

## **SKTA School Council**

### **Meeting Minutes**

**May 18, 2023**

**Attendance:** Lisa Giacobbo, Sherry Gagne, Chris Postill, Shanalee Brenneis, Chelsey McCagherty, Lorena Knievel and Stacey Knievel

**Call to Order:** 6:33 PM

**Approval of Minutes:** Shanalee Brenneis, seconded by Stacey Knievel

**Approval of Agenda:** Stacey Knievel, seconded by Shanalee Brenneis

#### **Reports:**

**School Admin Report:** Lisa Giacobbo and Sherry Gagne

- Higher Grounds luncheon for the support staff.
- Celebrated Bison lunch winners.
- Grade 4 & 5 dynamic options went swimming and played pickle ball at Servus place.
- Academy went Rock climbing.
- The showcase on April 26, 2023, was a huge success.
  - Silent Auction raised \$2296.00.
  - Classroom Art raised \$735.
  - Buttons raised \$150.
  - Total raised for Water First Education and Training \$3181.00
- Smile cookie day raised \$324.00 for Jessie's House
- Discussed School Code of Conduct.
- Went over the plans for next school year. There has been an influx of registrations. The school will offer grade 1, grade 2 and grade ½ split for core subjects. Grade 3, grade 4 and grade ¾ split for core subjects. Subjects like gym, music, etc. will all be in with their appropriate classes, just core subjects to make class sizes smaller they have brought some grades together.
- Waiting for final numbers to see if progressive kindergarten will be offered this coming year. There needs to be a minimum of 17 students wanting to do progressive to make it affordable to do. Currently there are only 11.

#### **Upcoming Events**

- May 19 - Staff Meeting/PD Day - No Classes
- May 22 - Victoria Day - No Classes

- Mar 24 – Last Bison breakfast for Gr. 4 & 5.
- May 24 - Living Rosary with Father Trini - @ 11:00am in our gym
- May 25 - Grade 2 & 3 Field Trip to Code Ninja's
- May 26 - No Pre-K / Kindergarten Classes
- May 26 – Western Day to celebrate Rainmaker Rodeo weekend.
- May 29 - Kindergarten & Grade 1 field trip to Telus World of Science
- May 31 - Grade 4/5 Track and Field at MCHS
- June 2 - Healthy Hunger - Dairy Queen
- June 9 – PD/Staff Meeting Day – No Classes
- June 13 - Academy Students Field Trip to WEM Waterpark
- June 15 - Grade 4&5 Profiles Art Gallery In-school field trip
- June 15 - School Council Meeting & Yearend Social@6:30pm (All Parents & Guardians Welcome)
- June 16 - Student Faith Retreat Grades 1-5 @ Cardiff Park
- June 21 - National Indigenous People's Day
- June 21 - Student Field Trip Gr 1-5 to Legal for Mass at St. Emile Parish @10:30am
- June 21 - Gr 1-5 Indigenous Focused Activities with Legal School Student Buddies - (More info coming)
- June 22 – Rainbows Group end of the year student celebration
- June 23 - Grade 4 & 5 Field Trip to Fort Edmonton - (More info coming)
- June 28 – Last day of classes

**Teacher Report:** Sherry Gagne

- Grade 4's learned about Stories and histories of Alberta's First Peoples.
  - Student/s did a project on one of the First peoples, some of which include Metis, Dene, Plains Cree, Nakoda/Stoney, and Siksika/Blackfoot.
- Grade 4's learned about the history of Alberta.
- Dynamic Options did Lego Challenges, had to pick an animal and make a house etc. out of Lego. Next challenge is a food challenge. Pick a food that comes apart, i.e.. Hamburger or sandwich.

**Trustee Report:** Nothing to report.

**Old Business:** Nothing to discuss.

**New Business:** Nothing to discuss.

**Next meeting June 15th at 6:30PM**

**Friends of SKT**

- Calahoo Meats
  - Total Sales \$8,818.00
  - Total Cost \$7,168.00
  - Total Profit \$1,650.00
- Raised a grand total of \$7,586.46 for the whole 2022-2023 school year.
- Discussed fundraisers to do next year. Some of which include Purdy's Chocolate, Calahoo Meats, Stawnichy's.
- Less is more. More focus on the big sellers.
- School Dance booked for September 22, 2023. Welcome Dance.
- DFS booked to go out October 11, 2023, to be returned Nov 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> 2023, with delivery date between November 27, 2023 and December 1, 2023.