

Lakeview Public School
Parent Council Meeting
October 5, 2012

Attendance: Vi Richardson	Andrea Jack, Principal
Tracey	Mr. Anderson, Vice Principal
Lynne Simons	Barb Gaspic, Teacher Representative
Mike Capozzolo	Rob Ribaric, Council Chair
Vicky Beaudry	Lori McBride, Secretary
Emily Ens	

After introductions, the DSBN Parent Conference was discussed. The conference will be on Wednesday, November 2 from 4:00 pm to 8:30 pm at Eden High School, 535 Lake Street in St. Catharines. "21st Century Learners: Where parents fit in" is the title and ideas on how to make our school council bigger and better will be discussed. All parents are welcome

Fundscrip is our latest fundraiser and is headed by Emily Ens. You can purchase gift cards from a variety of retailers as gifts or as a great way to budget for your family's needs. A percentage is donated back to the school! www.funscrip.com/loginorsignup.aspx The invitation code for Lakeview School is: Y4YNQ5

To date, there have not been many members sign up. We will be sending home a letter explaining this fundraiser and Mrs. Jack and Mrs. Gaspic will speak to the other teachers.

Principal's Report:

1. Mrs. Jack submits a "wish list" to plant each year.
The following were done in 2010-2011:
 - Curtains for both kindergarten classrooms and the stage in the gym.
 - The playgrounds have been checked for safety and all have been rototilled and work orders for repairs
 - Lighting in the Intermediate wing will be updated in 2011-2012
 - 6 new Smartboards have been installed in junior/intermediate classrooms. The cost was about \$7,000/Smartboard plus installation.
2. Lakeview EQAO results show that both primary and junior grades did quite well and exceeded the provincial scores in all areas.
3. The Magazine Fundraiser was down a bit from other years as we sold approximately \$26,300. Lakeview will receive 37% of this amount less the cost of all the prizes. This fundraiser is ongoing until spring and orders continue to be submitted all year online.
 - a. The Council decided there would, again, be a trip allotment of \$10 per student.
 - b. The Council will also pay for Carousal Players theatrical presentation for Primary students (JK-3).

The meeting closed with a tour of the school and a demonstration of the Smartboard technology and connection to daily learning by Mr. Anderson.

The Council meetings for this year will tentatively be: November 23, January 25, March 7 and April 18 all at 6:30 pm in the Staff Room.

The new email address for the school is: lav@dsbn.org