

## **ST. CATHARINES COLLEGIATE ALUMNI & FRIENDS ASSOCIATION MINUTES**

**Date of Meeting:** November 28, 2007

**Present:** Larry Miller, Tracy Sacco (Principal), Dean Douglas, John Pula, Barney Leach, Tracy Sacco, Sherry Dorling, Bonnie Caruso, Wayne Gale.

**Regrets:** Lynda Campbell, Keith Siren

**Welcome:** Call to order 7:01 p.m.

**Approval of Previous Minutes:** Moved by Sherry Dorling "That the previous minutes are adopted as read. Seconded by: Dean Douglas.

Carried.

**Business Arising from the Minutes:** N/A

**Treasurer's Report:** The total balance reported to date is \$11539.45.

### **Committee Reports**

**Principal's Report:** Thank you to the Alumni in funding the new sound system which is installed and ready for the Remembrance day assembly. There are approximately 45 - 50 students daily participating in the Nutrition program for breakfast, lunch and food to take home for dinner. A new club at The Collegiate will host the Collegiate Cuisine luncheon December 14, 2007 monies raised will be donated Heart to Heart Africa which will build schools for the children in Tanzania and Africa. Christmas Concert & Arts Show was held December 13/07 with a wine and cheese to follow art was on display outside of the auditorium. December 21, 2007 prior to Christmas break we held a pancake breakfast which was a great success. A snapshot of our enrollment October 31/07 shows our final enrolment at 826. Ongoing projects and concerns are to have the Curtains to be replaced in the Auditorium. Mohamed Ahmed won 1<sup>st</sup> at O.F.S.A.A and will now go to "Worlds" and is looking for general sponsors. Nathan Lunn will go onto World Juniors for wrestling and is also looking for sponsors.

**Membership:** 109 paid members to date.

**School Liaison:** Special needs Christmas plant sale will run start December 3/ 07 featuring ivy wreaths and poinsettias.

**Social Committee:** N/A

**New Business:** Alumni's newsletter to be sent out in January/February. Please send news items, pictures, important dates etc. to Wayne Gale to be submitted for the Alumni newsletter at the following email [wgale@stokeseeds.com](mailto:wgale@stokeseeds.com)

**Adjournment:** 8:14 p.m. Moved by: Dean Douglas. That the St. Catharine's Alumni and Friends Association adjourn, Seconded by Wayne Gale.

Carried

**Next Meeting January 30, 2008 @ 7:00 p.m.**