School Council

Meeting Minutes

November 28, 2017

Present: Erin Donaldson, Shane Beckett, Jana Riches, Hue Eldridge, Sarah DeGagne, Donna

Kowalski, Ashlee Grimard, Michelle Jewell, Shauna-Leigh Carlson, Greg Ste. Croix,

Janice Neurinski

Next meeting: March 27, 2018, 6:00pm

1. Minutes approved

2. No new business arising from minutes

3. Spaghetti dinner feedback

There was not enough spaghetti and sauce cooked beforehand. Wondering if maybe we should end the spaghetti dinner sooner (only run for an hour?). Need more people cooking noodles prior and more people on clean up after. Profit of \$816.97 will be allocated to student activities. Suggested to purchase some microwave safe bowls for reheating prior to next year's event.

4. Bullying Prevention Team

Met and completed plan, which was shared with staff and on school website. Will meet again in the spring.

5. Landscaping Committee

Deer resistant, more mature plants have been planted. Rocks are in place. Still some room where students may be able to plant flowers in the spring. Question about getting guards around baby trees.

6. Principal's Report

Board recognition-spoke about all the work that has been done on the playground.

- Children starting Christmas concert practices.
- Musical is taking place, Beauty and the Beast. Had a great turn out of talented children, most roles double cast, close to 100 children with cast and crew. Shows Feb 28 and Mar 1/2018 -Spoke about voting member numbers, all else attending meetings would have to be silent observers.
- 452 children enrolled at RMS 209 self-identify as indigenous, 26 Metis and 215 non-aboriginal

7. New Business

Direction/focus of council. Decided profits of Christmas bake sale to be donated to help with the musical for costumes/sets etc. Musical team could use volunteers at the door, donations of costumes from families, in need of a seamstress.

- -Wondering about money raised from DFS
- -Wondering if we should try to recruit a non-school affiliated person for council? Invite a student council member?

December bake sale Dec 19/20, 2017- items will not be prices, will take donations. Need more baked goods to sell. Send reminders the week prior and again a few days before. Council members to sign up

for volunteering those nights. Ingredients should be listed on baked items. Donna will provide a float and student council will make posters for the sale.

PIC rep is Jana Riches. Meeting is the following day and Jana is unable to attend. Shauna Leigh Carlson will go in her place as there needs to be a rep from RMS to vote. Jana will let council know if she is unable to attend next meeting and see if someone could go in her place, maybe be a co-representative.

School council section of the website needs to be updated. Donna will give Jasmine the names of the council members.

8. Meeting adjourned at 7:30pm