



Awaiting for contribution agreement to be processed. Odessa signed necessary paperwork for funding to be released.

## 5. **Principal's Report:**

- Enrolment: 378
- Dance: Success: Feedback, was to perhaps shorten to 8:30 rather than 9:00

Was combined with Open House and BBQ. Is a good fundraiser for the school

Positive feedback on holding on same night as Dance. However, suggested that

dance be shortened until 8:30. Hold Dance between 6:30 – 8:15.

- Haunts and Holly Craft Fair – Oct. 27,
- Oct 4: Yoga and Yogurt Family Breakfast: @7:45AM
- Adopt a School: Go online to get info and vote on a story. Coles Bookstore is

the organization affiliated with this.

- From the Ground Up Fundraiser, great success: Grand total raised \$16,000.!!!

- Grain Farm is a great place worth checking out
  - Kusawa Field Trip great success, students enjoyed
  - School Photos: K -3 Sept 11, 4 -7 Sept. 12
  - Sept. 17 – Terry Fox Run
  - Sept. 26 – Orange T-Shirt Day
  - Sept. 27, 28: PD Day, no school for students: YTA Conference
  - Oct 24: Veggie pick up day
  - Oct 27: Haunts and Holly Craft Fair Fundraiser at the school
  - Oct 31: Halloween dress up- day
  - Nov. 2: PD Day: No school for students
  - EA hired for 2018-19 School Year: Stacey Silbernagel:
  - Counsellor going on Mat Leave
  - Office Admin shifting around
  - Heat issues: listed for 2018 Capital Plan
  - Water Testing: Completed: Pipes to be replaced, signage posted for undrinkable water
  - New signage and painting done for Fir Street Cross walk
  - New bus loop project manager assigned
  - Area has been cleared and prepared for fire pit installation in the spring
- School Growth Plan Meeting: Feb. 14, at 1:00 PM  
May 30, at 1:00 PM

Sheri to attend as council rep. All other members encouraged to attend if they can.

## 6. **Community Issues:**

Roundtable discussions on the success of the “blue paint” painted by the

crosswalk

on Fir street. Council to write letter and request this be done every year.

ACTION: Letter to be written in support of “blue paint” to the Dept. and the City and to advise that it was a success!

**7. Old Business and Correspondence:**

7.1 Crosswalk/safety issues update:

Ranj Pillai provided a print copy of “Cooling effect” on 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Fir Street,

Pine Street, Spruce Street:

Pine Street Park is being upgraded and are looking at another crosswalk. New playground should be done and completed in the spring, And hand out was provided with proposed “Calming effects” on the streets mentioned.

Ranj will keep in contact with Lorrie and the school on any progress and updates.

Nov. Crosswalk for Pine is out for tender, hoping to be able to complete by late

to City of Whitehorse has also indicated they will move their yellow curb lines to match the blue no-parking rectangles recently added in front of the school.

The City has not provided information as to why the yellow curb lines are painted the way they currently are. Waiting for a response.

**8. New Business and Correspondence:**

8.1 Summary from School Council Orientation Presentation:

Sheri and Lea attended orientation of school councils.

Discussed the goals, needs and requests. Such as:

- outdoor learning
- experiential learning
- playground toys:

Would like council to be more pro-active in fundraising.

8.2 Tupperware Fundraiser: Lea spoke to a Tupperware distributor, and was advised

that everything students sell the school will get a 40% profit.

the Roundtable discussions as to where to sell it. Suggested that perhaps at

and to Haunts and Holly Craft Fair or during parent/teacher/student interviews

see if there is a need or interest.  
Lea will check into further.

- 8.3 AYSCBC: Fall School Council Conference: Nov 15-17 Update:  
A draft proposed agenda was provided by Sheri (who is on the AYSCBC)
- Thursday Night, meet and greet, discussions on finances, bursaries, etc.
  - Friday: break-out sessions, and top 6 selections to be discussed will be provided via email .
  - Some topics to be discussed: Ed. Act 101, responsibilities of School Councils, Curriculum redesign, School Cap. Planning, Access to TIAPP Goals and putting them into action  
Policy making, School Councils, Secretary Treasurer's workshop  
Safe Schools, bullying, at workplaces, in schools, traffic safety,
  - an email with a link to a survey will be sent to all council members for selecting their choice of up to 6 breakout sessions to be offered on Friday, Nov. 16.

9. **Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned at 9:00 PM  
Next regular meeting, November 7, 2018.

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Odessa Epp:  
Chair

Jerry Zahora:  
Secretary Treasurer