**VPE Parent Council** 

Tuesday March 17<sup>th</sup>

6:30

Present:

Shila Provost, Mary Ann Fath, John Dyck, Tina Reimer, Amanda Gauthier, Tiara Krystalowich,

Trish Thompson, Alicia Earl, Marla Loyva, Katie Wade, Toby Clarke, Kelly Wickstrom, Lorelei Bexte, Tracy Inaba

Marla moved, Amanda second minutes as read - motion carried

Principle Report -

Snow policy back to -18 with a wind chill with some discretion

Hand Sanitizer – Teacher applied at the door

School survey will be arriving soon – see Principles report for more detail

School Supplies for next year – school agenda company has a program available that includes a bag with their name and supplies included – price around the same as life before covid

Easter Egg - one golden egg per class

Parent teacher interview Wed/Thur No school Friday

Report Cards out 29<sup>th</sup>

Trustee Report - Lorelei Bexte - nothing new to report

New budget numbers should be available by the end of the month

Treasurers Report - See attached

Market street fruit program paid, EDF renewables \$1000 grant was direct deposited

Amanda Hot Lunch - Wednesday's from here on in!

Nancy - Canadian Science Grant is available if anyone has any ideas

Alberta Education – k-3 early literacy assessments

More supports for schools would be great

Ideas -	_					
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1 chrome book for every student -

Outdoor play structure

One school, one book per family - Recording a volunteer to read chapters if parents get busy \$1000

Teacher wish list - \$6100

Future school groups like sound creation, clay for kids, trickster

Formination of a playground committee to get a ball rolling for some sort of an outdoor structure

Tracy report on casino funds -

\$378 for rhythm sticks for grade 1-4 have been purchased

Motion to pass an amended amount for the rhythm sticks - shila, seconded trish. Motion Passed

Currently outstanding - \$7560 sound creation, clay for kids, rhythm sticks

Teacher wish list 6100

One book - school \$1000

Marla moves to allocate \$6000 for School wish list, trish second - motion passes

Treasures report - no change - see attached

Should leave \$10,000 - to be allocated to next years bussing requirements and trickster theater

Adjouned 8.15

Next meeting April 27<sup>th</sup> 6.30

To Note -

Youth center free food Friday – after school 5/6 tour ages 10-18

Parent open house coming soon, josh cookson is the new Program Director



#### **VULCAN PRAIRIEVIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

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## School Council Principal's Report - March 16, 2021

### **Discussion Items:**

- Outdoor recess update
  - After our discussion last meeting, Tracy will share what was decided about our policy.
- Alberta Education Assurance Surveys
  - o March 15-April 23
  - Students and teachers done at school
  - Parents (of students in grades 4-12) have been emailed a random access code.
- School supplies for next year
  - What we are considering doing.
- Easter Egg Hunt
  - Will be trying to do this COVID style.

### **Information items:**

- Parent/teacher interviews this week
- Report cards go out March 29

# <u>School Council Foundation</u> <u>Principal's Report - March 16, 2021</u>

- Teacher wish list
- Music update

### March 16<sup>th</sup> 2021 Treasurer Report

School Council Report

Main Account Balance: \$31,042.77

Cheque issued for Market Street March 8 for February invoice for weekly fruit.

EDF Renewables Apple Project \$1000 grant payment issued March 4<sup>th</sup> via auto deposit.

### **Foundation Report**

Casino Account Balance: \$24,990.03

Foundation Account Balance: \$84.09

No outstanding cheques

# Casino Wishlist-2021 (Check at bottom of chart for general guidelines of what is and is not covered)

Teacher/Grade level	Item name/description	Approximate Cost/Order info	
Grade 5/6s	Scientists in School (March 25th)	\$440 in total	
Grade 1-2	Scientists in School - haven't booked yet	\$440 in total	
Early Learning	2 trees (apple?) to replace the dead ones		
Art	Liquid watercolor	\$220	
k-6	Student whiteboards	\$500 in total	
Kindergarten	New toys - such as: but not limited to: train tracks, farm animals, puzzles	\$300 max but if that is too much - we would be happy with any \$	
Kindergarten	Scientists in School - I would like to to see what other people thought about the online part before we book	\$440	
PE	Rubber playground balls Set of 6 x 5	\$55 per set (x 5)	
	Cart to store them	\$240	
3/4s	Reader pens (3 total - 1 per class) or as many as possible	\$330 each	
3/4s	Noise cancelling headphones - 6 for each class (18)	Approx. \$50 each.	
3/4	2 Sheets of corrugated plastic (to make privacy dividers for desks	\$52 x 2	
%'s	Beads and lacing for wampum belts	\$250	