

**MARYSVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

**PAC MEETING**

**Wednesday, November 15, 2023**

Meeting start 6:32 pm Meeting end 7:55 pm

Attendance:Nancy Abernthey, Jessica Sorensen, Stacy Decosse, Lisa McIvor, Cindy Cale TEAMS: Kelsey Sproule, Liah Van Veen, Anna Kennedy

Guest Speaker

Treasurer Steve Jackson, Early Childhood Centre

* + Crystal Macleod daycare/ hiring once building is built it will take time to get licensing and staff no clue how long 2-6 months
  + SD6 website early learning tab there is a spot about this daycare and how to put name on list for child care
  + Vision with ministry of education of seamless childcare for children
  + Stacy will work with daycare manager, work as a team
  + Kimberley had the greatest need so we received funding.
  + Summit Community is the partner for project
  + Looked at a project at a school in golden that had a childcare facility that works well and based design off of that.
  + Silverado contractors, worked with lots of school in the past are great to work with. Understand working in at schools.
  + Two play areas with trike path for kids to ride on. Lots of natural based play areas. Stepping stone etc
  + Designed to look a bit less institutional more homely to make it more comfortable for kids. Lots of bright colours for the kids
  + Stacy will send through some pictures of the drawings
  + All questions/concerns regarding highway and road concerns go to ministry of transportation
  + Concreate footing work in the next few weeks, framing to start before Xmas or in January. Might have the roof up by March
  + The wood from the big Oak tree, Daryl Oakley is volunteering mill and time to cut it up in slabs. Then will work with the Selkirk woodwork team and design and make benches. Big oak tree actually was starting to rot.
  + Saved what they could of garden then will get new fencing and such
  + Any questions pass on to Stacy and she will get them to

Minutes and Agenda Approval

**First Nancy Second Lisa, all in favour**

Correspondence

* Nothing

Reports

Treasurer

* + General Acct $5850 money fundraised Gaming Acct $6804.51 - paid for PA system now, paid for pumpkins and craving tools, guest speaker series gift card and snacks for that

Principal

* District Policy and Practice
  + - * + Board meeting Tuesday Nov. 14th.  Minutes are on the website under board and governance, spot on there where you can click to review policy under review
        + Find notes here Board Meetings | Rocky Mountain School District No. 6 (sd6.bc.ca)
* School Success Plan

Shared data from first term :

Increase the sense of belonging, if you like coming to school, 2 adults who care, friend in your class, were you nice to someone, was someone nice to you - community circle twice a week

Number Sense - Snap assessment - 1 or 2 out of 3 need help. Grade 1s and 2s generally still need help on numbers

Growing capacity of self - about learning - prep teachers and collaboration and watch other teachers or work with other teachers. How is collaboration changing learning in your class?

Stewardship for the future - increase curricular classes outside. Does connecting kids to the environment increase their learning. Will see this on the report card

Share with Pac

Equity, Values, Inclusion talk

* Events & Assemblies

Remembrance Day was lovely.

Christmas Shopping Spree - Stacy is happy to do organizing but will need volunteers. Drop off starts Wed Dec 6, Shopping Spree Dec 13. Stacy will put out a call for help with organizing. Will need volunteers on the day of for wrapping. PAC CAN HELP FOR WRAPPING PAPER, TAPE AND SUCH

Christmas performance afternoon December 20th - Will send home video as well. New production this year, need new costumes - Stacy is able to cover it $200 max

* Equity and Truth and Reconciliation

Admin spent two days at St. Eugene

Tour with elders, movie, beading, guest speakers

Book “Valley of the Bird Tail” recommended

* Other

Mrs. Bancks off on Maternity leave, Ms. Bohn teaching grade 1, Miss Cross from north Vancouver teaching 2/3 starting this week.

Report cards home Dec. 18th.

Long month in December

Rainbow day on Friday, fancy sweater day last day of school pj day– fun days for school spirit

Breakfast with Santa again - Stacy needs a new Santa - Stacy can pay for the muffins out of feeding futures and she will be able to use feeding futures for the year end muffins

Unfinished Business

* Art Cards Update
  + - * + Samples are on the way, can purchase online, deadline for ordering is November 20. Will try to get them in a bit sooner next year
* Garden Committee
  + - * + 7 people signed up
        + Need to officially appoint a chair. Nancy Abernethy will be the chair.
        + After meeting Nancy will report back to PAC, money decisions will all go through PAC

New Business

* Hot lunch

Stacy will get organized and work with Carly and start in January. 6 hot lunches would be under $4000. Can use the gaming money. Would we look in to getting more hot lunch that parents can pay for? Would need a hot lunch committee due to the amount of work. Stacy can send out survey to see if parents would prefer to for PAC to pay once a month or they pay half and get it twice a month. Vote on PAC to provide jan feb arp may jun pizza hot lunch using hot lunch roughly $4000 **Anna First Lisa second all in favour**

* Can we send out another email about dogs

Next meeting : December 20, 2023 6:30 pm skipping January 17 6:30pm