

Prairieview Parent Council
Meeting Minutes of Tuesday November 22nd, 2016

Present: Tracy Inaba, Joy Basnett, Colleen Deitz, Edie Lundgren, Lorelee Wyatt, Sara Umscheid, Lori Gair, Mary Ann Fath, Amanda Akitt, Adam Schneider, Morgan Fulton, Mrs. Booker-teacher Rep

Regrets: Robert Strauss

- A quorum was present and the meeting was called to order by chair Joy Basnett at 6:30 p.m.
- We agreed on the agenda, as presented.

Business from Minutes of October 20th, 2016:

- Tracy looked into how other schools are paying for hot lunch, etc. It can be done on-line and you can carry a balance. More discussion regarding food cards and a way to make the process easier. No real solutions.
- Pancake Sales were not what we had expected. Conversation was had as to how to sell the pancake mix.. Suggested by the Hanson's that signs go up in their pet store. It was also decided that we would sell the pancake mix at the Christmas concert.
- Book Fair was a success. Many thanks to all who volunteered. There were 3,600 in sales and 2,080 worth of books to the school library.

Principal's Report: Tracy Inaba(see printed report distributed) Some hi-lites:

- URSTRONG presentation sponsored by FCSS.
- scientists in school

- 4 student teachers from U of L
- Report cards
- Christmas concert and Christmas dinner by Vulcan Lions on Dec. 20th

Trustees: Colleen Deitz

- 21 recommendations to activate from their board review.
- Discussing policies on how to review and keep everyone informed.
- Financial audit is completed.
- Enrolment is up by 7%.
- Safety Response to Critical Incidents-changing terminology.
- Student's conference-grades 7-12, was well attended.
- School Council resource guide is available for download at Alberta School Council Association.

Treasurer: Loralee Wyatt

- Credit Union-Main Account
November 16th, 2016-\$26,320.21
- CIBC Casino Account
November 16, 2016-\$33,927.17
- Society Account
October 30, 2016-\$90.59
- Annual Report is complete.
- Society Annual Report is complete

Casino: Edie Lundgren

- 5,000.00 from the Elks towards the GAGA BALL Pit.
- It was noted that we would send a thank-you to the Elks for their support.
- Conversation was had regarding the addition of hockey

lines, hopscotch or X and O's onto the new sidewalk.

Hot Lunch: Lori Gair/Mary Ann Fath

- Stock pot purchased.
- A cut back has been made on fruit purchased.

Room Reps: Sara Umscheid

- The room reps are a good support for teachers.
- More thought on inviting people to volunteer.

Director Reports:

- EDC(Amanda Akitt): The work of EDC-Busy boards have been set up in the arena, a nutrition workshop, Little Warriors Presentation(sexual abuse of children), breast feeding challenge, baby boxes, etc.
- Hoping for a grant to run in 2017.

New business:

- Christmas concert baskets: It was suggested that a list be made for each basket for folks know what they would be getting.
- Parents are welcome to help in putting the baskets together for the concert.
- Next meeting is January 17th-Tuesday at 6:30 P.m.

We adjourned at 7:34 P.m.

Thank-you folks for your dedication to Prairieview Elementary School Community.

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