South Corman Park School

School and Community Council Meeting

Wednesday, November 2, 2022

7:30p.m.

Present: Danielle McTavish, Stephanie Gabrowski, Kirsten Brouet, Tarren Pederson, Lindsey Delawski, Charity Fehr, Emily Ness, Morgan Leybourne, Faye Burgess, Lindsey Mitchell, Lindsay Holinaty

Regrets: Allison Katarney, Amy Dabghi, Nicole Dziadyk

**October 4th Danielle asked Council via email if there was interest in sponsoring another OSAC presentation. October 11th after email discussion Danielle motioned for SCC to sponsor/pay for Grandfather Troll presentation and Nicole second. Kirsten to book.

1. Principal's Report

- a. Staffing Update
 - Mr. Fournier Grade 5 teacher
 - New Bus route driver was hired. Training is scheduled to start at the end of November. Do not have a start date for route.

b. Other Updates

- As discussed in the newsletter the school participated in emergency planning, had various presentations from Dundurn Fire Department as well as Sasha Atamaneko-Rolston. The school practiced lockdown and fire drills.
- Kirsten asked if the SCC would want to cover the cost for fire safety stickers, magnets, pamphlets, etc. After discussion it was decided that the kids received great info from presentations alone and we won't purchase this year.
- Turkey Trot went great. Cassy is still working on getting a total for the fundraiser, but it is expected to have done well.

c. School Clothing

- School Clothing can be ordered through Entripy shops year-round and the clothing will be shipped directly to families. The school will receive 10% of all sales.
- Question at meeting about doing a group order as shipping costs are high. Kirsten to have Cassy look into it. *Follow up email after meeting – Entrippy can do a group order however it will be entered as individual orders therefore won't save any on shipping costs.

d. Upcoming Dates

- Kirsten contacted OSAC and they will notify us of a date for the Grandfather Troll presentation.
- The Lantern Walk will take place in February. Will discuss doing an Art Auction at the same time as a fundraiser.

e. Christmas Concert

- 2 Concerts: December 20 & December 21 at 7pm
- Grade 7 will do both concerts and do the play portion of the concert.
- Tues/Thurs K Day and siblings will attend December 20th concert and Mon/Wed K
 Day and their siblings will attend December 21 concert.
- Kirsten and staff will split the remainder of the students as evenly as possible by family over the two nights.
- The reason for splitting is due to fire code and not being able to have that many people in the gym.
- Kirsten will arrange for Santa to attend. Danielle motioned to thank Santa via gift card and Lindsey D. second. Santa will hand out Candy Canes this year.
- The SCC will provide coffee/hot chocolate at the concert. Families bring baking as they have in the past.

2. Hot Lunch

a. **Upcoming Dates**

- November 14 Family Pizza
- November 25 DQ Ice Cream Day
- November 29 DQ Hot Lunch
- December 2 DQ Ice Cream Day
- December 6 Dominos Pizza
- December 9 DQ Ice Cream Day
- December 16 DQ Ice Cream Day
- December 21 Subway

b. Last Day of School Pancake Hot Lunch

- Lunch: 3 Pancakes, 2 sausages, 1 orange, 1 apple juice box for \$5 student.
- Danielle will pick up supplies from Costco.
- Order form slips will go home on Dec 5 and will be due on Dec 8th. Tarren to make order forms.
- Email after meeting: A pancake breakfast with Mon/Wed kids on first day back after Christmas as it is a PJ Day as well. Jen B. will bring a griddle and can find a parent helper that day.

c. **Discussions**

- Smaller pizza sizes. Individual or slices only. It is too much for children to finish and then there are issues storing large pizza boxes for the remainder of the day.
- Hunger Cure and Pizza Hut did not do a very good job of labeling the food, so it was a lot of work to get sorted and to the kids in a timely manner.
- The cost is getting high for hot lunches. We need to keep it affordable, so people keep ordering.
- Keep hot lunches simple we don't need so many options.
- 1 Ice Cream Day per month starting in New Year. Weekly is too much maybe it can be substituted with donut days or something.
- Preschool is not picking up their hot lunch orders on the day of hot lunch and it is becoming an issue of storage and how long do we hold. As of the New Year preschool can no longer order unless they are ordering with a sibling at SCP. Lindsey D. notified Nicole Orr (preschool board pres.)

3. Treasurers Report

a. No Financial Summary to review this meeting.

4. Fundraising

- a. Picnic Tables for Outdoor Space/Classroom
 - Kirsten to send out letter to families asking for corporate or family sponsorship.
 *From September Mtg. No updated provided

5. Other

- a. Pinnies for School events
 - Lindsay H. to reach out to contacts to see if we can have cost of pinnies sponsored.
 - Faye B. has a quote from one company at \$30 each. Charity F. to get second quote.

6. Items to be discussed in future meetings

- a. Playground Fundraising
- b. Read to Ride
- c. Fun Night (April/May)
- d. School Supplies (April/May)
- e. 2023 Meet the Teacher/Hot Dog Supper Day prior to School Start (May/June)

7. Next Meeting – December 12th at 7pm.