

## Crescent Valley Parent Organization

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In Attendance: **Anne Phillips, Stephanie Haines, Evelyn Pryor, Erika Bako, André Gatien, Melody Johnson, Lina DiGregorio**

Principal: **Aaron McKee**

### Regular Session

1. CV Teacher Grant Program
  - a. We covered the past template and scope of program with documents from 2018-19.
  - b. In 2019, they had proposals due at the end of January, awards were decided at a CVPO meeting in mid Feb and awards were announced at the beginning of March. André and Aaron think that teachers had a month to get applications in. That cycle, they spent about \$2500 across 6 awards
  - c. Given our setup, we propose the following schedule:
    - i. Open applications: March 1<sup>st</sup>
    - ii. Applications due: April 1<sup>st</sup>
    - iii. CVPO decisions done: Mid-April (CVPO)
    - iv. Make announcements: May 1<sup>st</sup> (Aaron / school)
  - d. André suggests that we let the grants decide how much we award.
2. CVPO Activities
  - a. How about we ask teachers what they would find useful?
  - b. For example, the library and career center can always use parent volunteers (Aaron).
  - c. We could also ask parents what they would find useful.
  - d. Maybe we can also ask at the next all-staff meeting (3/4 dept liason meeting, 3/11 staff meeting).
  - e. Tze will develop a staff / parent survey and route it around for feedback.
  - f. What about staff potlucks? André said that we used to have breakfast at the beginning of the school year (1<sup>st</sup> day back which was 2-3 days before school started). There would be a big organizational life for the breakfast making sure that we had enough plates, cups, spoons, food etc. – 10 to 15 parents involved. Expenses reimbursed by CVPO
  - g. We also used to do 2 days during the parent / teacher conferences. Those would start at 12PM and go to 4PM, there would be a chance to grab food from 4PM to 5PM and then conferences go from 5PM to 8PM. Clean up after 5PM-ish. P/T conferences are planned for this Spring 4/17 and 4/18
3. Officer Election
  - a. The following people were nominated and voted in as officers for CVPO with a unanimous vote of those present (Aaron McKee abstained on all votes)
    - i. Tze-Yiu Yong, President
    - ii. Stephanie Haines, Vice-President
    - iii. Evelyn Pryor, Secretary
    - iv. Erika Bako, Treasurer
4. Q&A with Principal
  - a. Girls cheer team won state. Boys swimming got 2<sup>nd</sup> in state.
  - b. COVID guidance hasn't changed – 5 day isolation after symptoms first show.

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5. These minutes were approved by the CVPO at the meeting date below.

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CVPO Secretary / Date