

School Goal: We will facilitate a culture of engaged learning at Lochearn to result in greater success for all students in the 2014-2015 school year.

November 12, 2014 School Council Minutes



Meeting called to order at 12:02

In addition: Heather Molchanko, Nicole Ljunggen, Sam Leavitt, Melanie Trepanier, Randi Challand, Michelle McHugh Jolliffe, Kim Ponto, Jamie Boissy, Laura Henning, Lisa Tchir, Candace Colwell, Jackie Janes

Additions to Agenda - none

Approval of Minutes - changed error in last meeting minutes from October 9th that meetings have been changed to second Wednesday of each month, approved by Randi, all in favor

Chairperson's Report - Secretary position still vacant, no other changes or additions

Trustee's Report - Heather went over attached notes and explanations

Principal's Report -

Umbrella School Council Meeting-November 20 - if you do want to attend, speak to Danielle to arrange, meeting is in Buck Lake

Lochearn Treasury Branch officially opened October 29th

Alberta Infrastructure Air Quality Test- November 21 - Jerry Visser is doing a visual screening test

Roofing Update-Roofers completed temporary measures - won't be doing library or gym due to weather, rescheduled for spring

Lochearn School Accountability Survey - Danielle showed video presentation - Relationships, Engagement, and Wellness, Guiding Principles, Values at Lochearn, Programs, Student Leadership Opportunities, Outdoor Education, Accountability Pillar Survey Results discussion, Highlights of school

accomplishments.

Parent concern brought forward about what is the procedure for parent volunteers as to what to do when there is a school lockdown drill etc. while they are volunteering at the school. Danielle will formulate further information and distribute information to parents regarding procedure.

Healthy School Challenges:

November

- 3-7 15 burpees each day
- 10-14 Spend at least 20 min. outside after school
- 17-21 Less than 30 min. of screen time each day
- 24-28 Create a game that you and your friends can play at recess or after

Upcoming Events:

Portfolios-November 20

Assembly-November 25

Learning Conferences- November 25-26

Grade 5 Ski Trip- December 11

Christmas Concerts- (Gr. K-2) December 17 (Gr. 3-5) December 18 at noon for both performances.

Meeting adjourned at 12:20

Next Meeting: Wednesday, December 10, 2014

Friends of Lochearn Elementary Minutes

Wednesday, November 12, 2014

Meeting called to order at 12:21

Additions to Agenda - discussion regarding changes to how yearbook is done and improvements that can be made. Randi Challand to look after yearbook for this year for sure, will reassess going forward.

Approval of Minutes - Approved by Randi Challand

Reports:

Treasurer - Bank balance is around the same as what it was last month, approx \$900 to \$1000. Coupon books brought in \$2760 but our amount to keep is about half that amount. Yearbooks are in and distributed, went over well this year, lots of the extras are already spoken for. Jamie shared fundraising summary for review.

FundRaising/Volunteer Coordinator - Purdy's orders to do not seem to be going over as well this year, perhaps an earlier delivery date for next year would go over better. Discussion around timing for next year. Time to look at other options for fundraising instead of having to buy product all the time. Possibly look at school supply fundraiser as well as Mabels Labels, wrapping paper, and fruit fundraisers. School dance possibly in February. Carnival? Date night? Theater involvement? Kaleidoscope Klayworks? Scratch ticket fundraiser using local businesses? Family events are well received.

Purdys, deadline is this Friday, November 14th, chocolates will arrive on December 8th and 9th.

Bingo fundraiser - monies still not received, Jamie will talk to Lauren to follow up with her contact

Teacher supper for PT Interviews for November 25th, food needs to be dropped off between 2:30 and 3:30. Food required for 28-30 people. Sam will be sending out a list soon for food and volunteers required.

Family dance is February - Sam will look into for end of February, possibly dates to be considered, Feb 27th or Jan 16th. Will be determined at next meeting and will determine committee.

Decision made for Sam to proceed with fruit fundraiser in the spring as timing is for spring delivery. Lisa Tchir made a motion and all in favor. Carried
Sam will look into Casino fundraiser and the requirements/parameters.

Hot Lunch - nothing to report

Milk - nothing to report

Old Business: Revisit money set aside for staff appreciation. Decision made to leave money set aside \$300, decision will be made at later date regarding what will be done. Dates Feb 17th and 18th.

New Business:

Wish List -

-Tire Swings

-Snowshoes

Meeting adjourned at 1:05pm

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