Reception – Sept'18 | 977.08 | |
| | L,181.92 | |
| Speaker Honoraria | , | 1,166.63 |
| TOTAL School Council | | 4,082.64 |
| Sports Teams | | |
| Boys Hockey | | 760.00 |
| TOTAL Sports Teams | | 760.00 |
| Student Council | | 750.00 |
| TOTAL OUTFLOWS | : | 18,407.49 |
| OVERALL TOTAL | : | 11,070.78 |