Parent Council Meeting June 24th 2020

Attendance: Claire Snider, Krista Warren, Crystal Ennis, Janice Trickey, Ashley Telford, Barb Badour. Jeff Crawford, Bonny Laberge

School Council Admin Report June 24th,

- Teachers worked hard during the distance learning period to engage as many students as possible in as well as in maintaining connections with students and families who weren't participating. We learned a lot about technology and teaching remotely very fast!
- We had an average of 62% of students participating. Technology and internet speeds were a barrier for many.
- Budget; monies that weren't spent this year will be rolling over to next year, except for the transportation and pro grant funds.

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Staffing: We are welcoming 6 new staff members to Glen Tay in September and our remaining staff are taking on new roles.

- Courtney Mason Kindergarten and Drama/dance/music. We also get to keep Angela Cameron as our ECE.
- Lisa Couch-Blackburn will be teaching grade one class
- Samantha MacNeil will be teaching the grade two/three class.
- Nicholas MaCabe will be teaching the grade four/five class
- Evan Barr will be taking on the role of SET for .6 of the day and then teaching the grade five/six class for .4 of the day.
- Jessica McTavis will be teaching .6 of the grade 5/6 class, however will be on maternity leave until next May so we will be hiring an occasional teacher in the fall for this position.

- Pamela Kelley will be teaching core French and covering the Kindergarten room when Courtney is teaching the Arts. She is also on maternity leave until December so we will be filling her role with an occasional teacher as well.
- We have three new full-time educational assistants. Their names are Laura Kubisheski, Barbara Osborne-Monaghan and Melanie Graham.
- We are sharing all of this information in the newsletter that will be included with the report cards.

There are no concrete answers about next year. I can assure that we will be following the health and safety directions given by the province, the board and our local public health unit. Information is expected to trickle out over the summer. The board has indicated that they will be sending updates via MyFamilyRoom and FB throughout the summer and we will using the same method to sharing any information specific to GT students.

Financial Report: Not given at this time.

McMillian orders to be delivered in Sept.

Refund to be sent out for hot lunch orders.

Next meeting for the new school year Sept 9th 2020.