

MINUTES
Trout Creek PAC
November 5, 2009

Welcome/Call to Order 5:45pm

Attendees: Lara Hughes, Paula Reay (Principal), Connie Denesiuk (Trustee), Katherine Switzer, Jenny Chick (Chair), Corinne Mercer, Char-Lynn Bubar (Treasurer), Gena Lowe (Vice-Chair), KaraLee Cave (Secretary), Dianne Hendersen

Approval of agenda

School Trustee Report - Connie Denesiuk

- Secretary-Treasurer retiring at the end of January. If anyone is interested in this position contact Darrel Clark, the DPAC President.
- H1N1 - Summerland is full of it...1/2 of schools have a 10% or above absentee rate. Handwashing important. Lots of communication between the district and Health Officer.
- Class Size Report has been approved which means the class sizes do comply with the law.
- At present, full day Kindergarten to go ahead in September, but at the expense of grades 1-12.

Principal's Report - Paula Reay

- Attendance at TC is 18% plus absentee. Kids are doing good with their handwashing and covering their sneezes and coughs. They are aware of the importance of this.
- Thanks PAC for changing meeting time so may attend the SPC meeting.
- Puddle Issue has been taken care of and is tied into the drainage system, seems to be working so far. Entrance has pad poured to divert street water away from the grounds entrance.
- Looked into Yoga and looks interesting and a good price but suggesting to hold off until 2010/2011 since there is alot already planned for the year. Primary to start station rotation, then Hip-

- Hop, then skipping.
- Lunch Program has paid for swimming lessons at \$2300
 - Refers to Corinne about Choir success; The kids are excited and ready for the Remembrance Day Assembly.

Executive Reports

Chair - Jenny Chick

- Movie Night/Book Sale set for December 2nd
- Valentines Dance date set - Feb 12/10; will look into parent (Peter) DJ'ing instead of hiring out.

Vice Chair - Gena Lowe

- Turkey Bucks/Canadian Tire Money now underway. Last year TC donated 90 Turkey Bucks to Food Bank and about \$200 Canadian Tire Money to Toys for Tots and Teens.
- Pancake Breakfast on again. Will ask Laurel if she can get supplies donated again this year. Will remind students to bring their water bottles with them this year.
- After school French club update. Lady is wanting \$10 per student per week, will try to talk her down to \$5 which seems a little more reasonable. 30 students interested, but some depending on which day and cost.

Treasurer - Char-Lynn Bubar

- Current Financial Status - Acct Balance 19142.93, Payments Made 4585.54, Funds raised 1084.27, Funds to have available 7150.
- Plaque paid off, only regular stuff left for the year as far as she can see.

Secretary - KaraLee Cave

- Innisbrook update - \$1793 worth of goods bought, have not heard of our portion, to arrive 3rd week of November.
- Cookie Dough - will distribute pamphlets late next week. \$4 of every item sold goes to our school.

New Business

- Vote on watercolor request from teachers ~ \$200 Motioned by Jenny, 2nd Corinne, motion passed
- Vote on each teacher having \$100 for spending as requested ~ Motioned by Jenny, 2nd Gena, motion passed
- Vote on new sound system up to \$1000 ~ Motioned by Jenny, 2nd Lara, motion passed
- Outdoor tent that is used for track meet has been thrown into the trash, will look around to see about getting a new one.
- Char-Lynn will get more info from Boerboom for Bag of Apples fundraiser. Will also set up an account at the Bottle Depot for donations.