



Home & School Association

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W H Morden, Home and School Association September 10, 2018 7:00 p.m. at 180 Morden Rd, Oakville MINUTES

Number of people present:

1.0 Opening Welcome – Tricia Bryars

- **Volunteer to take minutes - Andrea**
- **Welcome, and why join Home and School** – OFHSA network, opportunity to influence public policy, leadership training. Open to all 18+ (interested in welfare of children, teachers, community members and family members).
- **Round Table Intro** – Everyone stated their name, and name/grade of student
- **Tracey Ehl Harrison our Trustee** – encourage all to stay involved, describes what a trustee's role is, passes our council/HS news from the Board, first human rights symposium hosted by HDSB coming December 4, [HLF Benefit Bash](#) – HLF helps students in need, silent auction items are accepted, Board meeting about HDSB funding and talks are continuing as well as change to curriculum. LTAP wasn't accurate and the board is going through changes with FI program, late enrolment (Aug/Sept) is a factor in this area, boundary review process starting soon in Burloak area, LTAP takes place every Spring

2.0 School Council and Administration Welcome

- **Council Introduction** – distinction b/w H&S and School Council, PIC rep needed
- **Administration Welcome (Conan and Maria)** – Conan introduction, thank you for making time to come, anything you can contribute and volunteer we'll take it, lots of new students from Oakwood in grade 6/7, new welcome sign being installed at the front of the school, hoping to continue beautifying the school, initiative that's staff driven "Choose Kind", all staff have activities and staff driven ideas around that vision, 2 big things happening – Jungle Sport and Aussie X coming in the next few weeks, Open House (October 4), Photo Day (October 16). Open house will have Aussie X and book fair in the library.

3.0 Home and School

- **President (Tricia Bryars)** – home and school outline and vacant positions – Secretary, Captain of Communication/Social Media. Briefly touched on membership and plans for the year.
- **Vice President** – membership – To participate in the voting of Morden's HASA, membership is required by the OFHSA @ \$15.00 a year. It is a household membership, one voting privilege. Payment can be made through the HASA webpage (paypal) or in cash to one of the executive committee members/at a meeting.
- **Fundraising (Christene and Kim)**
 - Overview of fundraising through the year
 - Mable's Labels ongoing
 - Bowling night
 - Meet the Teacher Night – call for volunteers
 - 2 Fall Fundraisers – Budding Artists (Oct), and Soup in a Jar (Nov)
 - Pizza Lunches – introducing Jennifer Scott, call for helpers
 - Lunch Box Vendor – Lunch Lady, Pita Pit/Subway through LunchBox, Kidessentials, Pizza Day



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➤ Milk Program

- **Treasurers Report (Rajeev)** – Financial update – expected budget for year to be set – available funds \$6,380, food programs still the largest fundraiser for HASA, working on revision of budget form to see incoming as well as outgoing

4.0 New Business

- Looking for volunteer to put together Home and School information for the new gifted students/new families. Materials will be provided.

5.0 Open Forum

- Breakfast program volunteers needed M,T,W, won an award last year for best food/nutrition, 7:15-8:30am time commitment, goal is to talk about the breakfast program and bring awareness to the program and healthy eating. Cart program may start up again soon. Happy to help with a health focus night. Program funded by Halton Food for Thought and grant money

6.0 2018/2019 Upcoming Meeting Dates (7:00 p.m.)

- **Oct 15**
- **Nov 12**
- **Dec 10**

7.0 Closing / Adjournment