

## **SCC Minutes – May 5, 2025**

1. Call to order
2. Approval of minutes – approved from Feb 10/25 – Nicole J
3. Principal's Report – Jimmy Chapman and spring assembly were well received.
  - Proposed date and time for graduation is June 24, 2025 @1pm
  - EQAO scheduled for June 26, 2025
  - May 7, 2025 – welcome to kindergarten orientation
  - opt-in for buses has been approved
  - board is considering changing the volunteer annual reference screening to annual declarations – feedback is being welcomed at krpschools.ca
  - 3 fire drill are scheduled for this spring along with 1 lockdown
  - yearbooks – due to the publisher May 7, 2025. Orders have now closed. We may have extras available for purchase on a first come first served basis. Min order was 100 and we sold around 70. Delivery date for this has not yet been determined
4. Teacher's report
5. Treasurer's report – Krispy Kreme – sold 59 boxes for a total profit of \$413. Money was used towards bussing for the grade 6 trip to Camp Kawartha.
  - \$2450 has been raised (up until March) from hot lunches
  - all of the teacher-allotted funding has been used
  - end of year balance is just approximately \$3400
  - \$1000 set aside for festive lunch
  - \$1000 set aside for teacher allocation
  - \$500 set aside for spring playground equipment
  - \$500 set aside for playground/park maintenance (Sept-Oct 2025)
6. Regional Council Updates – education topics included math and literacy
  - discussed the opening of Northglen School – proposed for January 2026
  - SCC fundraising was discussed – emphasis placed on not using fundraising for tech equipment due to ownership regulations
  - discussion around the board deficit and how that deficit was going to be made up. Parents express concern over the impact of the cuts on education
7. Discussion items
  - a. Krispy Kreme – sold 59 boxes with a profit of \$7/box = total profit \$413

b. Yearbook 2024-2025 – May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2025 – orders into the publisher. Closed on School Cash Online. Sold just over 70 and needed a minimum order of 100 – extras may be available for purchase.

c. School Council Dialogue Invitation - @ old Kirby school on May 15, 2025, at 6pm – Iva to resend out invitation. Great opportunity to meet trustees and find out what other SCCs are doing for engagement and fundraising.

d. School Staff Appreciation Day – Iva and Ashley decorated the staff room and set out snacks and drinks for the staff 😊

e. Funfair – June 5<sup>th</sup> 530-730pm

- all food and drinks have been donated to keep costs low
- BHS is providing volunteers to run the games and events
- fire department is running the BBQ
- Brimacombe will be setting up games, Larry Potter bounce castles, face painting, and games will be available
- raffle to include donated items, such as a quilt from Annies, lit cards from Brimacombe, and family passes from Jungle Cat World – tickets to be purchased via cash on site and a skill-testing question to be answered once the winners have been drawn
- good and game cards will be available on School Cash Online until June second for pre-purchase as well as available for purchase cash on site

f. Santa Clause Parade Button Design – Iva provided templates. Each class to participate and hand in by end of May. Orono BA and the parade committee to decide on winner – Buttons to be sold at school, local shops, and at the parade.

g. Next year (Sept)- SCC to try and recruit parents/community members to help with planning events, lunches, and fundraisers – Iva will slowly be reducing her workload 😞 discussed breaking the SCC into sub-committees (e.g. funfair committee or festive lunch committee).

- planning to commence for funfair, fundraising, festive lunch, etc.
- Dec – PRO grant – discuss ways to get the parents involved in how the money is spent (e.g. mental health seminar)
- Iva to contact Orono Fair Committee to find out when the deadline is to request a booth for the children's art display

