

Yorkdale Central School
SCC Meeting
February 5, 2019

In attendance:

Nicole Ardell, Nicole Pohl, Richelle MacDonald, Tricia Strutynski, Derek Whyatt, Tim Bomboir, Sandra Diduck, Florence Statchura

Regrets:

Shaune Beatty, Janelle Pryblyski, Raquel Weinmaster, Baydon Rowe

Meeting commenced 6:31pm.

Old Business:

Steak Night

- Current sales are 102 steak tickets and 40 chicken finger tickets.
- Roses will be picked up on Thursday by Nicole Pohl. \$20/dozen plus tax. Roses will sell for \$5 each.
- Candy guess \$1 per guess. Tricia will donate a modular mate from Tupperware to hold the chocolate hearts.
- We will also sell 50/50.
- Polly-Ann and Richelle will be there all evening to work and sell tickets.

New Business:

Tupperware Fundraiser

- Tricia Strutynski presented information on selling Tupperware as a playground fundraiser. School will get 40% of sales. The potential is there to earn a nice sum if we get the participation. As an example, if 100 families sell 5 orders each with an average sale of \$40.00 per order, then we could potentially make \$8,000 for the playground.
- In order to take advantage of two fundraising catalogues to shop from, it was decided that the Tupperware fundraising packages will go out on Friday, February 15th (before February break), and sell one week after February break. All orders will be due March 1. Tricia will have all catalogues shipped to the school, and Polly-Ann, Richelle and Nicole Pohl to stuff envelopes for distribution Wednesday, February 13 for distribution on the Friday.

Tricia Strutynski exited the meeting.

Hot Lunch

- It was decided that in order to avoid saturation of students and parents with fundraising efforts, there would be no hot lunch in February. The next hot lunch will take place on April 17th and 18th before Easter break. The lunch will be ordered from Boston Pizza to take advantage of the 10% back we get from the collection of BPs receipts.

Staff Appreciation Day

- Education week is next week and it is tradition to treat the teachers and staff to a lunch. It was discussed whether a \$10 gift card would be more appreciated than a lunch. Tim and Sandra indicated that a lunch is always appreciated and it is nice to get together with co-workers.
- Polly-Ann to verify number of staff members with Shaune. Once numbers are known, Polly-Ann to contact Ken from Gallagher to order a lunch which will be served on Wednesday, February 13th.
- Nicole Pohl and Richelle will meet Polly-Ann at the school that noon hour to help set out the lunch. Afterwards, we will stuff Tupperware envelopes.
- Polly-Ann to purchase bowls, plates and cutlery for the lunch.

Yearbook

- Sandra presented a request for Yearbook. The committee is looking for \$1000 to bring down costs for the price of yearbooks for families.
- We need to do an online vote as we do not have enough voting members at this meeting.

Purchasing of old playground

- A family has contacted Cheryl Els with interest in purchasing the old playground when we break ground with the new playground.
- Florence had suggested we contact the school division to see what the rules are regarding this as it is Good Spirit School Division property.
- Polly-Ann to contact Theresa Korol with GSSD for more information and pass this along to Cheryl Els. Polly-Ann to cc: Florence on the email to Theresa Korol to keep her in the loop.

SCC Symposium

- GSSD is promoting the North Battleford conference. Nicole Ardell and Richelle MacDonald are considering applying with the division to attend. This runs mid March.

Nicole Ardell and Florence Stachura exited the meeting at 7:30pm.

Raffle Update

- Polly-Ann discussed that we need to form a raffle sub-committee. This will be comprised of Polly-Ann, Richelle and hopefully Nicole Ardell and Raquel Weinmaster (Richelle to verify with Nicole A. and Raquel).
- Polly-Ann to meet with Faith Hedley for information on how to run the raffle and what our next steps will be. Once it is known, the subcommittee can meet and divvy up prize categories, and figure out licensing and printing of tickets.
- All prizes should be collected at this time.

Principal's Report

- Tim Bomboir presented the Principal's report in Shaune's absence.
- The committee discussed the positive points of the One Book One Community. Something to do next year if we can.

- Tim also encouraged everyone to attend the Sigmund Brouwer literacy event tomorrow night (February 6) from 7-8pm.
- It was noted in the Principal's report that Calder school was invited to attend a performance of Little Mermaid next Friday. This point reminded us that we need to contact the Calder SCC to invite them to observe our next meeting as a way of introducing themselves to Yorkdale. Florence provided Richelle with Julie Gabrielle's number from Calder SCC. Richelle will contact Julie.

Financial Report

- Financial report presented by Polly-Ann.
- Current funds in bank account \$46,013.80.
- A projection of funds to June 30th was presented at \$68,000.00.
- Based on the two playground options (PlayWorks vs. PlayQuest), fundraising projections of between \$7.2K and \$10K would need to be made over the next 5 years depending on the playground chosen.
- The two playground options were on display at the Wish Tree literacy event and the students tended towards the PlayWorks playground. SCC has decided that we should approach PlayQuest and ask what they can put together that looks similar to PlayWorks and what their costs would be with this. Justin Jardine from PlayQuest visited Yorkdale personally so the SCC feels we should give him the chance to be competitive in this bid.
- Polly-Ann to contact Justin from PlayQuest for a revised drawing and quote.

Meeting Attendance

Meeting attendance was discussed briefly at the close of the meeting. Per the Good Spirit School Division School Community Council Operations Manual (Section 3.8 – 1. (b)):

1. A School Community Council member shall vacate his or her office as a member of the School Community Council if the member:
 - ...
 - (b) b. Is absent from three or more consecutive meetings of the School Community Council without authorization of the School Community Council.

Richelle to monitor attendance of our next meeting to determine if any members will forfeit their position as voting members.

Meeting adjourned at 8:05pm.