

Parent Council Minutes: January 2015

Principal Report:

Budget 2015-2016 Finalized

- Adding ESL teacher, half-time para-professional, full-time sub para-professional
- Expanding counselor support to include additional and more robust social skills interventions
- Help to fund Making Music Matters and Elliot school partnership (school day art)

Update on extended day

- Attended meeting about being a year 1 start school
 - Putting together a letter of why we would be a good 1st year start school but only if we could change start time of school to 8:30 am. (Explicitly asked if changing to earlier start/positive feedback/shouldn't be a deal breaker.)

Treasurer Report:

Balance 1592 + 2400(Crowdrise fundraiser) + dress down day fundraiser in December?

- Owe money for Making Music Matters (500), Razz Kids (200), and Buses for field trips (750)

-Allocated last school year for this school year 2014-2015

- Teacher's wish list still needs to be decided/how much money being allocated to each, etc.

-Parents going to reach out to each class and see what if anything parents are willing to contribute or donate.

Fundraising Committee:

Pancake Breakfast Update March 14th 9-11

- Need raffle items and volunteers for setup/serving.
- Irish dancers for entertainment at 10 am.
- Advertising needs to be done soon.