

Donwood School Pac 2014-2015

Minutes

Tuesday, October 14, 2014 7:00

Present: Connie Janzen Winter, Tanya Horton, Brandy Koebel and Deanne Balkissoon

Regrets: Cindy Sawatzky, Linda Hirt, Noreen Koch and Corrina Kroeker

Administration: Ryan Francis

Opening

Review of Minutes – Connie

Administration Report Ryan Francis

Christine Anderson will be off for a few weeks, any concerns can be forwarded to Ryan Francis.

School BBQ – awesome turnout, about 500 people came out to this event

PBIS – Staff have been involved in training with a divisional coach for becoming a Positive Behaviour Interventions and Support School. Donwood has already been doing a lot of the things involved in this program but they have now officially started the program. One of the programs they have already been doing is Caught you caring.

Terry Fox Run – was a successful event. The students raised \$313 through donations and freezie sales.

Lockdown drills- our school has performed 1 out of 2 mandatory drills on Friday September 26th. The second drill will occur in Spring 2015. Parents will be given advance notice.

Snack Cart began on Tuesdays and Thursdays to supplement Breakfast Program.

Reading Program – A new program has started with different incentives. Students will now receive book fair coupons towards the March book fair. 20 days/month for 20 minutes a day = 50 cents. There will be an end of year celebration as well.

Construction – is going according to plan and should be completed by January 2015. The music room should be completed by the end of November.

Our school will hold a Remembrance Day service on November 7th at 10:45.

REPORTS

New Business – Connie

The PAC meeting dates in the newsletter are not consistent with the dates that were set out in the May 13, 2014 PAC meeting. According to the May 2014 PAC meeting, the future PAC meetings should be on November 18, 2014, January 13, 2015, March 10, 2015 and May 12, 2015.

Treasurer Report – read by Connie (email received from Noreen Koch)

General Fund	\$1280.84
Hot Lunch	\$716.52
Greening	\$2274.49
Fundraising	\$500
Greening Maintenance	\$2500
*School/Student Support Account	1489.07
TOTAL	8760.62

*Money raised will now go into this account. It can be more easily accessed for expenses such as the Walkie Talkies. PAC will still know what the money is used for.

Hot Lunch read by Connie (email received from Corrina Kroeker)

Hot lunch went well. Our expenses included juice, which was bought on sale and should last us until Christmas. Next month will be hotdogs. Approximate profit is \$215.00, but there are still some same-day sales that must be added.

Fundraising Brandy Koebel

The Peak of the Market fundraiser was a staff event so the total will be reported next meeting. It was reported that the grade five students made a chain line the day all the vegetables were delivered, to help get the vegetables to the gym. Good Example of DONWOOD CARES!

Greening

Nothing to report

Meeting Adjourned at 7:30

NEXT MEETING November 18th, 7:00

Minutes by Deanne Balkissoon