

Earl Haig Secondary School
School Council Meeting Minutes

Date: Oct 19th, 2021

Time: 7:30 -8:30pm

Location: Virtual Zoom

1. SAC President Updates (Jason Wong)

- Photo Day last week. Photos are taken for photo cards
- Student price card will be revised
- Grade 12 US and UK university admission meeting was appreciated by students
- Class visits by Guidance to discuss colleague options of Ontario
- Most clubs were registered and Clubs Fair is coming soon
- Junior council will host series events virtually
- Environmental Save Space initiative by SAC
- Terry Fox run was successful and raised \$1900
- Halloween costume day Next Friday
- Concerns raised about blockage of parking lot exit

2. Principal Updates (Ricky Goldenberg)

- Lunch is 45 minutes. More spaces open up for lunch.
- Virtual Arts students will paint the donated canoe and the Eco group will decorate the surrounding
- Scholarship Night was great. Students of all grades are encouraged to start to collect scholarship information
- There will be an OSAP meeting later
- Fire drill and Evacuation Practice were conducted
- About QC code: Students don't have to show the phone with QC code. Students can log in the program at home and answer the question online before coming to school
- Students are not assigned lockers
- Drinking fountains will be fixed and set up later.

3. Claude Watson Updates (Tara Lee Blight)

- Claude Watson Open house November 10. Application due December 10th
- Grade 10 and Grade 11 are welcome for audition if spaces are available
- Students can sign up for dance club
- One Act Play Festival in February

4. Amy Charette

- Time management:
 - Check Earl Haig website frequently
 - On Parent tab, find council meeting information
 - Check calendar to see what is going on

5. Q&A

- Is Take Our Kids to Work day happening? ---- We don't have an answer now.
- When will the Mid Term report be sent out? ---- Nov 22. Parents need to sign up for parent-teacher interviews.
- Is there a recording of the Scholarship session? ---- No.
- Do you have any coop program for 12 grade students --- Yes. Grade 11 and 12 can sign up.
- If the students would like to drop the courses they registered for, please take action as soon as possible.
- Will there be summer courses? ---- Likely yes.
- Where to find the teacher's email address? ----Need to know the full name of teachers.
- Oct 20 and Oct 27 are late start days.
- When can the students get an ID card? --- It should be in a few weeks.
- How to register for the Waterloo Financial Literacy Competition? --- Come to see Principal Goldenberg.