

Minutes
Westview School Council Meeting
May 2, 2022

Present: Christine Pond, Rhonda Breen, Mandy, Katarina Semancikova, Cheryl Sheffield, Shannon Schreyer, Anna Gillespie, Jeff Porter, Melissa Reider, Stephanie Ash, Amanda Chubbs

Regrets: Cindy, Carla

Welcome

Motion to accept March 28, 2022 minutes: Katarina, Second - Rhonda

Networks:

- Mandy presents; she was present at last meeting and they reviewed the budget. The reserves are going to be depleted. Budget will be passed on May 25 Board Meeting.
- Traffic and sidewalk safety discussion addressing concerns; list can be forwarded to trustee Spargo. Always call the Pulse line to voice concerns.
- New curriculum; letter was sent letting the Government know we are planning to halt implementation of new curriculum
- New Calendar; 2023-2024 calendar is approved. Aug 18 is first day back for school Admin; students return Aug 29
- Meeting was online and in-person; there is a thought exchange going on with whether they should go ahead with broadcasted board meetings. Should they continue this? Cost is approx \$6300 a year to do this.
- Use the ASCE Grant!

Old Business:

- Alberta School Council Engagement Grant
- Melissa presents; has been in touch with Sherri from SOS. Going to stick with a virtual presentation because we are close to the end of the year. Melissa is looking for dates to give back to Sherri. May 17?? May 31??

New Business:

- Principles Message
- Staffing meeting set up for Wednesday.

- Slowly getting back into doing normal things! Grade 6's walked to Westwood and took a book to McTavish.
- Dance Play has been there, Alien in-line skating

Motion to Adjourn: Christine, second – Anna

AGM Date: June 7th. Bring your friends!

Minutes
Westview School Parents Association Meeting
May 2, 2022

Present: Christine Pond, Rhonda Breen, Mandy, Katarina Semancikova, Cheryl Sheffield, Shannon Schreyer, Anna Gillespie, Jeff Porter, Melissa Reider, Stephanie Ash, Amanda Chubbs, Laura MacEachen

Regrets: Cindy, Carla

Motion to accept March 28, 2022 minutes: Stephanie, Second – Christine

Treasurers Report

Casino: 15 752.17 General: \$9105.43

- Pending item of \$5000 from general account, leaving just over \$4000 available.
- Hot lunch website can go through Casino account
- Kindergarten graduation gowns can go through Casino account
- Reporting to AGLC is due by end of June. Must coincide with AGM

Requests for Funding

Requestor: Kayla Pilgrim

- Kindergarten Graduation
 - 25 Graduation Gowns & hats (to be used each year): approx \$525
 - Kindergarten Graduation t-shirt: \$510
 - Balloons for decoration: \$100

Motion: Anna Second: Amanda

Requestor: Holly Lin

- Steve Harmer – Motivational Magic
 - Kindness and Gratitude Theme based on curriculum
 - School wide assembly – share the message that we each have the power to do amazing things when we choose kindness and gratitude throughout our daily interactions
 - \$799 plus gst

Motion: Christine Second: Stephanie

- Can come out of Casino as it is programming for school

Requestor: Laura MacEachen

- Hot lunch website renewal - \$315

Motion: Second:

- Comes out of Casino
- Discussion of Paypal vs other methods
- This is early bird renewal so let's wait. Put it on hold and decide in June.

Requestor: Cheryl Coley

- Grade 6 Farewell
 - Balloon Pieces (Up and Away Balloons)
 - Yards Signs (~\$60) Blow up your birthday
 - Picture Frames (~\$7.99 – total ~\$247.69)
 - ~\$387.69 plus gst

Motion: Christine Second: Anna

Requestor: Christine Pond

- Teacher Appreciation Lunch
- Small token of appreciation
- 30 teachers & staff = ~\$1500

Motion: Melissa Second: Anna

Fundraising

- Growing Smiles
- We sold \$2929 worth, we made \$427.37
- Truck is coming Friday

Hot Lunch

- Soft re-launch
- Over \$1700 worth of orders for the month of May!
- Laura will provide print out of orders tomorrow
- Christine, Katarina volunteering on Thursday. Reminder we need criminal record check for volunteers

Old Business

- Yearbook – future plans; to be revisited at next meeting. Going to inquire with Life Touch regarding class photos and what they can provide for us, our ability to use the class photos etc.
- Casino – Licence must be in by July 12th. Date will be mid-September (12 & 13) and Mandy will put out Sign-Up Genius

New Business

- AGM – Coming soon (JUNE 7)
- Spring Dance; Amanda Chubbs presents. Not many restrictions left – how do we feel about Spring Fling? Jeff says not comfortable with this, it's too late in the year. Staff involvement required and they are maxed out.

- Family BBQ – About 300 kids at the school. Government gave budget for foodstuff so we don't need a funding request.
- Pancake Breakfast

Next Meeting: June 7, 2022

Motion to adjourn: Stephanie, Second - Rhonda