

# Churchill Meadows School Council Minutes

## Feb 19, 2009

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**Present:** Diane Grieve, Sue Gittings, Heather Roberts, Amanda Toney, Desmond Spencer, Laura Jane Halfyard, Kurt Halfyard, Barb Bunting, Brenda Desormeaux

Minutes of last meeting - Approved

Agenda for meeting- Approved

### **Upcoming event.....Dinner from Around the World**

The bake and food sale will be held on the afternoon of April 23, 2009 (1:00-5:00). It will be part of the Arts Café during Education week from April 20<sup>th</sup> to 24<sup>th</sup> and will be held in the gym.. Notices will be sent out to the school population to gain an idea of numbers of food items to sell. Organization of the event will be held on April 16<sup>th</sup>.

### **Information Session - update - Joint Meeting of Ruth Thompson, McKinnon and Churchill Meadows Schools – April 2nd, 2009**

Allison Van Wagner, Trustee will be present at the meeting. The purpose of the meeting is to share collaboratively, the visions of the school in respect to goals of School Councils and to plan for future work together.

### **Green Team Presentation**

Devi Parasram and Jessica Clark, were kind enough to present to Council, a portrait of the continuing efforts and activities of Churchill Meadows school staff and students, in implementing the Eco School targets, actions and philosophy within our community school. An update on the ways that teachers and students are working together in the school was presented to the Council. Parents can help by sending litter less lunches and sharing tips on how to reduce at home, supporting walk to school days and reinforcing recycling initiatives. The school has applied to become an official Eco certified school with the Peel District School Board.

### **Amazing Adventure**

The Amazing Adventure has been postponed until 2010 to due the economical situation throughout the community and lack of a major sponsor at this time.

Next meeting -.....April 16<sup>th</sup> ...6:30 PM

