

**Donwood School PAC**  
**Tuesday April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2018**

The evening started with a MATH presentation from teachers. It was well attended and appreciated.

Present: Linda Hirt, Deanne Balkissoon, Elizabeth Klassen, Tanya Horton, Jennifer Pattern-Regier, 2 new parents.

Admin: Mrs. Anderson, Mr. Rochon

Tanya Horton opened the meeting and minutes and agenda were approved.

Admin Report by Mrs. Anderson:

Thank you to our staff members, Miss Taylor, Frau Rempel, Herr Neumann and Frau Northcliffe and Frau Von Hacht for their math presentation this evening!

> Gym/Recess equipment has been purchased in support from PAC fundraising

> Discussion of Dates for 2018-2019: past practice 2nd Tuesday of each month. Please choose from the following:

\* September 13th, 2018 - Donwood Open House BBQ

\* October 9th, 2018

\* November 13th, 2018

\* December 11th, 2018

\* January 15th, 2019

\* February 12th, 2019

\* March 12th, 2019

\* April 9th, 2019

\* May 14th, 2019

\* June 11th, 2019

> Hot Lunch Dates for 2018-19

\* October 26, 2018

\* November 23, 2018

\* December 21, 2018...or ... December 14th, 2018

\* January 25, 2019

\* February 22, 2019

\* March 22, 2019

\* April 25, 2019 (Thursday)

\* May 24, 2019

> April 20th Coordinated Day. Staff are involved in School Planning PD

> Spring Newsletter was sent home and available on our school website providing pertinent information with class configurations and upcoming dates as well as many celebrations within our school.

> Our Canadian flag was lowered to half-mast on Monday, as an act of respect and to honour the victims and families of the Humboldt Broncos hockey team

*It was decided to have PAC meetings in Oct, Nov, January, March, April and May next year.*

### **Reports**

Treasurer: Linda Hirt

Accounts as of April 10th, 2018

General Account: \$2916.62

Fundraising: \$300

Greening Maintenance: \$2500

CPR/First Aid for Staff: \$200

School/School Support Account: \$721.49

Total: \$8786.65

**Hot Lunch:** Deanne and Linda

- No money was raised in March because we reduced the cost to make up for the mistake of the cost of subs.
- Will send out notice for volunteers with the next hot lunch forms. A suggestion was made to count orders in the evening.

**Fundraising:** Jennifer Pattern-Regier

Plant Fundraiser was a success so far.

**Old Business:**

- The staff are very thankful for the money donated towards the outdoor recess equipment and the snack cart.
- A package needs to be ready for the Kindergarten parents for September 4<sup>th</sup>/2018. We will invite them to a reading info night in October. Tanya and Deanne will work on this.
- Reading and Language for early years event planned for PAC in October.
- Elizabeth found some links that that info about german cultural events in Winnipeg. The German Canadian Congress is one of them We hope to have these links for parents on our website.

**New Business:**

- Nominations for PAC. Tanya, Jen and Deanne and happy to stay in same positions. Treasurer and hot lunch are vacant.
- Christine will have a list of fundraising ideas for the 2018/2019 years. We will have to purchase hats for patrols.
- We decided that we will put where the fundraising money was spent on the website for parents to see, ex recess equipment and snack cart money.

- We decided against the munch a lunch program for now but will look at new ways to make hotlunch counting easier.
- MAPC AGM May 5<sup>th</sup>.
- Newsletter to ask for play based activity donations as that is the direction Kindergarten programs are heading.

Meeting closed at 8:08

Next meeting: May 8, 2018 @ 7:00 in the School Library.