



Northern Gateway
Public Schools

School Council Annual Report 2018-2019 Harry Gray Elementary

The following report reflects the activity of the School Council during the 2018 – 2019 school year.

1. Executive Members:

Chairperson: Gail Hrushka

Assistant
Chair: Amanda Arnold

Secretary: Crystal Norris

Treasurer: Donna Finnie

2. Meeting Dates:

(Include the number of attendees for each meeting; school personnel and trustees are to be included in this count.)

- September 20, 2018 – 7 attendees
- October 23, 2018 – 5 attendees
- November 21, 2018 – 7 attendees
- February 21, 2019 - 5 attendees
- March 21, 2019 – 7 attendees
- May 23, 2019 – 6 attendees

3. Major Activities:

- Fundraiser – One major fundraiser to help support the cost of field trips during the year.
- Christmas Turkey Dinner, school council prepares turkey dinner for lunch on the last day before Christmas Holidays.

- Taco in a Bag, school council prepares a lunch for the whole school the last day before Easter holidays.
- Community Options where several businesses in town open their doors and let HGE students behind the scenes to experience different working environments.
- Nutrition Program – helped with the purchasing of supplies, setting the menu and cooking hot dogs.
- Donation of \$200.00 per teacher to support their classrooms.

4. Parental Involvement:

(Include the types of activities and the roles of the parents.)

- On a regular basis parents are in the school helping with hot lunches, snack program and volunteering in the classroom.
- We have an excellent resource of keen parents who are always eager and willing to help in School Council sponsored activities.

5. Major Challenges:

(Comment briefly on why these particular challenges exist, and what action the School Council and School Administration are planning to take to address the challenges.)

- Our continue challenge, is to get parents out to the meetings, we moved the meetings back to the evenings and this didn't seem to make a difference with more parents attending.

G. HRUSHKA
School Council Chair

2019-07-05
Date

Bonnie Countryman
Principal

2019-07-05
Date