**Edward Johnson School Council Meeting Minutes**

**Tuesday, December 7, 2021 – 6:30 p.m.**

Natasha H. Laura S. Katherine W. Catherine F. Nadine P.

Monica G. Kate B.

1. Land acknowledgement – Laura
2. Welcome and approval of November Minutes - Laura

* Minutes approved

1. Principal’s Report - Katherine

* Thrilled with the response for donations to food bank
* Equity and inclusion club up and running, the students have done a bulletin board
* Eco club is running
* Dance crew is running at recess
* Dance-ed will start right after the holiday break. Next Thursday will do a dry run with the Dance-ed ladies to make sure the technology works. They will be projecting to EJPS on a large screen, and the school will be projecting to them

1. Teachers Report – no teacher present
2. Treasurer’s Report – Catherine

* Nothing to report

1. Fundraising – Natasha

* Raffle baskets hiccup. UGDSB asked us to get a lottery license. Can’t get a license by the time the raffle happens so we need to vote on whether we put the raffle on hold until Jan/Feb and we go through the process of getting the lottery license. The other option is to gift all of the students in the school a certain amount of lottery tickets and then asked for parents to make donations (i.e. what they would have spent on raffle tickets anyway). Majority agreed to go ahead with the second option, gifted tickets and ask for donations. Council will circulate photos of the baskets so parents can see what the kids are choosing. 5 tickets per student. Katherine and Natasha to connect to discuss logistics. Kate can help as well.
* PIC grant discussion postponed to January
* Pizza fundraising is coming. Hope to start by mid-January. Monica may have a contact/vendor that could assist with sorting the pizza. She will send the information to Natasha.

Conclusion of Meeting

Next meeting Tuesday, January 11, 2022 at 6:30 p.m.