TES SCC Meeting Minutes

Date: Thursday May 18, 2023

Time: 7 pm

Location: Online Zoom Meeting

ATTENDEES: Sandra Norum, Scott Janke, Michelle Allgrove, Janelle Higgins, Kaylynn Friswell, Stacey

Thiessen, Janet Squires

1. Meeting called to order: 7:01 pm

2. Agenda

- Additions/Changes none
- Motion to Adopt- Janelle, Second- Kaylynn

3. Minutes of the Last Meeting

- Motion to Adopt-Janet , Second- Stacey
- All in favor- Yes

4. Financial Report

- Balance of \$5148.56
- All cheques cleared

5. Motion to adopt Financial Report- Stacey, Second-Janelle

6. Old Business

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7. Principals Report

- Staffing changes for next year include a temporary position until Jan 31 with the possibility for extension for the year.
- The school has lost a lot of families. Projections are starting to even out.
- Katlyn Larson will be back to VP/Grade 5 this coming September.
- TES Librarian has been out for the past two months. Over the month of May there was a sub to help but moving forward there will be no one in the library. School will work together to collect books in the coming weeks.
- Hot lunches have been going well with the most recent meal coming from A & W.
 Meeting deadlines for ordering can be a challenge, as well as offering alternatives to families with dietary restrictions.
- The school has had a practice lock down drill with the RCMP. We want to be supportive to those students who have experienced trauma. Having Ukraine students talking with a translator to alleviate any anxieties with regards to the drills being practiced.
- EYE evaluations have been completed

- Cornerstone Credit Union will be having a BBQ to raise money for the nutrition program on June 12. The nutrition program has been seeing more and more use and there is a need for more funding to keep students and families supported.
- Classes participated in the mental health walk.
- Garden club has started.
- New Kindergarten students will be coming in tomorrow for orientation and the following week is Pre K orientation. The Pre K program has openings for 16 students mostly based on at risk needs.
- Classes will be participating in Ag in the classroom over the next few weeks.
- Grade 3 students will be going to Greenleaf Seeds this spring for a curriculum-based field trip and then will return in the fall as Grade 4s.
- Swimming pool swim days are being figured out for June classroom field trips.
- Bike event to be held for kindergarten to Grade 3. The RCMP will be attending, and we
 have prizes being lined up from SGI. A committee has been formed and stations will be
 set up to practice bike safety in the gym.
- Lionelles will be coming into Grade 1 classrooms for Flag Day presentations.
- Upcoming spirit days will continue. Go teams!
- Field Day is set for June 2nd with K-Grade 2 participating in fun activities and Grades 3-5 doing more traditional track and field events.
- Grade transitions for upcoming year are being figured out. Grade fives will be touring TMSS.
- June NESD work plan focussed on assessment, mental health, and family engagement.
- Year end celebrations for Grade 5, K, and Pre K, along with a final year end assembly.
- Upcoming years potential events for SCC to help with.
 - Drop a backpack off
 - Cultural fair
 - Welcome back BBQ
 - Family Fun Night
 - BINGO
 - Light tour scavenger hunt
 - Movie Night
 - Breakfast and a Book
 - Picnic lunch
 - Math Event at lunch
 - Field Day

8. Discussions from Principals report -

- Scavenger hunt for drop off backpack event
- Welcome back BBQ date and time? Previous years usually around 3:30 to 4:30 with BBQ.
- Nutrition program- How can we plan for next year to avoid shortages.
- Draft a schedule for upcoming year events

9. New Business-

- May letter writing campaign
- Track and Field day treat Freezies from the COOP. Janet will look into organizing. The students will also be having a universal snack that day.
- Board member intentions
- AGM in October

10. Motion to set Date and Time of the Next Meeting

Next meeting June 22, 2023 7pm via Zoom

11. Motion to Adjourn- Janelle