

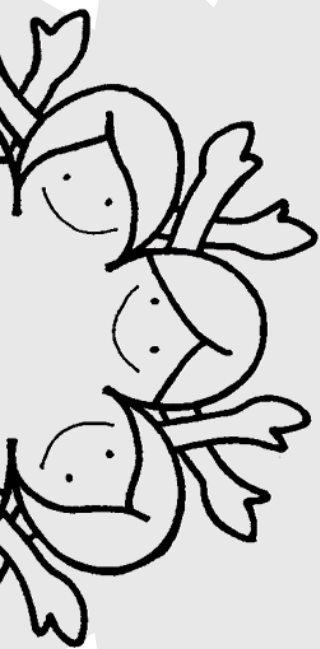


Castor Valley Council Newsletter

FALL 2020

FOCUS

- Our 20/21 Council is made up of 29 parent members representing CVES families and students from across Kinder to Grade 8
- So far we've allocated over \$9,000 within the school—\$100 for every Teacher for classroom supports and over \$5,500 for various class or grade specific needs and resources! See page 2 for details!
- We're grateful for our wonderful CVES staff and a safe start to the school year— Council held a COVID-safe staff appreciation lunch in October! Thank you to all families who took time to share a kind note of gratitude. The Staff loved the lunch and send their thanks!



Due to spring closures and the cancellation of our biggest events,
WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT!

Please consider one of our **CVESC fundraisers** this holiday season and those that run throughout the year!

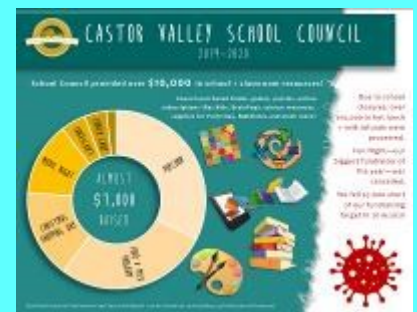
Check out p.2 for details.

What does Council do?

Most of Council's efforts go to fundraising and supporting a variety of learning initiatives and needs at CVES—from puzzles and books to online reading program subscriptions and visiting Mathlete fun!

More info on 20/21 efforts on P.2

Click on our 19/20 report for last year's highlights



Want to know more?

Website: www.castorvalley.ca

Facebook: CVESC

Email: castorvalleycouncil@gmail.com

Virtual Meetings: 6:30 pm on the 3rd Thursday of the month (no meetings in: Dec, Mar or Jun)

See the website for monthly Meeting details!



Don't miss this!

- ✓ Next Council Meeting - Jan 21
- ✓ Metcalfe Xmas Drive-Thru - Dec 13





FUNDRAISING



Due to COVID, some of our largest fundraisers—Fun Night and Hot Lunches—have been cancelled until further notice. We were \$7,000 short of our goal last year.

We are starting to plan COVID-safe fundraisers for the New Year, but in the meantime **CLICK THE FLYER BELOW** for some easy ways to support School Council! From Holiday Masks and Ornaments to Labels and Gift Cards—every purchase gives a kickback!

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FUNDRAISERS
Select what suits you!

- Holiday Masks** 20% kickback
Seasonal masks for the whole family! Visit @FancyLitter on Facebook for styles, questions and to place an order. Mention CVES Council and we'll get a 20% kickback!
- CVES Ornaments** 20% kickback
One of a kind ceramic CVES 2020 Christmas ornaments for \$10 with 20% of sales directed to CVESCI Offer end Dec 18. Complete this form to get yours!
- Indigo Funraiser** 1-5% kickback
Purchase gifts and eGift Cards here and use our CVES code: MHEVOR. Tip: Buy an eGift Card (20% kickback), then use it to make your online purchase (1-5% kickback) - a little planting pays back!
- Gift Cards** 1-5% kickback
Purchase as gifts or for regular items like groceries, gas and much more! CVESCI gets a kickback. Click here and use our code: TRFPDL. Remember: "Ship to home" NOT the school!
- Mabel's Labels** 1-5% kickback
Personalized, waterproof labels - great for everything from shoes, clothing bags, water bottles and backpacks. Customize with your name and design. Click here, select "Castor Valley"

Where does the money go?



Each fall, CVES teachers are given \$100 for classroom needs —this year, many bought voice amplifiers to help deal with the challenges of teaching in masks.

Council also receives "Ad Hoc" requests from teachers and staff. Council just approved funding for new Equity resources for the library, Phys.Ed equipment, Blues in the Schools virtual performances, white board materials and many online French and English reading and learning platforms for in-class and at-home use!

For complete details click [Council Finances](#)



Love Subway?

Or know of a company ready to hold a staff lunch? Council has large denominations of gift cards (from our cancelled lunch program) that we would like to sell so we can use the cash for school purposes. Contact Council below for details!

Get involved!

Need more info or want to help out?



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