October 17, 2016

- 1. "Mind Up" presented by Jenn Dahl and Sabine Murphy (HNHU)
 - -program developed to help with social-emotional learning
 - -teaches coping strategies for anxiety and social interactions
 - -presented to the teachers last week so that activities can be implemented into their program
 - -able to link to parent resources at https://mindup.org
 - -suggestion made to put quick ideas/suggestions for parents on Facebook
- 2. Follow up from the previous meeting

3. Winter Carnival

- -Linda S. will run the Winter Carnival
- -will take part Friday, November 25th
- -donated, gently-used items are welcome
- -set-up on November 24th
- -parent volunteers are needed

4. Turkey Dinner

- -December 7th
- -asking for a \$2 donation from the students

5. Hot Lunch

- -order forms going home this week
- -spoke to Boston Pizza out of Tillsonburg (spaghetti, spaghetti with meat sauce, penne, pizza choices). Each item comes with an apple sauce and a juice. Cost will be \$5.
- -Dairy Freeze will sell hamburgers

10 Days for Nutrition "Free Days": Winter Fair, Christmas, Play Day, Valentines, Track and Field, Pancakes (April), Easter, hot dogs (March)

6. Breakfast/snack program

- -still looking for volunteers for any part of the day (setting up, emptying dishwasher, etc.)
- -please contact Mr. Ongena

7. Fundraising:

Fresh from the Farm

- -finished today
- -will make approximately \$1700 for our Breakfast Program
- -bundles will arrive and volunteers are needed to package the items to be picked up
- -various flyers were passed around to consider as fundraising
- -\$500 was donated towards playground equipment from a family who attended Delhi Public School as children

8. Principal Report

- -reviewed EQAO results
- -Language marks essentially maintained but there was a drop in math, particularly Grade 6
- -the school will focus on math application

9. Healthy Schools committee

- -developed at the school through the HNHU
- -made up of students, teachers, administration and parents
- -Wendy M. volunteered to join
- -will work to develop a healthy initiative implemented through the school

10. Other items

-Deanna and Mrs. Rasokas went to Waterford for the "kick-off" for school councils that was an open forum where various topics were discussed. They focused on technology and fundraising.

Next Meeting: Monday, November 14th at 6:30