

## Davison School Community Council

December 9th, 2024

**In Attendance** – Darla, Carma, Esther, Jill, Rena, Kathy

**Regrets** – Karen, Melissa

Meeting called to order 6:35pm

Minutes from November 2024 adopted as presented – *Rena/Kathy*

Agenda adopted as presented with power to amend.

**Financial Report** – Opening Balance -\$8266.37

Closing Balance - \$9378.30

- Signing authority – Carma, Melissa and Rena have completed signing authority. As the bank has been a bit frustrating to work with, we will discuss changing banks in the spring.
- 3 outstanding cheques still to be cashed # 483/488/489 (\$24.29 AGM coffee/etc, \$40 Bus driver appreciation, \$74.75 teacher conference)
- **\*If charging something at COOP please let Rena know until postal strike so it can be paid**
- Cheque received from GSSD Grant \$1255 and another GSSD cheque for \$142.91
- Cheque 481 \$153.90 welcome signs, 482- Coop \$1.93, 484 – \$50 breakfast club, Deposit \$1400 Painted Hand grant, 485 - \$644.90 McDonalds for Hot lunch, deposit of \$432.25 hot lunch cash and \$466 hot lunch etransfer, 486 – hot lunch refund \$14, 487 COOP \$119.25.
- Kathy submitted her volunteer hours to CN and has earned \$2250 for the SCC. Any other CN family board members are urged to look into this as well.
- Rena has reordered cheques as the current ones are stuck in the mail – 10 left.

**Principal's Report** - \*attached\*

- 200 students including PreK
- Going back to Provincial Student Assessment
- School Skating booked for January and February – note will go out in January
- Winter Wonderland plans are in place. We will share school postings.
- Mrs. Gettel is retiring at the end of December, Miss Edoe is away until January.
- There will be a Dance over lunch hour on Dec 18<sup>th</sup> with donations going to Austin Strong.

**Continued Business**

- Hot Lunch – McDonald's Nov 14<sup>th</sup> – Everything went really well. Some were missing sauces. Labelling and delivery was great. 130 orders. Profit \$239.35
- Teacher Conferences – Carma picked up Chicken instead of pizza for Nov 28<sup>th</sup> for \$80.
- Winter Wonderland – December 17<sup>th</sup> 6pm-8pm – SCC Volunteers for Popcorn station. Carma will talk to MCS students about coming to volunteer to make popcorn – Esther will start popcorn

after school. Board members will help hand out – please take turns while you are there with your children. Esther will be there prior to 6pm for the first shift.

- Grinch Lunch – December 19<sup>th</sup> – Students will eat in gym in shifts (G4-6, then G1-3). Esther will make a poster up to share on facebook.

Volunteers: Credit Union has 5 volunteers that can help of 2 shifts (1 hr each) – 11a-12p, 12p-1p. We will need to put a request out for volunteers on our facebook page.

Sausages are ordered and will be here Friday - 450 sausages. \$55 per case. Carma will check with Melissa regarding pick up and cooking prior to lunch day.

**Action Required:** Items remaining: Whipping cream, ~50 forks, oil for griddle, broth for sausages. \*And pick up sausages. Make and post a poster. Request volunteers to help.

### **New Business**

- Fundraising Plan? – Options of things to fundraise for – new swings/playground equipment, food costs (as lunches being supplied are growing). Darla will think about a plan and a dollar figure so we know what we are fundraising for next.
- Grant – Carma is looking into a grant for every school to be split with schools with the City Youth Council to enhance healthy food in schools. Carma will invite them to the next meeting to work on a proposal.
- Hot lunches – Continue discussion at next meeting. Discussed doing a taco in a bag hot lunch.

Next Meeting – January 13th, 2025 6:30pm

Meeting Adjourned 7:25pm