

# Parkland Parent Advisory Council

## January 26, 2012

**In Attendance** Denise Paulin, Betty Kirtzinger, Diana Lindstrom, Kristie Wallace, Lori Peterat, Rose Merkl, Amanda Stafford, Marisa

Denise read Minutes from last meeting

### Principal's Report

BCTF Strike

- reminder that there will be no report cards until strike ends.
- parents are encouraged to speak to the teachers about their child's progress.
- no decision has been made regarding recess or no recess.
- FSA Tests are still happening, Diana will oversee.

Board Highlights

There are 4 new calendars being presented for the next school year, they are posted in the hallway outside the 5/6/7 room or you can check them out on the school district website. They will vote on March 7 on which calendar they are going to use.

Donations

- Encana has donated \$6500 to the School and has also promised \$5000 towards the kitchen.
- Diana, Betty and Lori are going to continue to pester Al VanTassel regarding timeline for kitchen project.

21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning

- Presentation on 21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning and Project Based Learning for more info go to [www.bcedplan.ca](http://www.bcedplan.ca) or [www.bie.org](http://www.bie.org).

Jan Zachorias came and spoke to the Grade 4-7 on Friday January 6 about gambling, what it is and how to do it safely and responsibly.

She would still like to come and talk to the PAC, possibly next month.

Trust Account Balance is \$3,900

### Trustees Report

No Trustees Report

### Treasurer's Report

Balance as of January 26, 2012

Regular	\$683.09
HISA	\$20,296.47
Gaming	\$950.19

### Old Business

Lice Check

- Marisa and Kristie will help Lori with Lice Check, date to be determined.

History Calendars

- We sold 43, the calendar itself was disappointing as 3 schools backed out, we have more if anyone is interested. The calendars will be at the store also.

Fundraiser Dance Auction

- Was originally scheduled for March 3 but we are now going to try for May 5,
- Denise will check whether the hall is available and do up a donation letter to give out.

- Lori will talk to Monica Abma about doing the bar.
- Contact Denise or Lori if you can volunteer or with any ideas.

#### Cookbooks

-We will bring to the Auction/Dance and see if we can get rid of some, there about 125 left.

#### Kitchen Donations

- Denise has sent letters to 6 companies.

#### Scrabble

- They would love to have some more volunteers

### **New Business**

We need a volunteer for the Bursary Presentation June 19<sup>th</sup> at Unchagah 7pm

- Kristie will go and present it

#### Dilworth Benefit

- Kristie made a motion to donate \$100 to the Dilworth's, Denise seconded.

There was a concern about the parental controls on the ipads, Diana is going to check on it.