

LWPPC Minutes Nov 12, 2018

Present

Mandy, Meaghan, Vern, Janice

Regrets

Llisa, Emily, Ali

Minutes Review

Motion to approve minutes as presented made by Mandy. Seconded by Meaghan.

Treasurer's Report

Halloween Dance income:

Ticket sales: \$487.30 less \$26.50 for student gifts (window clings replaced glow sticks): **\$460.80**

Canteen sales: \$188.25 less \$99.22 for supplies (candy and bags): **\$87.03**

Overall, positive event. Well attended. Canteen supplies purchased based on last year's sales, but demand this year was higher. Can increase purchases for next year.

Principal's Message

- Parent-Student-Teacher conferences Dec 5&6. Notices soon.
- Report cards will be available via online portal.
- Christmas Concert: Dec 17. Will have matinee and eve performances.
- Christmas Shopping Days: Nov 28 & 29 (with set up Nov 27).

Last year, donated items to charity that have been set out and packed away for multiple years now (not "moving"). Had 1.5 days of shopping, which went well. Goal of event is that kids are able to bring home a wrapped gift to place under the tree for someone. Money received goes to charity (Toy Mountain and Pediatric Cancer Care). If students do not have money, they can still take home a wrapped gift.

- Gingerbread House eve: Nov 29. Event coordinated by Vern and Janice. Janice has already secured the nut-free ready-to-decorate houses from Bulk Barn. Cost to families is \$10 per house. Any excess costs will be split between LWS and LWPPC.
- Friendship Centre - opportunity for kids in grades 1-2 and 3-5 to gather with friends and learn about Indigenous Culture. Happens every Wednesday lunch hour (alternating between gr 1-2 and 3-5 each week) with an after school event scheduled once per month. After school events require separate permission forms each month. Upcoming afterschool dates: Nov 15, Dec 13.
- Fibre Club - knit and crochet - Mondays at lunch. Starting with grades 3-5. Co-hosted by Mrs. Nadurak and Mandy Furney.
- Floor Hockey - grades 4& 5 lunch hours.
- Ojibway Language lessons open to all begin Nov 19 at lunch hour.

- Lunch Program - proceeding as usual.
- Baking Program - Nov group hosted by Mrs. Elias is making Bannock and Stew, a Wild Rice dish, and Bison Tacos.
- Mrs. Treffner (gym) will have a request proposal to present in January for LWPPC.

Community Connector Report

Good attendance at Stay and Play events. Wed & Fri mornings average 15 kids. Thursday afternoon events average 9 kids. In new year, Thursday afternoon event will require registration but will still accommodate existing group of attendees.

Notes that the former Florist shop on Henderson, nearby, has a drop in program on Tuesday mornings.

Committees

Bake Sale/Silver Collection coming up Dec 17. Mandy will update the letter to go home with students.

Christmas Shopping - Nov 28 & 29 - Letters updated by Mandy and submitted for printing. [As of Nov 13, in teacher mailboxes for distribution]. Jessica M will be coordinating this event with assistance from Mandy and Emily as needed.

Given the small size of council this year, aiming to recruit additional support for coordinating particular events among active volunteer parents who may not be able to attend evening meetings. Coordinators would report to Mandy (chairperson).

Special Lunch, as per above, aiming to solicit a school community member to coordinate hot lunch events.

Mandy will create a PDF mini letter to be distributed via Wolseley Weekly. Vern to include reminders in comments.

Next Meeting

Dec 10, 2018.

Meeting Adjourned 7:10pm