Parent Council Minutes For Wednesday Mar 6, 2019

Present: Trina Boymook, Kimberly Teeuwsen, Raelyn Mellick, Devon Marshall, Elaine Reed, Shannon Anderson, Aileen Bozic, Andrea Breitkreuz, Jamie Peters, Francis Poole. Absent: Adrianne Drebert, Heidi Peters, Darlene Janzen

Motion to accept previous minutes by Kimberly Teeuwsen, seconded by Raelyn Mellick, approved by parent council.

Reporting:

1- Budget: \$16,948 available to parent council.

2- COSC- Working on information for upcoming spring election. Questions for candidates as well as possible forum

3- EIPS Board Report

-Annual parents survey to help build cell phone use policy for schools.

- New Wye school name - motion to be accepted next meeting

- Next two years school calendars have been worked on

- CAP on French Immersion

Action Items

1- Gift card/ card - Thanks for Wayne Regher for the help to get playground paving in motion.

- Motion approved by Shannon, seconded by Elaine. Raelyn to move forward with card and gift card.

2- Siding Replacement- A \$10 gift card and thank you card for Eldon McNaughton

- Motion approved by Shannon and seconded by Aileen, Raelyn to move forward with card and gift card

3- Parent Ambassadors

- Offer families name and email for a person to contact with questions

- Welcome Letter

- Playground Park meet and greet Friday before school starts

4- Hospitality Representative-

- Who would want to lead this going forward?

- Have a leader ready for May meeting

5- Staff Appreciation-

- Very successful. Able to achieve under budget.

- To do a cold drink appreciation in June- Motion approved by Elaine and Seconded by Kim, approved by council.

6- Council projects-

- Bottle drive- continue to encourage families to bring in their bottles.

- Video screens- Still need \$45000- \$11000

7- New council members

- Need a more focused approach- Looking for a new treasurer.

8- Interviews-

- highlight bottle drive

- Bring in coke bottle candies- Aileen will do.

- Inform Devon of your interview times to help be present in foyer during this time to greet families and promote bottle drive

9- School Fees

- Field Trips- Kindergarten- \$65

- Grades 1-6 - \$40

- Sports club- \$10- Council to oversee these funds and

redistribution- Motion accepted by Shannon seconded by Raelyn

- No Art club

- Choir- Sales and Service fees

10- Staff Encouragement Cards- to continue next school year.

11- Grade 4-6 school Supplies

- Optional

- Working with Write On Stationary

- \$5 delivery charge

- no ordering cut off date

12- Jungle Book- ready to go

13- Staffing Updates-

- Ms Darlene Eisner- retiring after 39 years
- Campus Pastor/ Chaplain EIPS Position to be posted in May
- Mr Balzer will not be returning resigning with EIPS
- Cathy Dawe- resigning and Moving to Calgary

14- MOU- appreciation gift card and card has been sent to John Peters for all his hard work through out this process

**15- Spring Election** 

- Creating a tool for councils and parents about predictable, sustainable funding

- a forum to be held for parents to come and ask questions to candidates about education

- copy of minutes to be sent to council from Trina and can be shared with parents

15- New Curriculum- on a 60 day hold until election

16- Western Day- May 24pop in for assemble and lunch recess-hot lunch sponsored by parent council

17- Farewell Staff Gift-Council to give farewell gift- return to topic in May meeting

18- Missions- Johnny and Addy to come from Mission in fall

Next Meeting May 8, 2019