



Record of Decision for May 3, 2018

1. Greetings and Attendance: Mark Lecuyer, Darlene Avelar, Jo-Anne Hutsul, Majed Turk, Sarah Adair, Sonita Davis, Cherie Maracle, Stephanie Greenham, Julietta Jablasone, Maureen Ritchie, Evan Stotts, Scott Hebert-Daly, Tom Macartney, Pam Hawley
Regrets: Corrie Hamilton

2. Motion to pass April 5 minutes: Mark Lecuyer; seconded by Maureen Ritchie

3. Guest Speaker – Deborah Adeney, Student Services

- International Certificate Program (ICP) – voluntary program for students to gain competency in globally relevant issues.
Three components to the program:
 - Study a 3rd language (other than English or French) – number of ways to accomplish this if not offered at the school
 - Complete at least 4 approved courses with an international focus
 - International Experience and Engagement – one way, but not the only way, to achieve this is through taking an international trip
- Costa Rica trip with CW – March break 2019
 - Focus on eco-tourism, environmental sustainability
 - Do not have to be in the ICP to go on the trip

4. Student Report – Sarah Adair and Evan Stotts

- May 10 – **OCDSB's Got Talent** at Sir Robert Borden High School from 6-9 pm. Tickets are \$2 and profits go to the education foundation.
- May 11 – **Relay For Life** – progressing well.

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- Forms for students who need to arrive late, leave early or will not be riding the school bus will be available at the Team Captains' meeting tomorrow (May 4)
- Change in hours this year - 12 pm until 10 pm.
- Parents volunteering at Relay (other than for BBQ) – task will be to help teachers supervise students. Please see a teacher upon arrival. Volunteers are most welcome and needed.
- Book sale/silent auction and BBQ was a huge success! We raised close to \$3000. There were 54 impressive silent auction items (which all went) and over 1000 books were collected to sell.
- May 24 – **Arts Night** from 4-10 pm
- May 28 to June 1st – **Spirit week**; pizza-themed
- May 31 and June 1 – **Production Event** – *Carne Wilson and the Irony of it all*
- June 15 – **Jungle Run**
- **Exams** start on June 19
- **Prom** is on June 25

Athletics

- Track & Field – fun meet tomorrow (May 4); NCSAA meet in May
- Baseball – lost in game to Louis Riel
- Rugby Jr and Sr boys played at Ashbury; lost their games
- Sr girls Rugby – beat Nepean today
- Varsity girls Soccer – won their tournament

5. Teacher's Report – Majed Turk

- **Guidance:**
 - Summer school registration (online and in-person) continues.
 - Online course offerings for the 2018-19 school year are also open for on-going registration
- **Voices:** Students held a successful Oscars Dance last Thursday; 130 participated and money raised will be used to support the school newspaper.
- **Costa Rica trip:** planning is ongoing for March Break 2019. First parent info night was held May 2nd; another will be held in September. Staff contact is Deborah Adeney – please email for more details
- **CDubb Green Club:**

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- **Zero Waste Challenge with Hillcrest High:** challenge is to have a greater reduction in the amount (kg) of waste from the waste audits done this year. Most of our garbage by weight comes from items that could have gone in the green bin but are put in the garbage; using the green bin is the first thing to keep in mind. Last year there was 9 kg of untouched food in the audit of 24 hrs of waste at Cairine :(

Encourage litterless lunches... use reusable tupperware instead of individually wrapped items or ziplocs.

- **Platinum Ecoschools:** CW applied for points again for 3rd year in a row. Ecoschools will probably come for a tour later in May as a celebration of our events.
- **Earth Week:** was very successful. Winners from a **litterless lunch draw prize** were given a Place d'Orleans gift card (students got their name in the draw by showing a litterless lunch in random checks Feb-April). A gift card was also won for our **guess the number of plastic bottles** contest in the display case. Make every day Earth Day!!
- **Learning Commons:** The Hot Docs Festival will be running in the Learning Commons from April 30th-May 6th. The documentaries are dealing with timely issues that are occurring nationally and internationally. This year there are quite a few documentaries dealing with First Nations, Métis and Inuit issues, both past and present, such as the Oka Crisis, the legal system, and clean drinkable water. Videos were selected by an advisory committee with the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Call to Action in mind (sections 62 and 63 deal specifically with education).
- **Ottawa Race Weekend:** Again this year, CW students, staff and families have been presented with the opportunity to man a water station during the 10 km run of Ottawa Race Weekend. We need 50 volunteers so if you have always wanted to go to or volunteer for race weekend, this is your opportunity. Join us for an evening of fun! For more information/details contact sean.clancy@ocdsb.ca or marlene.macrae@ocdsb.ca.
- **CW Music:** Monday, May 7th is Music Monday, a nationwide celebration of the value of music education. We will be celebrating with a performance of the Music Monday Anthem, "Sing it Together" in the cafeteria at lunch hour. Schools and youth ensembles across Canada will be performing the song at the same time, so we really will be Singing it Together.
- **Arts:** There will be an Arts Night on May 24th, featuring the CW Music performing ensembles, the Improv teams, art on display from our visual arts students and the bands from two of our feeder schools, Terry Fox and Henry Larsen.

