

**November 21st 2016**

## **WCSS School Council Meeting Minutes**

Meeting started at 7:05pm.

### **Previous meeting minutes (October):**

- Proposed by Marylou, seconded by Shelley. Approved.

### ***Student Council***

#### **Update:**

- Ontario Student Leadership
- Motivational speakers
- Shared stories

#### **Spy vs Spy:**

- Starts next week
- Have name tags > find the other
- Watch the video
- There are “safe zones”

#### **Grandparents Tea:**

- Dec. 2nd 1-2pm
- Tea & coffee
- Live music
- Registration started today
- Sign up sheet in Guidance office

#### ***Winter Dance:***

- Dec. 8th
- Glow Dance
- Food drive
- \$5 or 5 food items to get in

#### **Pep rally:**

- Next Thursday
- Wear spirit wear/or blue/orange/white
- Senior boys basketball game

#### **Talent Show:**

- Wed/Thurs after school

#### **Food drive:**

- Last 2 weeks of December

## **22 push up challenge for PTSD:**

- The challenge has raised over \$80,000 in Canada
- Our goal is \$1000 > so far we've raised around \$750
- Significance of 22 is # of Americans committing suicide everyday
- Wrapping up challenge next Thursday

## ***Administrator's Report - Mr Evans***

### **Dance**

- stage was a success: multiple workshops

### **Shoebox drive:**

- 63 boxes sent

### **Remembrance Day:**

- ceremony was attended well, and beautiful. Thurs

### **Open house:**

- Dec 1st @ 6pm
- Mr Evans will be going to visit the feeder schools to talk about Centennial
- There will be a draw for Spirit wear

### **Student Achievement:**

- in paper regarding a Scholarship to Tampa

### **DSBN:**

- School is getting a new turf field: will include an 8 lane track

### **EQAQ:**

- will be marking some of the papers
- including ones that were completed
- and including some that were substantially completed

## ***Drama***

### **Max Ingrao**

- Is the new Drama teacher
- From Welland, was at Stamford Collegiate
- Started the 22 push up challenge
- Involved in the Remembrance Day ceremony: You-Tube video "Highway of Heroes" Centennial
- Had 1 rehearsal the day before as a group.

### **Centennial's Musical Production**

- dramatic production/collective creation
- ensemble: you are all equal
- powerful social justice

- twist > young indigenous girl
- will be working with DSBN Advisors
- 20 actors/ 15 production
- minimalist stage
- **Feb. 22/23 rd 40 mins long**
- next week: Sears Drama Festival

### **Trip to NYC in May**

- Seeing musicals
- Announce next year's musical

### **"Open Mic"**

- @ lunchtime Max started "Open Mic"
- students can sign up to sing, poetry, comedy etc
- every friday or every other friday
- limited seating, located in the drama room

### **Open House**

- will have the YouTube video from remembrance day ceremony on loop
- will bring info to the feeder schools regarding the "open mic"

### ***Other Business***

### **Meeting Notifications:**

- Email reminder for council, possibly twice before the meeting
- Robo call out before the meeting?

### **Various:**

- Poetry Competition: Winner & runner up were both from Centennial!!
- Junior Girls playing SOSSA tomorrow

### **Next meeting:**

- January 23rd