

School Council April 4, 2023

Time: 7 pm Location: Lochearn Elementary School In Attendance: Kristin McKenelly, Christine Giguere, Laura Henning, Karen Beck, Mary Gideon, Stephanie Anderson, Kathy Mcnutt, Crystal Appleyard

Additions to Agenda:

None

Approval of Minutes: approved by Kristin McKenelly seconded by Stephanie Anderson

Chairperson's Report:

No report

Trustee's Report:

No report

Principal's Report:

- Grade 5 The total fundraising for grade 5 is **\$2544.30**.
- (Bake Sale \$799.95 + Bottle Drive \$1744.35)
- Report cards go home on Thursday
- PT Interviews are next week, Tuesday and Thursday 4:00 6:30
- Indigenous conference next Wednesday
- New FWW Tegan Fandrick started the week before Spring Break
- Meet the Speech Pathologist strategies to foster language development through books Thursday at 8:45
- Earth Day Week Earth Rangers April 18, John Dunn k-2(9 9:45) 3-5 (10 11) April 20
- Crystal Clark Story of the buffalo
- 21st Spirit Day Career Day
- April Assembly 25th at 12:15
- Professional Learning Day on 28th (no school for students)

- May 1 Music Monday to celebrate music education, weather permitting will be performed outside at noon. If the weather isn't cooperating it will be in the gym.
- Before and After School Update–Nurture tree, division has contract drawn up hoping to have room set up in June and ready to go for Sept.

Past Events

- Board Tour March 9 Students did a great job of touring the trustees around the school. Meet with students to discuss areas of strengths and areas of growth. The students had lots to say(see insert)
- Sensory Session on March 17 was canceled due to lack of participants, try on April 28 with parent and child present.
- Crystal Clark Metis spoons and jigging

Upcoming Events:

• Indigenous Education Conference

Adjournment at 7:14pm Next Meeting: May 9th, 2023

Friends of Lochearn Fundraising Society

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Chairperson's Report: (Christine)

- Playground Update:
 - swing set move, may not pass inspection if moved and there is rust on bars. Admin procedure provided
 Discussed cost for new items, shipping and installation.
 Will need to look into outside sponsorship, bigger fundraising options
 - funding applications: Next to New, Canlin Energy, Large Community Grant with the Town of RMH, West Fraser, Keyera. Huge thank-you to Marion for getting letters organized and written and applications done.
 - Food trays from CO-OP for teachers were more expensive than expected Laura motioned to approve the extra amount, Christine seconded All in favor.

Fundraising/Volunteer Coordinator: (Christine & Kristin)

- Fudge Fundraiser \$505.20 made
- Greenhouse Fundraiser: April 15th deadline, seems to be going well so far
- Beef Jerky Fundraiser: still looking into
- Co-op BBQ: Rocky has Saturdays you get assigned one of three requested days. Co-op supplies everything we purchase condiments from them. They supply two people to help and we supply three to work it. Will find out a date that we can get.

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Treasurer: (Kristin)

- Monthly Update
- Discussed ways to spend the Alberta Education Engagement Grant. Use it to entice parents to engage in a night that can also be used as a fundraising event.

Hot Lunch/Milk Program: (Carma)

- Hot Lunch Update
- DQ and Co-op on board

Old Business:

- Casino List, from February meeting-still looking into
- April PD Potluck
- PT Interviews:

Wish List:

- Summer bins–6 bins Mary motioned to spend \$600 on bins Christine seconded- all in favor
 Discussed what to get for bins
- Laura Motioned to approve \$1800 for teacher supplies (\$100 for each teacher) Christine seconded all in favor
- Look into painting hopscotch, 4 squares on sidewalks

New Business:

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Adjournment at 8:13pm Next Meeting: May 9th, 2023