



**Norwood Park School Council Agenda**  
**November 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025**  
**6:15pm – 7:15pm**  
**Music Room**

**Attendees:**

In Person: Ian Pellizzari (Interim Principal), Shauna DeWolfe (Teacher), Janelle Gallacher (Teacher), Shannon-Leigh Chandler (Chair), Saran Forbes (Secretary), Lisa Major (Equity Committee Chair), Kim Thompson, Tom Overgaard, Tuyen N, Amber Yorke, Courtney Mitchell, Brigit Allen, Cassandra Timms, Kristina Llewellyn, Kim Stala, Janice Allen

Online Attendees: Frehiwot Pachaev, Meera Shan, Megan Dickson

<b>Agenda Item</b>	<b>Notes</b>
Land Acknowledgement	Read by Mme Gallacher
Welcome	Round of Intros done with all attendees
Approval of Last Meeting Minutes	Approved
Approval of Current Agenda	Reviewed by Shannon-Leigh & approved by all
Reports	<p><b>Chair Report</b>-Shannon-Leigh</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Scholastic/Mini Mall- Mme Lundi mini-mall held on the last day of scholastic book fair. They will be scheduled separately next year.</li> <li>▪ Pizza Pizza- ongoing, at 70 pizzas per week (\$300-\$400 p.w.)</li> <li>▪ Pita Pit over \$1000 a week in Pitas and Smoothies. 2 new volunteers (3 total)-</li> </ul>

volunteers welcomed. Mary/teachers will decide how to distribute extra 2/3 per week.

- Spirit Wear cut off was today; orders should be received by Christmas. Discussion with Kathleen on deadlines for next year.
- Holiday Lunch Dec 12<sup>th</sup> -at least 3 sittings, a lot of volunteers, will move forward. Several meetings held to date. \$10 price point with a donation option. Open to donations for plates, disposables/cutlery.
- Treasurer report- \$5k profit in the account. We previously agreed to spend 10/11k. No separate approval needed for holiday lunch and other agreed upon items. Will revisit with Caitlin in January.

#### Principal Report-M. Pellizzari

- Interview week; all teachers available to talk to (Music, Phys Ed etc. included)
- Wed afternoon drill for shelter in place (non-police related)- it will be business as usual.
- Next week is a hold and secure; the lock down will be at a later date (date and time will be communicated in advance).

#### Teacher Report-Mme DeWolfe

- Basketball season coming up, looking for coaches
- Eco club started recycling Pita Pit smoothie cups
- Robotics tournament is next Thursday
- Lots of school trips and events
- Holiday concert in the works ~Dec 16<sup>th</sup>. Not all classes may be participating.
- Movie night this week
- Holiday hamper organized by Mme Lundy to support 6 different families. The information

	<p>will be sent home. Grocery gift cards always appreciated.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Anti-bullying week this week, messaging today was on being an ally.</li> <li>▪ Photo retake day tomorrow</li> </ul> <p>Home &amp; School-Amber Yorke</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Pumpkin stroll went well; no meeting held since</li> </ul>
<p>Pro Grant-Equity Committee</p>	<p>Chair-Lisa Major</p> <p>Proposed to book an anti-racism workshop with Get-Real to align with HDSB’s initiative on dismantling anti-black racism. Tentatively booked for Thursday, January 29<sup>th</sup>, which aligns with the start of Black History Month. Will be an in-person event at the gym (6:30pm-8pm). There will be an option for childcare, however the event is a parent, caregivers and teacher event.</p> <p>Anti-black racism books will be on display at the library.</p> <p>Cost \$1,000+HST.</p> <p>Asking for \$230 to cover possible deficiencies. Council approved. Interim principal submitted. Deadline for submitting was the 21<sup>st</sup>.</p> <p>The group was allocated funds from last year’s budget for the Moccasin project. Tom Overgaard is working with them to narrow down to the week of Dec 8<sup>th</sup> to run the day project; hoping to have a firm date by end of next week. Will not be booked same day as holiday party or class trips.</p>

	<p>Committee working on a 1-page quarterly newsletter to discuss equity issues, highlight community events, share resources etc. Would also use this to profile the work teachers are already doing in this area.</p> <p>Projected schedule:  Nov-Indigenous  Jan-Anti-Black Racism  April-food security  June-LGBTQ</p> <p>Committee has approval to have a bulletin board. Janice will spearhead and work in tandem with the school. First edition will feature holidays from around the world. The board will follow the themes the committee is working on for the year. The newsletter will be on the bulletin board as well.</p>
New Business	<p>No new business.</p> <p>Jan 13<sup>th</sup> is the next meeting.</p> <p>Future meeting date is changing from April 14<sup>th</sup> to the 7<sup>th</sup>.</p>
Adjournment	6:56pm