

Agenda  
Westview School Council Meeting  
January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018

Members Present:

Jenn Ross	Jeff Porter	Craig Upper	David Ama
Heather Redfurn	Shannon Schreyer	Philippa Gear	Katrina Semancikova
Christine Hiscock	Susan Harrison	Dawn Sudom	

Apologies for absence:

Connie-Lee Heath	Leanne Paluch	Amanda Chubbs	Mandy Skaronek
Jennifer Kennett	Rhonda Breen		

Motion to accept December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2017 minutes:

Motion: Susan

**Networks Report**

- ASCA April 20-22 – who will be able to go?
  - Please send your name to Jenn to confirm if you are able to attend

**New Business:**

- Adopt a School
  - Raise funds to purchase a plant tower like we have to donate to a northern school
  - Opportunity to support a northern school and connect with students from a different region
  - Students can skype and teach each other how to grow their own produce
  - Located in Arctic Bay
  - Let's get the leadership team to organize some fundraisers, spirit week, hamburger/mac & cheese day, ect
  - Get the kids to understand the challenges of the northern community (find clip from the National)
- Parent Feedback on Report Cards
  - 25% parents filled out the survey (focused on div II only)
  - Discussion around outcome based report cards vs marks

- Concern about preparing kids for junior high
- Will be a continued discussion at Networks
- Feedback on Christmas concert
  - Thoughts on using Keyano
    - What is the cost? We would have to charge admission
  - Restructure timing: introduce intermission so younger kids can leave
    - 2 separate concerts (Div I vs Div II)
  - Sound system and Microphones in the gym
    - Sound was better with the Campbells rental
  - We need to gather more information and feedback from parents
    - Jeff to send out a survey
  - Don't want to lose the family feel

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**Motion: Philippa**

**Treasurers Report**

Playground: \$26 394.44                  Casino: \$78 973.58                  Regular: \$2176.16

**Requests for Funding**

Requestor: Jeff Porter

- Pink shirts – Feb 21<sup>st</sup>
- ~\$700
- Plain pink – kids can decorate or keep plain – up to class

Motion: Philippa Gear                  Second: Susan Harrison

Requestor: Jeff Porter

- Alien Inline
- \$2900

Motion: Katrina Semancikova      Second: Jenn Ross

Requestor: Jeff Porter

- Telus World of Science
- Different programs they bring to us. Focus on divs and individual classes.
- School wide assembly
- 3 full days
- \$1140
- February 13-15

Motion: Christine Hiscock                  Second: Susan Harrison

Requestor: Heather Redfurn

- Flutes
- Heather brought one in for Demo
- Kids would get them in grade 4 and keep them at the school until end of grade 6.
- We have tabled to see if the cost can come out of Casino.

**Fundraising**

- Fundscrip.com
  - Gift cards purchased from the school – parents get full value – school gets a percentage of the sales

- Growing Smiles – Jen are we doing this in spring ??

### **Hot Lunch**

- Little cup – Susan looked into this option (adding to Pizza day) but they weren't great at communicating
  - We can make our own cups –order from GFS?
- Need to set up a day to make lunches and freeze for kids that do not have lunches
  - Katrina set up sign up
  - January 24

### **New Business**

- Volunteer Appreciation: Lunch, t-shirt, apron, other ideas?
  - Volunteer tea with small token
- Funding request – volunteer shirts
  - Who gets them? How do we decide?
  - Just for PAC? Or volunteers?
  - Order shirts through Entripi –
  - Parent Council will pay upfront
  - Parents to purchase for \$5

Motion: Susan Harrison

Second: Katrina Semancikova

**Next Meeting:** February 12 @ 7pm

**Motion to adjourn: 8:28pm**