

Parkland Parent Advisory Council Minutes
Regular Monthly Meeting: January 31, 2013
Parkland Elementary School

Meeting called to order: at 6:10 by Kristy Wallace

Attending: Amanda Roberts, Kristy Wallace, Betty Kirtzinger, Amanda Stafford, Lori Peterat, and Jocelyn Torsti

Principal's Report: given by Amanda Roberts

Treasurer's Report: Kirtzinger

- Gaming account balance \$1306.88
- Regular account balance \$2508.78
- HISA balance \$18 552.06

Old Business

- Wish Lists: Items have all been purchased.
- Country Christmas: Everyone agreed that it went well
- Spring Fundraiser: We are going to host a spaghetti supper and family dance in the school gym on April 26, 2013. Supper will start at 6:00, with the dance to follow, ending at 10:00pm. We will include a live and silent auction to raise funds as well. Betty will approach the oil companies for auction items. Amanda will approach businesses in Fort St. John and Kristy and Lori will approach businesses in Dawson Creek for auction items. We will plan more details at the February and April meetings.

New Business

- Mrs. Frederickson has requested \$300-\$500 to fund transportation to the Science Fair in Fort St. John. *Motion to cover this cost made by Lori, second by Kristy, carried.*
- New Preschool teacher. Jacqui Bouwmeester has stepped into the role of Preschool teacher. *Motion for Jacqui to run the preschool under the PAC umbrella for insurance reasons made by Kristy, second by Lori, carried.*
- Grade 7 Books and Leaving Tea: So far there has been no interest shown from parents to put together the books. Lori will contact a few of the moms of the grade 7 students to try and generate interest.
- Gwillim Trip: is booked for May. The paperwork will need to start soon.
- Report Cards: We discussed this in the Principal's Report.
- Scrabble: There has been no interest shown by any parents to take on the scrabble tournament.

- D-PAC: at the D-PAC meeting they discussed bussing and PBL.
- Betty as SD #59 Employee: Betty is now an employee of District #59, and is working at Parkland. We have agreed to keep Betty as our PAC Treasurer.
- Letter to MLA: the PAC should write a letter to our MLA in regards to the recent transportation cuts. Lori has agreed to draft one up.

Meeting Adjourned: at 7:40pm by Kristy Wallace

Next Meeting: February 28, at 5:00pm, at Parkland Elementary School