

VRPAC Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 7:04 p.m.
Wednesday March 5th, 2014

In attendance:

Mo Jessa	President
Chris Synesael	Vice President
Jackie Raby	Treasurer – absent
Mary Rankin	Secretary
Tyann Blewett	Parent
Ron Stonehouse	Parent
Jason Caron	Parent
Anne Downton	Parent
Janet Kozak	Parent
Janis Hoffmann	Grandparent
Rob Parker	Principal
Laurie Hamm	Vice Principal

Introductions of all those in attendance

Minutes from previous meeting were approved

First – Tyann Blewett
Second – Ron Stonehouse

Correspondence:

- Fun Food information – Mo will give to Jason

Administration Report

- **Gymnastics Unit**
 - Kids are really enjoying this opportunity to do gymnastics
- **Pink Shirt Day**
 - Very successful
 - Mr. Whitfield and Parker attended a 2 day erase bullying training
 - Very informative
 - Helping schools come up with solutions with children showing threatening behavior
 - Important for parents to be aware of what their children are watching and video games that they are playing
 - Parents need to supervise and communicate with kids. Parents need to know what they are accessing.

- **Volunteer Driver Policy Change – effective September 2014**
 - Will need criminal record check and drivers abstract
 - Once received will need to be sent to school principal for review
 - Each school will be given an access code for parents to request information online for free. Abstract will be emailed.
 - Rob will look into if Driver Abstract needs to be obtained yearly
- **Grade 5 Camp**
 - May 22 and 23rd at Camp Pringle
 - Laurie looking for parents to assist at the camp
 - More details to follow in April

Treasures Report

- Balance Sheet and Income and Expense Statement was distributed and reviewed
 - Major Asset summary:
 - Bank \$8,593.19
 - Gaming \$9,270.97

Old Business

- **Coupon Books**
 - Done – all issues resolved
 - Net profit - \$2827
- **WiFi Survey**
 - Janis Hoffmann requested to change one of the links in the current survey
 - Rob did consultation with parents who attended the PAC meeting if they were alright with the change. He reviewed what the new link would cover. All in attendance at the meeting approved the new link being added to the survey
 - Survey will come out in April sometime
- **Bean Bag Chairs**
 - Sherry very happy with new chairs
 - Thank you note on board for PAC for purchasing
- **Outdoor Classroom**
 - Application form for facilities will be submitted soon
 - Location needs to be confirmed and approved

New Business

- **50/50 Draw March 14th**

- Looking to sell about 40 tickets
- Need a few more volunteers

- **Bottle Drive March 29th**

- Flyers going home with kids this week
- Posters will go up around the school
- Will also be distributing flyers throughout neighbourhood
- Anne will put sign up before spring break
- Mo will do sign for the numbers (date of drive)

- **Movie Night April 4th**

- Mary will run, get volunteers and coordinate movie with Laurie and Rob
- Mo will coordinate the posters and popcorn

AOB

None

Adjourned at 8:04 pm

Motion to adjourn made by – Mo Jessa

1st – Tyann Blewett

2nd – Ron Stonehouse