

OP Parent Council Meeting April 24, 2017 at 3:30 p.m.

Attendance:

Adrienne Gadsby	Robyn Bagley
Shannon Radtke	Kaycee Monteleone
Colette Pedde	Keira Rudge
Angela Sommers	Cara Fizzard
Laura Stephan	Everett Tetz
Sarah Rollingson	Kory Sholdice

Call to order: 3:30 p.m.

Welcome, no introductions necessary.

No additions to the agenda.

Kaycee made a motion to adopt the agenda, Adrienne 2nd, passed.

Old business: read and approved the March minutes.

New business:

- a) Celebrations-Cara said how great the school council learning session was, and several people said the Spring Fling went well, kids had fun.
- b) Fundraising report-Tanya said Jump 360 passes are not selling well, but it didn't cost us anything, so not a big deal. Colette will send out a reminder, we will sell them until May 1. Tanya is wondering about ideas for next year? We will do AdMazing Savings books again, should we do Christmas catalogue? No decision was made. We will sell school supplies again, but from a new company, School Smart, good prices for parents, and council will get \$5 per order. Colette said we missed the deadline for the artist residency program, but an idea for next year. Maybe we can fundraise for that.
- c) Family Night in the Park-May 25, from 6-7:30, we will have Mandy run some games, we will serve water and popsicles, Adrienne will rent the OP skate shack.
- d) Principal report-Colette announced that Everett will be returning to Glendale school next year. This is unfortunate for OP, but fortunate for Glendale! The OP school calendar for 2017-2018 will be very similar to this year. It is online now. August 31 will be the first day of school. Colette will go over the school ed plan with parent council at the next meeting. OP teachers are liking the new report card, positive feedback, next year 5 more schools will use it in the pilot program. Joel Carroll has been nominated for a first year teacher award, admin will be attending a dinner on May 29, very exciting! Everett said Spellathon raised approx \$12, 000 this year. A reminder that those funds pay for field trips for all students, bussing to swim lessons, and the One Book, Many Schools program. Kory asked if parents could volunteer this Friday to help prep for YWC.
- e) Treasurer report-Robyn said we have \$6500 in the bank. She will get a balance sheet this week to Adrienne. Some families have not paid for last Canyon ski day, Robyn will email them again.
- f) Hot lunch-Kaycee made a motion that OP Parent Council should switch to Healthy Hunger for our lunch program next year. Adrienne 2nd, passed. It will not cost us anything, decent selection of restaurants, all food comes labeled for kids and classrooms, HH sends emails to parents, and we will only be taking online payments next year. Cara will put announcement in newsletter in May and September.

- g) Hot dog lunch in June-same day as Track and Field-June 23, Prairie Bus Lines will bring the bbq, cook the food, and donate \$200! Cara made a motion to budget up to \$500 for the hot dog lunch to purchase other food and supplies, Adrienne 2nd, passed. Question: do we need someone certified by AHS to cook the food? We will provide hot dogs, watermelon, rice krispy treats, freezies.
- h) City Wide School Council-Sarah said there are still police liaisons who will come to the schools, she will give contact info to Colette. Canada Winter Games committee wants schools to get involved, maybe live stream the games at the schools so kids can watch? On May 9 at WP elementary, Brian St Germain will be speaking at the year end meeting.

There will not be a May parent council meeting.

Last meeting of the year will be June 12 at 3:30 p.m. Dinner will be provided. Elections will be held for the 2017-2018 school year.

Meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.