

### Regular Meeting / January 14, Sauganash Local School Council

#### Call to Order @6:38pm

Roll Call: Members Present - Elaine Fitzgerald, Mary McKenna, Marcia Shapiro, Marikay Hegarty, Marcia Shapiro, Vicki Kurzydlo, Richard Rodriguez, Christina Tassone, Chris Munns, Tom Pikarski, Don Zalinski, Marikay Hegarty

Absent: Anna McGowan, Liz Piper

1. **Approval of Agenda:** Agenda for January 14, 2019 with minor adjustment for February meeting date, February 25, 2019 approved by Mr. Zalinski and second by Ms. Shapiro.
2. **Approval of Minutes:** November 19, 2018 minutes were approved by Ms. Shapiro and seconded by Mr. Zalinski.
3. **Reports:**
  - a. **Chair** – Elaine Fitzgerald. Mrs. Fitzgerald welcomed Mary McKenna to the board replacing Pam Sheehan as the non-teaching representative. The Spring Benefit invitations went home.
  - b. **Principal** – Chris Munns. Mrs. Munns acknowledged the new Teacher Assistant Mrs. Antonia, she is working in Kindergarten class working with Mrs. Yadoo and Mr.s Gibson. Currently Mrs. Munns and Mr. Kennedy are in the midst of M.O.Y. NWEA assessments with all the teachers. Reviewing the continuum going over this with the grade level teachers as well. A huge thank you the the P.T.O. who purchased the science curriculum for the 6th grade. This falls lockdown drill was a success, We will continue to call this a “Lock Down Drill” instead of the “Active Shooter Drill” . This drill was supervised by Mr. Kennedy, Mrs. Munns as well as Jay Davis from CPS Safety and Security. Mr. Davis was impressed by how quiet and how well the drill went. There is a key in every classroom so the doors can be locked from the inside in the new building and from the outside in the old building. The key is hanging in the classroom so in the event a substitute is in the classroom the key is easily accessible .  
  
Sauganash School was one of the only schools on the Northwest side that none of their technology was stolen.

Mrs. Allegretti has met with the eighth graders to make sure they have applied to their prospective high schools.

After school programs are up and running. Reading and math support is offered to students who teachers recommend. These classes are paid for by a grant that Sauganash writes in the end of June and is usually granted with the money at the end of October or early November. The school is offering tuition based classes as well including chess and guitar. Ms. Tassone suggests these clubs and after school programs all be listed on the Sauganash School website