School Council Minutes

DATE: Nov 4, 2019, 3:30pm Sheldon Coates Staff Room

ATTENDEES: Lindsay DeRoches, Tasha McNeil, Laryssa Harley, Tina Blois and Catie Layes Michelle Bolay

AGENDA:

- 1. Welcome Everyone.
- 2. Hot Lunch: Danielle is currently the lead on this. She is looking for someone to replace her. She will continue this position until the New Year. We will ask around and see if we have a volunteer who is willing to take the food safe course. Lindsay nominated Holly to take over unless an alternative is found. It was taken to a vote, 1st by Laryssa and seconded by Tasha and Catie. The popcorn days will continue to be organized by Krista James.
- 3. School Clothing: We are still waiting to hear from Danielle about this. It is not going to be a fundraiser, but we do want the community to have an option to buy school clothing to increase school spirit. Lindsay is going to ask Breanne Epoch who has a local company "Proposals and Prints" about doing the same school logo on t-shirts and hoodies.
- 4. Recycling Program: Catie took a truckload to GP. We are still waiting to get a cheque from them. When we need to go again we will decide which council members are heading out of town and they will do the drop off.
- 5. Outdoor Classroom: We did not have an update on this as Danielle was absent. When Michelle arrived, she let us know that she sent in the plan and we are waiting on approval.
- 6. Chairs for Christmas Concert: Laryssa has confirmed we have 200 chairs booked out from the rec centre Dec 10th-13th. Lindsay and Tasha will pick up on the 10th as well as set up with help of the Grade 3's.
- 7. Bank Accounts: Holly and Catie are looking into who actually has signing authority. Hopefully we will have an answer for this at our next meeting. Preschool funds (brought from Creative Kids Preschool at the rec) needs to be decided upon. Michelle expressed that current registration fees were

waived for all of the preschool students for the 2019-2020 school year. Also that Sharlee has paid a lot of personal money to get the New preschool up and running. We discussed that we will give Michelle \$3000 out of the previous preschool funds to cover the costs mentioned above.

New Business:

- 1. Principal Update: The new budget came out on Oct 24th. They made cuts, but have kept the nutrition fund.
 - Outdoor preschool as mentioned above; Michelle is waiting to hear for approval on the plans.
 - Nov $20^{\rm th}$ There is a magician coming to the school, the show's name is "Brilliant & Resilient". It is being paid for using donation money. It will cost \$800. Report cards go home on Nov $22^{\rm nd}$ 2019.
 - Parent/Teacher conferences will be held Nov 25th-28th as well as the book fair. Volunteers will be needed for set up, tear down and open hours.
- 2. Next Meeting: Jan 6th 3pm Sheldon Coates