

MCI – Parent Advisory Council Minutes

September 25, 2017

Present: Kyle McKinstry, Carlee Blyth, Claudette Friesen, Jen Friesen, Roxie Toews, Jordyn Ham, Charlene Sawatzky, David Kruse, Kerry Hannah, Matthew Giesbrecht, Krysta Giesbrecht, Helen Smith, Sandra Peill

Regrets: Betsy Unrau, Don Buhler, Jennifer Borgfjord

- I. Call to order (7:04pm), Opening Words on full education, inspired by Parker Guy
- II. Adoption of Agenda: M/S David, Claudette - Carried
- III. Adoption of Minutes as Posted from May 29 meeting: M/S Jen, Helen - Carried
- IV. Confirmation of executive members:
 - a. Chair: Will attempt to operate with a rotating Chair. Krysta will chair the Nov meeting.
 - b. Vice-Chair: remain vacant
 - c. Secretary: Charlene Sawatzky
- V. Principal's Report (Kyle McKinstry)

In addition to the printed report:

 - i. Kyle proposed that the PAC consider doing enough fundraising to support a PAC Scholarship. PAC could develop their own criteria and numerical value.
 - ii. Ice Fishing Shack Raffle: \$10/ticket. Draw is Nov. 10/17.
 - iii. New in Tech Ed: CNC Machine. Will be selling wooden signs at Band Craft Sale (Nov.18).
 - iv. Student Grad meeting coming up in November. Grad will be June 26, 2018.
 - v. There are 2 Skype classes running each semester.
 - vi. New Superintendent; Bruce Lyons
- VI. Treasurer's Report:
 - a. June opening balance: \$107.18
 - BBQ expenses (\$139.01) ** Carlee will clarify how this was paid.
 - BBQ income \$352.79
 - Closing balance \$459.97
 - b. July opening balance: \$459.98
 - Closing balance: \$459.98

- c. August opening balance: \$459.98
 Closing balance: \$459.98
 - d. M/S David/Charlene; Carried.
- VII. Fundraising Discussion:
- a. PAC will be available to help the student council during the school year with their fundraising efforts.
 - b. Need to put some thought into any fundraising goals we might have and how to achieve them.
- VIII. Other:
- a. PAC Breakfast Meeting in Brandon – Oct.21/17
 - b. PCSD submitted the MAPC membership registration on behalf of PCSD Parent Councils; [David will send letter of thanks, rsvp about November 9th attendees, and update Robyn Winters on how/who our new chairperson will be. David will remind Betsy to submit the PAC financial statement to MCI’s office.]
 - c. [The PCSD \$150 for meeting photocopying, etc. is already in MCI’s budget. The additional \$150 available for food, advertising, etc. can be claimed by submitting receipts to MCI office so Kyle can submit a “Vendor Expense” claim to the Division Office.]
 - d. When Charlene sends minutes to Kyle, he will forward them to Division Office and post them to MCI website.
 - e. Nov. 9 – Meeting with other PCSD Parent Councils at the division office. RSVP by Nov. 1. Krysta, Helen, and Sandra will attend. A response to the school budget priorities must be in by October 20. Kyle will send it in based on tonight’s feedback.
- IX. Next Meeting: November 13, 2017 – 7pm
- X. Upcoming meetings: January 15/18, March 12/18, May 14/18 (AGM and Meeting)

ADJOURNMENT (8:30pm)



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Principal's Report

Welcome Back

1. School Messenger System - Telephone Tree - Everyone will receive one message from superintendent. (inclement weather). You will be able to choose which mode.
3. MCI - School Update - New Teachers - Jennifer Friesen & Jennifer Schroeder
4. School Grounds - Tech Ed Room, Foods & Nutrition Room, Gymnasium, Exterior Parking lot windows.
5. All Visitors to our school must report to the office to sign in and out.
6. No Gym Shoes, No participation in Gym at all times.
7. No Entrance now allowed via the North East Door - Must enter through the main school entrance.
8. Important Dates:
 - a. September 9 – ACC Cougars Female Mustangs Volleyball Camp – 9-4pm
 - b. September 25 – Afternoon – Dr. Leisha Stachan – Faculty of Kinesiology and Recreation Management – University of Manitoba – Mustang Athletes and Coaches
 - c. September 28 – Brandon Bobcat Volleyball Coaches Camp
 - d. September 29 – Charlie Applestein “No Such Thing as a Bad Kid” – MES
 - e. October 3 – Helping Stop the Cycle of Trauma – Victoria Inn Winnipeg
 - f. October 6 – Follow up to September 29 – Charlie Applestein
 - g. October 20 – PD Day – SAGE.
9. Student handbook is online.
10. Student council Elections held on Friday, September 15th - Full Executive
11. New head custodian: Jennifer Giesbrecht & Stella Priestly is the assistant custodian.
12. All MCI Staff have taken an accessibility online training course.
13. PAC Scholarship - Develop own criteria and numerical value.

Professionally,

Kyle McKinstry