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**D.A.T.L. PSSC Committee Meeting**

**Wednesday October 10, 2018 7:00pm**

### **Agenda**

- 1. Welcome, Introductions- Lindsay**
- 2. SIP Overview – Lisa**
- 3. Nutrition Policy Review- Lisa**
- 4. Review of Inclusive playground and map- Lisa**
- 5. Discussion of future initiatives to ensure community and family involvement in DATL-  
Group.**



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Monday November 5, 2018 7:00pm

**Present: Lisa Jardine, Lindsay Hall, Barb Lazarri, Allison Chorley, Jenni Butler, Heather Avery, Meaghan Adams, Sara Creighton, Elisha Dickinson Mills, Christine Huggard**

### *Agenda*

#### **1. Nutrition Policy Review/ Hot Lunch Options- Lisa & Committee**

- Lindsay reviewed the current hot lunch plan (pizza with carrot sticks on Wednesdays).
- Members shared ideas on other options for hot lunch:
  - Christine shared that she uses Kingswood with BES (\$3.00/meal plus tax and delivery charges).
  - Barb shared that she and her husband were unable to come up with a workable meal plan through their connections.
  - Lisa will look into adding Subway subs with apple slices to the hot lunch menu.

#### **2. Discussion on ways our DATL PSSC can support the school and the community. Ideas on how to use the 2018-2019 PSSC Budget money- Committee**

- Lindsay explained that we have \$540 to use for this purpose. Traditionally this money was spent on voicemail communication for the school, but this is now provided by district.
- Suggestions for how to support the DATL (and surrounding) community:
  - **Lending Library:** Lisa noted that this has been tried and was minimally -successful. Meaghan suggested we ask for book donations from families (on parenting, anxiety, etc.) that might be useful to flesh out lending library.
  - **Parent Night on Nutritious Lunches:** DATL would put on a night to offer parents some ideas for healthy lunches. Ideally, we would like a registered dietitian to prepare a plan of approx. 10 kid-friendly lunch ideas to present to parents.
    - Lindsay will begin researching this and keep the members updated.
    - We can use money for snacks at the event.
    - We can purchase (or ask for donations) of door prizes such as Bento boxes or fun sandwich shape cutters.

### **3. Discussion of future initiatives to ensure community and family involvement in DATL-Group- Committee**

- Nominate your Neighbour: This was a successful initiative in the past. We will re-visit this as a possibility in the new year.
- Wednesdays in December (5<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>): we are looking for volunteers to help run sessions. Members will brainstorm for volunteers and approach people who may be interested. Please forward names to Lisa.
- Christmas Dinner: DATL is partnering with HHS Culinary class to provide dinner on December 18<sup>th</sup>. Donations of food items and money will be accepted.
  - We will investigate having Santa visit with children at the dinner!
- It was decided that we will contact HACC to see if there is interest from the local businesses in building a partnership with the school. Businesses could volunteer their employee time to support lunch hour clubs at DATL. (12:45-1:45pm). DATL would like to offer a chess club, among others.
  - Lindsay will draft a letter with this proposal and send to members.
  - Elisha will approach her husband (president of HACC).
  - Potentially, we can offer a "Volunteer of the Year" award to participating businesses.
  - Members will forward any other ideas to Lindsay.

### **4. Additions**

- Lisa made us aware that the online payment system charges a 4% fee. This has been absorbed by the school this year. It will be taken into account when pricing hot lunch items in the future, and in next year's student fee.

**Next meeting is scheduled for Monday, Dec. 3<sup>rd</sup> at 7pm.**