

**Donwood School Pac 2014-2015
Minutes**

Tuesday, May 12, 2015 7:00

Present: Connie Janzen Winter, Tanya Horton, Brandy Koebel, and Deanne Balkissoon
Elizabeth Klassen joined us for the first time. Welcome Elizabeth
Regrets: Cindy Sawatzky, Noreen Koch, Linda Hirt
Administration: Ryan Francis and Christine Anderson

Opening Review of Minutes – Connie

REPORTS

Admin Report Christine and Ryan

- Very successful work done using our AAA grant money. Donwood hosted AAA consultant Lisay Aymont-Hunter and artist, Alice Kulyk.
- Construction continues. Top of the Line Grooming Area done and new washer and dryer. These were purchased with fundraising money.
- Monitor and equipment purchased for front area and has been installed and connected. This will be active once construction completed.
- Mrs. Anderson continues to be in mornings and Mr. Vanderhooft continues to support in administrative role in afternoons.
- Very successful Student Expo
- New website now active
- Divisional POW WOW saw a good representation from Donwood, including a performance from our Nakoda Girls Club
- Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon May 13, 2015

Treasurer Report – read by Connie

General Fund	\$477.04
Hot Lunch	\$2012.59
Greening	\$2274.49
Fundraising	\$1199.27
Greening Maintenance	\$2500
*School/Student Support Account	\$1499.07
TOTAL	\$9952.46

PAC donated \$250 towards the new school monitor. Patrols will take the \$350 that is set aside for them.

Hot Lunch Linda Hirt read by Connie

Hot lunch did really well this year considering the grade sixers left.

Fundraising Brandy Koebel

Show and Save Fundraiser raised \$949.27 after buying prizes for top sellers. This was an easy fundraiser and raised just under what we normally raise with flowers but with less work and less volunteers. Despite this, many people said they missed the flower fundraiser. It was suggested that next year we try

Greenlea Greenhouses. Parents appreciated the PAC explanation that went home with the fundraiser. This is something we would like to do each year.

Greening Committee Ryan Francis

Trees Purchases and waiting to be planted

New Business

Book Fair Coupons – Noreen reported that we will spend \$140.75. We budgeted \$350.00. PAC approved an additional amount of \$60.00, as requested by the library. Total PAC will pay for book fair coupons would be \$200.75.

Staff Appreciation – Was very well received and appreciated

PAC Elections – All Positions remain the same

Questions re Parent Volunteers – Were Teachers told not to have as many volunteers this year? Admin clarified that this isn't the case and some teachers don't need volunteer help.

PAC to buy Freezies and hand them out to Patrols.

It was suggested that we change when we have our meetings next year because it seems like we need a meeting in April but not October. There were also some conflicts with our scheduled dates. New Dates for next year are as follows. September 15th, November 3rd, January 12th, March 8th, April 12th, and May 10th. *We would like this to be put as New Business for the September meeting.*

Meeting Adjourned at 7:45

NEXT MEETING September 15th, 7:00

Minutes by Deanne Balkissoon