

**Ecole Le Marchant St Thomas School Home and School Meeting**  
**October 8, 2015**  
**Meeting Minutes**

1. Approval of the Agenda – approved. The following Items were added under New Business.
  - a. School Clothing
  - b. Volunteer Spot
  - c. Movie Nights
  
2. Approval of September 2015 H&S meeting minutes – Approved
  
3. Principal’s Report – Jeanne Boudreau
  - a. Jeremy Hansen, Astronaut visit
  - b. Bus evacuation Oct 8 for all classes
  - c. Reptile Show Oct 9 / 15 - P – 3 only
  - d. Walk- a – thon Oct. 9 / 15 @ 1pm
  - e. Library Common, PD for staff Oct. 20 / 15. Bean bags etc bought, 10 Chrome books
  - f. Halloween Dance
  - g. Provincial PD Oct. 23 / 15
  - h. Other:
    - i. Staggered lunch is working well
    - ii. Steering committee members
    - iii. SSP: Year 4 Goals, PD, data
  
4. SAC Report – Jeanne Boudreau
  - a. New members elected: David Jakeman (Chair), Laura While (Secretary) and Andrew Boyne (New parent), Judy Obersi (returning member)
  - b. SAC is looking at school bi-laws
  - c. There is a letter of agreement for the new school
  - d. A meeting for parents to add a voice to the steering committee for the new school was suggested.
  
5. Treasurer’s Report – Jill Duncan
  - a. We have \$14,000 in balance.
  - b. A wish list is outstanding for “Battle of the Books”
  
6. Upcoming 2015 – 2015 Home and School Events
  - a. Halloween Ball – October 23 / 15- Shannon Black is chairing this event. She has a great team working with her. They are still looking for a few more volunteers. Donations are coming in and it looks like we will have enough for the event.
  - b. FALL FEST Adult Dance and Student Art Auction November 20, 2015– Nancy Bloom and Sarah Boyne are chairing this event. Nancy is handling the Student

Art Auction and Sarah is looking after the dance. Sarah brought the proposal for increased funds for lights and décor. It was decided to not go ahead with this idea. Nancy has been working on packages of art supplies, canvases and a letter to give to teachers. All 19 classes will be collaborating on an art project. 1 / class. Sarah will be sending out the event flyer on Monday Oct 26. Space is capped at 192 capacity. \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. Volunteers are needed to work the door and help with the Art Auction Set up and settling with successful bidders.

- c. Breakfast with Santa – the morning of December 5 / 15. Eileen Kilfoil and Fiona Valverde are chairing this event.
- d. The following list was generated to assign / delegate classes to specific H&S events

<b>Halloween Ball – Oct 23</b>	5 / 6 MacLeod
	6 Jordan
	5 / 6 Hagerman
	5 MacLean
<b>FALL FEST – Nov. 20</b>	4 / 5 Chaisson
	4 / 5 Stoilov / Dunphy
	4 Beaton
	3 / 4 Miller
	3 Fennell
<b>Breakfast with Santa – Dec. 5</b>	2 / 3 MacAskill / Kehoe
	2 / 3 Vallis / Gallivan
	2 Abi Daoud
	2 Babineau
<b>Spring Fair May 29 / 16</b>	1 Taylor
	Primary / 1 Simpson
	Primary Redding
	Primary Lacrois
	Primary / 1 Tighe

7. New Business –

- a. Movie Nights are scheduled for February and April 2016. Our movie liscence needs to be renewed.
- b. April Stroink has volunteered to head up School clothing again for 2015 – 16 school year.
- c. There is interest is possibly having a year book for the last year of LMST.
- d. Volunteer Spot Megan Meeds will be likely using it for a aruvery of parents. The version we have been using is Free.

Respectfully Submitted by Sarah M Boyne