

Portage View P.S. Parent Council Meeting
MINUTES

Date: Monday, December 4, 2017

Time: 5:15pm

Present: Principal Rob Prouty, Vice Principal Marci Morris, Librarian Jacquie Raycraft, Sandy Barker
Council members: Rachel Draper, Jennifer Reddy, Sarah Vibert, Jennifer Belbeck-Cragg, Cerry Hansen

Regrets: Manisha Nickelchok, Andrew Tomarin, Mike and Tracey Beaudry

Recorder: Jennifer Belbeck-Cragg

| No. | Item | Presenter/Action/Motion/Outcome |
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| A 1) | Welcome and Introductions: Rachel Draper | Call to order 5:20pm |
| B 1) 2) | Requests of Council Teacher Report: Mrs. Raycraft | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - None brought forward - Forest of reading books have arrived - Computer Science week, coding - Dodgeball is going on - Eco Team activities - Elephant Thoughts after school program wrapping up - Intermediate boys and girls basketball - Junior boys vball starting - Knitting & Crocheting club - Lego Robotics club competed in Toronto - Music club continuing - Playground PALS almost up and running, older students setting up activities for younger students - Leadership Team up and running for 7&8s, starting Kindness Project, tickets given for acts of kindness - Yearbook is in progress - Gift Gala Dec.13/14, volunteers needed - Toiletry drive for Youth Haven - Spirit Days for last week before holidays - Kindergartens having winter celebrations. - Talent Show Dec.20 (430-630pm for adults \$2 each) - Wonder movie Friday - Zoo to You - "Today at PV" Sign outside library for clubs and meetings |

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| | | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Book Fair added 125 books to library plus can order from Scholastic |
| C 1) | PIC \$500 Mobilization and Outreach Allocation | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discussion re: what to spend \$500 on: outdoor bulletin board, software license - More info on software "Reflex" \$3295 USD per school or \$35/student - Can we use to hold an event where parents and kids come in and work on the Weed Room? |
| 2) | PRO Grant for School Council | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Proceeding with Mental Health/Wellness fair next year (application for funding to be submitted Spring 2018, funding to be received Fall 2018, event to be held Spring 2019) |
| 3) | PRO Grant Regional | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - No current plans to take advantage of the regional PRO grant, look at applying next year to combine with the School Council PRO Grant |
| D | Other Items | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Movie Night – look at setting time back and start right at 6pm. Need to decide on movie for next time. Next movie pre-DVD release. Next movie is Jan.25.Feb.22, Apr.19 (should we change to Apr.26 to coincide with PA Day?). *Date changed to April 26, 2018 - Possibility of combining with an info night for parents - Volunteers: still some areas that need help: Reading with kindergarten students, backup for Hot Dog Days: Jen Reddy offered to be backup for hot dog days. - Suggestion brought forth to promote Canada 150 by encouraging 150 Random Acts of Kindness, fits with the Leadership Kindness Project |
| E | Fundraising Reports | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Still no date on Wendy's night - Chapter's Night Mar. 22 from 6-8pm, McDonald's still not confirmed - Candy Grams: too late for candy canes, go ahead for Valentine's |
| F | Principals Report | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cooking Classes: 4 teachers are on board to start cooking lessons - Need funds from council to purchase cookware / individual burners <p>MOTION TO APPROVE PURCHASE</p> |

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| | | OF SUPPLIES FOR COOKING CLASSES, MOTION BY SARAH VIBERT, SECONDED BY JENN BELBECK-CRAGG. |
| G | Items for Next Meeting | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Decision on PIC \$500 spending - New date for Spring BBQ as June 7 may be an election/voting day |
| H | Next meeting: | Monday, February 5, 2018 |
| I | Adjournment | 7:15pm |
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