

Wednesday, February 13th 2019
8:30am

In attendance:

Jacquie Fleming, Clarissa Foss, Amy Baker, Kira Earl, Cheri Gilbert, Carmen Lowry, Janna McKee, Connie Shurtz, Marlin Hogg, Elaine Ross, Kerry Taylor, Jaime Jensen, Rob B (interested parent)

Bike Rodeo

- Todd Nelson said they will be holding the bike rodeo every other year from now on (only even years)

Parking Issues

- Mr. Hogg highlighted a problem with people parking in Disabled Permit Parking without a permit. Parents with children with disabilities who are dropping off their kids have complained to the administration that they are having trouble loading and unloading their children from their vehicles.

- Cheri Gilbert proposed two different loading areas in front of the office to be used as loading zones where staff would not be able to park, alleviating parking issues for parents who are picking up kids during the day for appointments ect. Marlin will look into it.

Alberta School Council Association (ASCA)

- In the link are resolutions from ASCA, please review them before the next meeting so that we can discuss them.

<https://www.albertaschoolcouncils.ca/public/download/documents/60662?fbclid=IwAR2UzGHdBt6troG62icOCct2cY5PThGE8XR8v3AuRgICcm7THNbhvRV1yzw>

*Nominations for awards deadline is Feb 28.

- ASCA conference is the last week in April, we are approved to send 2 people.

School Council website - Amy Baker

- New council website is attached to the main school website. It contains minutes from our meetings, announcements, calendar & a link to join the Remind app.

- The website will automatically upload to a Facebook page but not a group (such as RES Parent Awareness). Having this will streamline the efforts of the communication officer and will then be accessible by a larger audience than the group (no need to join a page, information is there to see - useful for those people looking to move to the area).
- Remind App will not longer send text messages to Rogers customers.
- Amy asked staff for a link to the RES Council website from the front page of the RES website.

Financial Summary - Kira Earl

- Healthy Snack fridge is doing well. Jacquie will look into getting an account set up at the Merc.
- See the last page of the document for the financial summary.

Vinyl lettering - Jacquie Fleming

- J'Ana Smith got a quote for \$400 to get vinyl lettering for affirmations in the kids bathrooms.

Kira Earl moved to spend Council money to for vinyl lettering for the bathrooms. Seconded by Carmen Lowry, voting was unanimous. Motion carried

- School admin should approve vinyl messages for bathrooms before they are applied.

Tapping - Jacquie Fleming

- Roxy Wright came to the Parent Link Centre and did a session on tapping for the parent council.
- We will ask parents if they are interested in attending an information session on tapping by Roxy Wright to see if it is worth organizing.

Play Facilitated Learning - Mr. Marlin Hogg

- Admin went to Edmonton to learn more about play facilitated learning.
- Teachers and admin are excited to implement more play facilitated learning.

- All RES certified staff attended session in Cardston with Dr. Martin Brokenleg on January 30.

New Westwind School Division App - Marlin

- Anyone can download the app for their smart devices. All schools calendars and events are posted on the app.

One School One Book - Elaine Ross

- One School One Book will be announced March 4th with a kick-off assembly.
- School is planning cupcake sales again, parent council will be looking for donated cupcakes from parents.

Financial Summary Sept. 2018-Feb. 2019

MONEY IN	
Parent Council Starting Balance (Spt. 2018)	\$725
Welcome BBQ Money	\$1,255
Ticket & Food sales Family BBQ	\$464
Healthy Snack Fridge Starting Balance (Sept.2018)	\$1,896
Family BBQ -Healthy Fridge Donations	\$444
Healthy Fridge Donations	\$4,850
TOTAL INCOME	\$9,634

MONEY OUT	
Healthy Snack Fridge Booth (Family BBQ)	\$36
Family BBQ Receipt Reimbursement	\$41
Decals For Healthy Fridge In School	\$20
Money Paid out For Healthy Fridge Receipt	\$3,160
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$3,256

MONEY LEFT OVER	
Parent Council Balance	\$2,348
Healthy Snack Fridge Balance	\$4,030

