

Kidston Elementary PAC Minutes

Monday, February 11, 2019

Attendance

PAC Executive:

Secretary: Kelly Wilson

DPAC: Dawn Guenette & Erica Manger

Regrets: Chere, Shawna, Nanci

Staff Present: Debbie Cullum, Lynn Bragg

General Members: Jeff Gillis, Carole Guichard, Jeff Stevenson, Kelly Zazzara

1) Call to Order

The meeting was called to order @ 6:40 pm by Debbie

2) DPAC Report

a) Erica spoke with Spa Hills...they just do commercial pick-up, not residential...we could get 238L tote...\$20/dump and must be picked up every two weeks ...more totes are \$15 ... bins/mini dumpster is \$44/pickup but must be picked up twice a month...need a dumpster just to accommodate pizza day boxes ... all napkins, paper towels...wax paper from lunch moms... Kelly from Spa Hills says she is willing to come into school and talk to kids about how composting works ... can we cancel at any point? ...can we sell sponsorship or sell a bin for a few months?...Kidston staff will discuss interest in this project

b) **transport survey sent in** ...more parking and side walks ... Debbie talked about designated pickup drop off zone with bylaw officer... as did Jeff... need to get a petition going to see if we can change the no parking signs on Kidston... go directly to "infrastructure services" to get the ball rolling faster

c) **Treasurer Training:** Erica to organize for a group to get together to look after treasurer job with Patrick and will come back to the PAC to tell us when the new system is working. Jeff and Kelly to share the role of treasurer

3) Principals Report

a) estimates came in for water fountains but not sure what the cost is yet....machines are about \$2000 plus install ... this would go in intermediate wing and then we would raise money for primary wing fountain

4) Grandma D's Report:

a) We purchased 300 pounds of apples @ .60 a pound. With sales we profited \$90 but have 60+ pounds in the fridge if anyone still wants to buy some.

With what is left Dawn will begin dehydrating with students today for the Movie Night.

b) Dawn to make apple chips and chocolate macaroons for movie night

5) Garden Update:

a) Dawn sent a letter to Jen And Rebeca to get the garden going for this year. Charlene is kind of running it right now. Dawn trying to collect "garden friends" (avid gardeners from the community) to help out. Need work order for shed skirting, damaged shingles, seating, edging around garden, getting a sign made for the shed, have "BEE" signs put in, Charlene ordering a

small composter, trellis for entrance to garden, chalkboard/whiteboard with cover to protect it (to go on outside of shed...for teaching purposes)

6) Movie Night

a) Thanks to all the amazing volunteers that have helped out so far. Things are moving along nicely

b) Dawn looking into Kernals bag of popcorn & paper bags & Charlene's class can maybe package the popcorn

7) Old Buisness

a) Has Chere set up the "Food Safe" class?

b) Erica still waiting to hear back from Coldstream re: Seleema Noon presentation

Meeting Adjourned @ 7:45pm

Date of next PAC meeting: March 11th