South Corman Park School School and Community Council Meeting Wednesday, May 18th, 2022 7:00p.m.

Present: Danielle McTavish, Morgan Leybourne, Faye Burgess, Lindsey Mitchell, Kirsten Brouet, Amy Dabghi, Jane Mills, Tarren Pederson, Lindsey Delawski, Shannon Ly, Allison Katarney, Charity Fehr

1. Administrative Report:

Principal's Report: Kirsten Brouet

- Mr. Wes Riegel is retired now so we will have a new caretaker
- Mrs. Raeleen Engel is on a temporary medical leave; in her place are Mrs. Jen Boutin and Mrs. Susan Brilz who are sharing the teaching load for grade 5/6
- An addition of 0.5 EA support has been granted so Morgan Tucker-Lester will remain at SCP until the end of the school year
- Next school year, we can expect 10 teaching staff, up from the current 7
- Kindergarten open house went very well; the families enjoyed the experience
- Numbers continue to increase across all grades along with a large number of incoming kindergarten students in the fall
- The school day will be slightly shorter beginning next school year; dismissal at 3:15 with buses departing at 3:20 (currently 3:25 dismissal and 3:30 bus departures); the time will be taken out of the noon hour lunch/recess time
- Math pilot: an improvement in math assessments and intervention planning
- The tipi is up! The official tipi opening ceremony will take place on June 23rd so some attendance by SCC members would be appreciated
- SCC will plan to help purchase picnic tables; a variety of options are available
- Santa Lucia Pizza has shown a voracious interest in partnering with SCP for hot lunches in the future (and possibly the idea of gift cards or vouchers with a 20% kickback); M & M Meats has also shown an interest in partnering with SCP with possible sales of individual meals; being so late in the school year, Kirsten will consider these partnerships for next school year

2. Financial Matters:

Treasurer's Report: Tarren Pederson

- Updated Financial Summary as of May 18th, 2022 provided to SCC Members
- Healthy Hunger continues to be a success
- Greenhouse fundraiser was another success
- OSAC Hip Hop Hoop Dancers came in just under budget
- Payment to Supreme School Supplies
- We hope to reach our fundraising goal of \$2 000 after Fun Night

- Current balances:
 - Central account: \$7 377.01
 - Decentralized account: \$5 485.68

3. Track & Field:

- Will take place on Thursday, June 2nd
- Danielle will purchase hot dogs, juice, and chips
- Danielle and Allison will be cooking hot dogs; additional available SCC members will help with other roles
- ❖ Motion: Tarren moved to spend approximately \$300 for food and supplies; Morgan seconded the motion. Motion carried.

4. Greenhouse Fundraiser:

- Thank you to Lindsey Delawski for organizing this fundraiser
- Sold a total of \$7 830 in gift cards to Clement Farms
- The profit was \$1 305 from gift card sales; a \$100 donation was given by a SCP family, resulting in a total profit of \$1 405
- Clement Farms owner was overwhelmed by the success of the sales; the suggestion for next year is to run the fundraising campaign a bit earlier i.e. ending the first week of April (this year's deadline was April 26th)

5. Spending:

- Kirsten has applied for various grant money
- A wish is for a picnic table or possibly two
- Irrigation is needed for the new landscaping
- In addition to the 'sponsor a plant' campaign, will consider 'sponsor a bench'; perhaps a company or small business would provide the cost of a bench and a plaque on the bench would provide advertisement in return
- ❖ Motion: Tarren moved to spend \$2 000 for installation of irrigation and purchase of picnic tables; Lindsey Mitchell seconded the motion. Motion carried.

6. SCC Positions:

- New SCC Positions for the 2022-2023 school year include:
 - > Secretary: Lindsey Delawski
 - ➤ Hot Lunch Coordinator #1: Allison Katarney
 - ➤ Hot Lunch Coordinator #2: Nicole Dziadyk
 - Member at Large: Charity Fehr

7. Fun Night:

A re-cap from the planning meeting that took place on March 31st:

- Tarren: tickets & raffles will purchase the tickets and create the game cards; she will have them ready to go
- Heather Pearson: raffle baskets Heather is a SCP parent who has volunteered to assemble the raffle baskets once the donated items have been collected
- Lindsey Mitchell: prizes ordering candy, toys, etc. from a supplier; there will be prizes at each game table
- Lindsey Mitchell: bouncy castle an alternative/addition to the school playground; will be provided at no extra cost to the families
- Danielle & Charity: food extra-large pizzas to sell by the slice, cans of pop, bottles of water, prepared candy bags, Mr. Freeze freezies, etc.
- Allison: games ring toss and pillow sack race (K), cake walk and bean bag toss (grade 1), Connect Four and giant dice Yahtzee (grades 1/2), Plinko and ski race (grades 2/3), Snakes & Ladders and fish pond (grades 3/4), hockey shoot and Wheel of Fortune (grades 4/5), jail & bail and royal flush (grades 5/6); since these games will be set up outdoors, we are not necessarily limited to particular games attached to certain grades

8. Any Other Business:

- As a thank you to the SCPCA for letting us use the dome for skating this past winter, we would like to donate a silent auction item for their Spring Fling
- The item we will give is a gift card that Tarren obtained for Fun Night in 2020 that could not be used due to school shutdowns; the gift card provides a one-night stay at the Travelodge Hotel and the SCC will top it off by adding funds for pizza, popcorn, candy, etc.
- 9. Adjournment: the next meeting will be on Wednesday, June 15th at 7:00pm