

ETHEL M JOHNSON SCHOOL COUNCIL MEETING

DATE: March 14, 2023 TIME: 6:00PM LOCATION: Teams Meeting

Attendance: Elke Coleman, Jennifer Froese, Susan Elies-Guss (AP), Alison Erion, Marina Clark (P), Amy Jones, Ms. Laney (Music) and Kristel Burton

MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 6:02pm by Elke Coleman

2. Introductions

3. Call for additions to Agenda – None

4. REPORTS

- **PRINCIPAL'S REPORT-** Ms. Marina Clark and Ms Susan Elies-Guss
 - i. New EMJ Website
 - ii. Gratitude – Division 1 (kindergarten – Grade 3) classes spent a week at the Canyon Meadows pool for swimming lessons. Great week! Thanks to council for providing funds
 - iii. School Planning Engagement Results - CBE
 - 1. Grades 4, 7 and 12 are surveyed
 - iv. EMJ is the Acadia Overflow School
 - 1. Influx of students from Welcome Center the past couple of weeks
 - 2. This week 4 kindergarten starts
 - v. School Development Plan – Numeracy, Literacy and Wellness focused
 - 1. Funding in January, large influx of English language learners
 - vi. Staffing Update
 - 1. Ms Lim – Student teacher in Grade 1 & 2, in Grade 4 after spring break
- **COUNCIL REPORT-** Elke Coleman
 - i. 2023 Spring Fundraising
 - 1. Fill your freezer – Teamfund Online
 - 2. Pickup will be on April 26th
 - ii. Spring Activity & Events
 - 1. Spring concert – April 11th – Division 2 (Grade 4-6)
 - 2. Spring Dance – May 9th or 23rd
 - Cookie dough/muffins for sale at dance
- Motion to buy Fabric for Music - \$200 by Kristel Burton, seconded by Jen Froese
 - i. All in Favor - passed
- **TREASURER'S REPORT – Jennifer Froese**
 - i. See attached report/budget

5. OTHER BUSINESS

- Open Floor- Q&A Period
- Next meeting April 9th, 2024

6. MOTION TO CLOSE: Motion by Elke Coleman 7:10pm