

# NHS School Council Meeting Tuesday October 4

Meeting time: 6:30pm Staff Room

## 1. Introductions

## 2. School Council Background

- **Legislation:** “A school council may, at its discretion, advise the principal and the board respecting any matter relating to the school”.

## 3. Agenda Items

- School Council vs. Parent Advisory Council (what are the differences?)  
School Council advises the school on goals/PAC is the fundraising arm
- **2022-2023 Volunteers for this year’s Executive School Council**
  - President - Ashley Reid
  - Vice-President – Amy Pilat
  - Secretary/Treasurer – Mara Needham
  - Director – Michelle Bryson
  - Director – Raquel Abbott
  - Director – Briana Bertin
  - Director – Kory Farrants
  - Director – Jessica Watt
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  - Director - Jason Whaley
  - Director - Terry Kaminski
- **Staffing**
  - CLES Grade 3 - 70 students
  - Grade 4 (4 Classes) - 91 students
  - Grade 5 (4 classes) - 94 students
  - Grade 6 (4 classes) - 75 students
  - Grade 7 (4 classes) - 86 students
- **Meet the teacher** - Tues, Sept 13th 6pm-7pm
- **Extracurricular** - VBall grade 7, grade 6
- **Intramurals** - Grade 4/5 at lunch
- **Hot lunch and booth** - Hot lunch up and running
- **School Funding and Budget** - We are balanced for the budget. Now, NLPS covers the cost of the staffing. We opt in for everything else depending on what is needed . We receive approx \$400 per student for this.
- **COVID Update** - recommended for 5 days of self-isolation after symptoms appear.
- **NHS School Plan in progress with a focus on student wellness and numeracy**
  - Staff Working in Grade Level Groups ( Numeracy, Wellness)
  - Looking at Student Wellness Survey
- **School Photos** - Oct 13th. Retakes on Thursday, November 3rd
- **Communication** - website, School Messenger, email for parent contact to teachers

- **Fire Drill and Lockdown Comments** – 3 fire drills completed, 3 lockdowns completed
- **Extracurricular activities** – Cross Country October 5th, Mountain Bike (completed), Volleyball 7 teams, 5/6 Looking at House League in school (cohorts)
- **Wellness survey** - Teacher Reviewed DAT
- **October Counselor Connections** - Available on web site - already pushed out to parents.
- **Grade 6/7 Transition to CLJH next year**
- **Questions, additional items?**

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## NHS Parent Advisory Council Meeting Tuesday October 4

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### 1. **Agenda Items: Election of Officers**

- **2022-2023 Volunteers for this year's PAC Executive**
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- **PAC Account (Casino)** - as of July 31, 2022 - \$12, 687.67
- **Check signing authorities** - required (TBD)
- **Gaming Return** - Completed in October 23rd (latest)
- **Casino Update** - NEW DATE Q4 2024 (OCT/NOV/DEC)
- **Playground - Moving forward we will need to look at planning for a new playground**
  - **Fundraising, grants, etc**

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