

PSG June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 minutes

Present: Marianna MacNeill, Jana Chrisp, Jenny Schroeder, Danielle Fonseca, Jenn Begg.

Approval of last month minutes: Approved by Marianna, seconded by Jana.

Correspondence: We received a thank you card from Claudia and Colleen for inviting them to the teacher's luncheon.

Reports: Council: Outstanding tuition will be collected in August. Numbers for the school attendance look good for next year approx.: 200 kids. Kindergarten is full.

Gaming: We have allocated where all the gaming money will be spent for this year.

Treasurer: Grade 7 parents have asked for some funds to help with their graduation decorations. We have decided to allocate \$250.00 per year to cover the cost of the balloons for the arch and other so it can be used for Grade 7 and Kindergarten graduations. The money will come from funds from the Fun Food Friday money collected. Overall we are doing ok as our fundraisers brought in good amounts of money this year.

School: May 31<sup>st</sup> most staff took a pro-d day called "Ensuring Safe and Caring Communities" a safe school ERASE training initiative. Kindergarten orientation is underway – we have a full class for next year of 24 students. Grade 3-7 students participated in the SD57 track and field meet June 6<sup>th</sup>. Grades 6&7 participated in this year's Terry Wilson Soccer Tournament June 7<sup>th</sup>. There are many field trips happening throughout June as we wrap up the school year. 26 students from grades 5-7 are participating in this year's Little Mudder competition at Otway on June 14. Our last school mass in June 20<sup>th</sup> led by grade 7, grade 7 graduation is the same day at 7pm. Sports day is June 21. Grade 7 will be out at Camp Morice from June 24-26. Last day of school is June 27 with an 11:30 am dismissal.

Ongoing Business: Silent Auction: The DJ price is going up. We will use him for this fall and then look into another company. Danielle will get the binder updated and give it to a grade 4 parent for this fall with the auction letter with a paper copy and electric copy. It was suggested to lower the cost of tickets to \$40.00 each and do a discount if you purchase a whole table of 10. The auction dinner is November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

Staff luncheon/ gifts: The luncheon was vegan with a healthier you theme. Went really well. PSG gave them engraved coffee mugs with a GC from council.

Sports Day: Devlin family are bringing the BBQ, Angela Aubichon volunteered to purchase the food and ice cream. Lots of volunteers.

Teacher's Wish lists: Jenny mentioned \$200.00 for each teacher. They need to give us receipts or notice and amounts of items.

Fundraisers: We will stick with the ones we currently have. We will see how Purdy's does with a store now in town. Possible sweaters for sale for parents and volunteers.

New Business: Kids for kindness prizes: Jana will pick up 8 GC for books & Co for \$25.00 each.

Sept meet the teacher pot luck/PSG info: Jenny has a different rundown for the evening. We will send home a flier with the breakdown of food.

New meeting date: Stay with the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month.

Other: Jana received a false email request for money. We all need to be vigilant and check with each other.

Fun Food Friday: There are a few loop holes we are addressing but it will remain for next year. Create smaller order increments.

Danielle will advertise for a new secretary due to upcoming studies.

Next meeting Sept 11, 2019.