

Annual General Meeting Minutes

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<u>Date:</u> May 16, 2013

Location: Fisher Park School, 250 Holland Avenue, Library

Members Schools: (30/70 member schools)

Adrienne Clarkson ES-Carrie Eaton (Co-Chair),

Marti Falcone (Liaison Officer)
Barrhaven PS-Ellen Dickson
Bayview PS-Dawn Harrison
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Berrigan ES-Susan Klimchuk (Co-Chair) Bridlewood Community ES-Andrea Haas Broadview PS-Bobby Chawla (Liaison Officer)

Canterbury HS-Nadine Clarke
Castlefrank ES-Josh Kemp
Cedarview MS-Ellen Dickson
Connaught PS-Carlo Difelice
Dunlop PS-Craig Tiberi

Emily Carr MS-Robert Hawgood Farley Mowat PS-Tarek Gergawi First Avenue PS-Chari Marple Glebe CI-Lillian Thomsen Glen Cairn PS-Paul Warner

Non-Member Schools: None

Guests: Allison Buchanan (OCDSB Policy Analyst)

Glen Ogilvie PS-Kate Unrau Hawthorne PS-Louise Crawford Huntley Centennial PS-Mark Tymowski John McCrae SS-Nicola Hemstock

Katimavik ES-Marcia Goodfellow

Knoxdale PS-Geoff Pearce Manordale PS-Cathy Babyak (Membership)

Pleasant Park PS-Cecilia Lee Rideau HS-Chris Ellis (Treasurer) Riverview AS-David Benes

Roch Carrier ES-Shannon Walker Steve MacLean PS-Jared Langdon

Stittsville PS-Coreen Tyers Stonecrest ES-Jen Muise Trillium ES-JP Grimes

Woodroffe Avenue PS-Tara Finlay

- 1. **Approval of Agenda**: agenda approved with amendments noted by Carrie.
- 2. Approval of Minutes: minutes approved.
- 3. Year-end Reports:
 - a. Membership Secretary: 68 schools are members this year. Highest attendance was in October. Average of 45 per meeting, up higher than last two years. Zone 11 has only one school as a member. 14 of 25 secondary schools are members.
 - b. Treasurer: Proposed three recommendations:
 - i. Acceptance of provisional 2012-2013 year-end report and direct the OCASC Treasurer to bring the finalized 2012-2013 year-end report to the OCASC assembly in September 2013 for ratification;
 - ii. Acceptance of the proposed budget for 2013-2014;
 - iii. That the Assembly authorize OCASC Executive to use the PRO (Parents Reaching Out) Grant funds on initiative(s) that meet the PRO Grant criteria.

Summary of budget discussed:

Chris encouraged OCASC to obtain council insurance next year. Steve MacLean would like to amend budget with line item for PRO Grant expense to match PRO Grant asset funds. Castlefrank asked if intent is to reduce running total on operating revenues. Chris and Carrie said yes. Woodroffe Ave. asked if the Board could pay for the upcoming council workshop can the PRO Grant money be used for their school instead or can a group of schools get together to



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partner and use those funds. Carrie replied yes but the money needs to be used this year. Cedarview asked if there is a minimum we should aim to leave in the budget. Carrie said yes and that it should be added to the Constitution to always maintain a minimum threshold. Farley Mowat had a membership fee question.

Budget passed unanimously.

- c. Nomination Committee:
 - i. Chair: Susan Klimchuk
 - ii. Vice Chair: open
 - iii. Treasurer: open Chris Ellis volunteered to help until January
 - iv. Communications Officer: Chris Bridgen
 - v. Recording Secretary: April Boomer
 - vi. Membership Secretary: Cathy Babyak
 - vii. Liaison Officers: Bobby Chawla; Tracy Neufeld; Marti Falcone