

Island Lake Public School Council

Annual Report for the 2022-2023 School Year

The 2022-2023 school year for the Island Lake Public School Council saw the return of more activities and the reintroduction of some family and student favourites.

As always, the support from the whole ILPS community, including students, parents/guardians and the school staff was incredible.

2022-2023 Council Composition

The 2022-2023 Executive Committee Members

Tania Rooney – Chair

Jacelyn Alphonso – Co Chair

Kevin Tamming – Secretary

Elizabeth Skinner – Treasurer

The 2022-2023 Parent Members

Tania Rooney

Jacelyn Alphonso

Kevin Tamming

Elizabeth Skinner

Tanis Noll

Ashley Evans

Eve Dosman

Tammy Woods

Shannon Gavrilos

Jen Rothfuchs

Christine Persaud

We would like to thank any parent/guardian that attended a council meeting this school year. Your input and opinions were important to the discussions and decisions made.

Council Meetings

The school council held six (6) regular council meetings this year. All meetings were offered both in person and virtually through Google Meet. These meetings were open to the entire school community and encouraged input from all parents/guardians. The dates and agenda of these meetings were made available, prior to all meetings, via school email and through the Council Facebook page. The meeting dates were also made available through the school website calendar.

Minutes of all meetings are available to the public and school community on the school's website, in the school office as well as on the Council Facebook page.

Funded Initiatives

The following initiatives, programs and activities were run and/or funded, either fully or partially, by funds raised by school council.

Scientists in Schools/Science Based Programs & Trips

Welcome Back BBQ

Outdoor Classroom

Playground Upkeep

Maintenance of Musical Equipment

Forest of Reading Library Program

Family Transition Place Programs

Remembrance Day Wreath

Grade 8 Graduation Awards

Fundraising

This year, ILPS Council was able to offer a variety of ways for families and the community to support ongoing and upcoming council funded initiatives. The following are the fundraisers that were run throughout the 2022-2023 school year, including the purpose of the fundraiser and the total amount raised for each.

Fundraiser	Money Raised Goes Towards	Money Raised
Danceathon	Science Based Programs	\$4015.00
Winterfest	New Playground	\$2583.00
Little Caesars	New Playground	\$1324.00
FunDrive	New Playground	\$869.45
Meal Days	General Funded Initiatives	\$18997.72

Thank you!

Parent Volunteers

Council events and initiatives are only successful because of the hard work and commitment of the many individuals who volunteered their time this year. Thank you to the Parent Members, Meal Day volunteers and to anyone who volunteered to be present at one or more of our events throughout the year. Your dedication to ILPS and to the students and families of the school is evident. Council hopes many new parents will consider volunteering in the coming year.

ILPS Staff

We would like to thank all of the teachers, support staff, custodial staff and administration at ILPS for their support and dedication to the students, families and Council throughout the year.

Council and the entire school community are fortunate, year after year, to have such a magnificent group of educators guiding the school and being role models for all students. Thank you for all you continue to do for the students and families at ILPS.

As the 2022-2023 school year comes to an end, it is our hope that anyone who participated in some way in something Council ran, funded and/or organized, can look back on the year with fond memories and pride for what was accomplished. We look forward to continuing some of our favourite activities and to bringing new events and initiatives for the upcoming 2023-2024 school year.

We would love to see you at our first council meeting of the year on September 12th. Look for details and the meeting agenda at the start of the school year.

We invite you to contact us with any questions or comments about ILPS Council by visiting and joining our Facebook page at [Island Lake Parent Council Info Page](#) or through email at sc.islandlake@ugdsb.on.ca.

We hope you and your family have a wonderful summer holiday and we will see you in September, for another amazing school year at Island Lake Public School.