6. Principal's Report – Tom Macartney

Upcoming Events

May 7-15 AP Exams May 11 Relay for Life May 14 - June 8 Final Evaluations (summatives)	May 21 Victoria Day - no school May 24 Arts and Tech night June 7 School Council
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Information Items

- Principal for 2018-19 is Jennifer Tremblay from Ottawa Technical Secondary School
 - Vice Principal is Carl Dobbin (OTSS) who will join Anne Corrigan; Vice-principal, Scott Hebert-Daly will be on a sabbatical next year and will be reassigned upon his return
- Our School Survey for Parents - closes May 11
 - Currently 3.29% of parents have completed survey
- New software for school-home messages - Communicate
- Indigenous Education Advisory Council (IEAC)
 - New district initiative
 - 4.1 **Participation** in the Council shall be voluntary and open to individual members of the District community and to stakeholder organizations with an interest in Indigenous education.
 - 4.2 **Composition** The IEAC shall be comprised of up to ten (10) members;
 - six (6) voting members and up to four (4) non-voting members.
 - 4.3 The six (6) voting Members shall include:
 - a) two (2) members of the First Nations community;
 - b) two (2) members of the Métis community;
 - c) two (2) members of the Inuit community;
 - 4.4 The non-voting members shall include: a) one (1) Trustee; b) one (1) Indigenous Education Lead; and c) one (1) Superintendent or designate; and d) may include one (1) Indigenous student.
- Commencement - June 29 at 10:00 am
 - Grad meeting next week to describe awards
 - Applications for awards not based on marks and for the Triple A award are available in the main office and in Student Services. You must apply in order to be considered for any award that is not based on marks. Both sheets are due by the end of the day on June 1st.
 - Invitations will be mailed home in late May. They will include an RSVP that will indicate how many guests you will have or, if you are not going to attend, where we should send your diploma. We'd like to have the RSVP back even if you are not going to attend because it helps us plan for the day.
 - Grad pranks, poor decisions at prom will have consequences
- Our Hour will be revisited with Department Heads at Monday's meeting

7. Vice-principal's Report – Scott Hebert-Daly

- Reminder to students that summer weather is here but school is still on; it's still time to take your classes seriously.

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- After a discussion with some CW female students about the #MeToo movement it became clear that none of them knew what it was about. We think of our kids as connected, but it's within social media, not broader issues. Plans are to host targeted discussions for next year.
- Ford Driving Skills for Life program – workshop for teens on safe driving skills. Supported by the Ottawa Police. More information can be found at www.drivingskillsforlife.ca

8. Chair's Report – Mark Lecuyer

- Nothing to report this month

10. Financial Report – Darlene Avelar

- Balance as of May 2nd is \$5,790.66
- \$75 will be going towards the CPR Award and \$500 to subsidize prom tickets to students in need.
- Request for microphone cables and stands from the last meeting was approved (\$331.77 from last meeting).

11. On-going Business

- Relay for Life
 - Council will provide granola bars to the kids once again this year. Over 500 kids will be going to the event. Maureen Ritchie will pick them up from Costco. We will not provide water bottles (to reduce waste); kids should bring their own water bottle to fill.
 - Tom will send out a message to parents requesting food donations (fruit/vege trays, desserts) for the students' dinner and to contact Cherie Maracle (cherie_maracle@hotmail.com) as she is coordinating the food (note: BBQ food is supplied by the Lions). In the message he will also remind parents to supply a lunch and refillable water bottle for the day.
 - Parents wishing to volunteer are asked to report to a teacher upon arrival. Prior sign-up is not required.
- Prom Refreshments: Sonita Davis volunteered to take over this task from Jo-Anne.
- ProGrant: Application deadline for the 2018-19 ProGrant is in the beginning of June. Stephanie Greenham requested topic suggestions. A topic was not decided upon at this time.

Adjournment – First: Sonita Davis, Second: Darlene Avelar

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