New Maryland Home & School Meeting – Minutes – January 17th, 2017

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| 1. Call to order
 | Erica Ward | Call to order at 7:06pm |
| 1. Review minutes and call for additional agenda items
 | Erica Ward | Reviewed minutes; no additional items to add |
| 1. NMES Update
 | Laurie Pearson | * New Maker Writer space has been developed in the hub area
* Looking into new flooring for the space; Laurie to bring quotes to the next meeting
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| 1. PSSC Update
 | Natalie Holder | * Review for school improvement is next week – 32 indicators
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| 1. Financial report – bank balance
 | Vanessa Roy-McDougall | * $14,367.39 in the bank
* Fall Frolic - $6721 in profit
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| 1. Committee work / old business
2. Playgrounds
 | Erica Ward | * Tender has gone out for playground; waiting for responses
* An announcement will go out soon
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| 1. New Business
2. Teacher appreciation week
3. Spellathon
4. Other fundraisers?
5. Book swap
 | Erica Ward | * Teacher appreciation week – Feb 13-17
	+ Will have Tanya forward out a document with items for parents to sign up for each day; will send out a week ahead
	+ Always do a thank-you card with gift card for each teacher – Dollarama this year
* Spellathon – week of March 20-24
* Other fundraisers – something for year-end celebration; have done baskets, pieces of art (would allot money to each classroom)
* Book swap – idea came through the village office; put on hold for now;
	+ Could consider having an outdoor lending library on the school grounds
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| Next meeting date – February TBD, 2017 | Erica Ward | Next meeting February 21st at 7pm |
| Close meeting | Erica Ward | Meeting adjourned at 8:03pm |