

Victoria Terrace Public School

School Council Meeting December 5, 2022

Meeting called to order at 6:32 p.m. by Amanda

In Attendance: Amanda, Michelle, Jackie, Trisha, Mrs. Gordan, Kelly, Becca, Alyssa, Jenn

Last Meeting Follow up:

-We need to keep 10% of the total playground cost in our account. Total is \$16,498. We will round up and hold \$2000. – Amada to ask Karen to move the funds to that. (DONE)

-We decided on a no go for booster juice as an extra lunch option due to cost and the mess it would make in lunch boxes.

Fundraising

Popcorn starts Dec. 6th 2022. Students can buy a bag for \$2 at second recess. We purchased 200 bags and 200 more have been ordered. Joanne will count popcorn bags and Michelle will count the money in two weeks.

Candy Canes will be sold for 50 cents on Wednesdays for the month of December.

We have just over 1000 to sell – cost was ?

Litterless Lunch

-Eco school

Children are encouraged to keep garbage at home if possible. Milk containers are rinsed out and recycled. Garbage and compost are available to students as well in some class – Mrs Gordon to look in to our audit. Might just be able to do a week around the audit for boomerang lunch – as mess is coming home with some kids.

Winter Wonderland Festival

-Thursday December 15, 6-730

The name of the event had been change to be more inclusive to all families

-Families and students will enter at the back of school doors, near the gym.

-Donations are being collected until the 8th

-Parent Council will organize the prizes and wrap in extra Wal-Mart bags(Provided by Jackie) 50 baskets max.

-Raffle will take place in the gym – ticket sales outside the gym with bake table.

-Gift bags will be used to collect raffle tickets – make sure we have?

1 sheet of tickets for \$5

3 sheets for \$10

Teachers will be pulling the winners. Winners will be posted on a google doc form and displayed in the gym. We will also announce in the gym and over the PA system

-Crafts rooms will be available – Teachers and Amanda

- Bake sale and hot chocolate – Us doing
- “Toy” store in the library – Teachers
- Jenn – photo booth outside guy area
- Ticket Sales - Jackie and Lisa
- Hot Chocolate (asking local companies/Tim hortons for a donation)
- Michelle will serve the hot chocolate (lung a mug & styrofoam cups (donated by Kelly)
- Teachers/staff will be starting to set up at 3:30. Parent council members will come at 5:30.
- Baskets will be made Dec 8th afterschool with the help of Mrs.Gordan
- Bake Table, bring a dozen or so of a treat to share

Kindergarten Funds

The Kindie (KB) class has asked for help to purchase new Shovels and Sleds. These will be purchased by the school. They also have asked for provocation/inquiry materials that are needed. They are \$160. Parent council will cover that cost for the kindergarten classroom(KB) .

Principal report:

- Spiritwear will be here before Christmas for those who purchased it
- Remembrance day assembly went well, a special shout out to the kindergartens who sat and listened so nicely.

Two new clubs have started:

- Zen club
- Games Club

Parent Teacher interviews have been conducted for the fall.

The fall drills:

- Fire drills have been completed
- Lockdown drill completed
- Inclement weather drill completed
- bomb treat has been delayed due to many staff being away, it has been rescheduled

-Neighbor good group has started in the back portable. Donations can be made to the school during school hours and can be donated directly to Lisa Mia at other times. Lisa has posted on many social media platforms letting people know the times and dates that donations can be made.

Classroom Door decorating contest using recycled materials - winners get a prize!

-We are a bluejay affiliate school! Trisha to complete a 2 hour training. The club will focus on girls in baseball, special needs and all abilities in sport, indigenous sports and afterschool activities. We were able to get lots of new books through this program, many books will be put into our library or classroom libraries.

-Student Council has been started (Mr. Corsen) . There are many special days coming up planned by them (hat day, comfy/cozy Christmas sweater day etc.) An ugconnect email will be sent so everyone will know what days to dress up.

The grades 4, 5 and 6 students will be going skating at the sportsplex. They will be walking down on the 19th and 21st. Skates and helmets are not provided.

School closure will start Dec 23 and we will return January 9th.

Treasury report

Balance is \$4803.11 (missing when report was read was \$705 sitting in SC Classroom) so total is \$5508.11 as of Dec 7th

- Popcorn and Candy Canes has not been taken out of that number -
- The 30\$ for the USB cable has been returned

The direct school fundraiser will be finished before Christmas. Top class gets a pizza party, second extra recess and 3rd place gets timbit party. Top earner will get to be principal for the day.

Amada will tally before break so kids know who is getting what then will get the parties in new year.

Questions ?

No.

The next meeting will be February 6th

Meeting over : 7:45 pm