

PSSC Minutes Monday March 25 2013

Present: Sandra Tingley, Jacob Powning, Stephen Campbell (DEC Rep), Tanis Friars & Hughanna Dunfield

OLD BUSINESS:

*Breakfast Helpers: This program is running very well currently. Hughanna Dunfield, with the help of Lions Member Lorraine Pollock have volunteers to prepare, serve and clean up from this each day. Thank you cards will be given out in the near future to all those who have helped through out the year. 20-25 students currently benefit from this program..however it was brought to our attention that perhaps help may be needed in offering lunch also.

*Sub Committees: Looking to gather a group of individuals that would search out and complete applications for grants, etc. Currently trying to complete an application due in April for Kobo/ereaders for the school.

*Safety letter: signed at last meeting with regards to fixing the front entrance of the school.

*Capital Improvements: Stephen Campbell (DEC Rep) explained that we will be getting the entrance of the school redone (\$80000)...however, not certain of the details on the lighting. Ms Tingley is to meet with Mr Jones.

*Civic Addresses: Concerns raised as to why PSSC members civic addresses were listed on the school website. They have since been removed.

NEW BUSINESS:

*French Immersion: Still no information on the French Immersion grade 3 meetings, etc. Nothing decided as of yet.

*Pay It Forward: April 25th is Pay it Forward Day at SCES.

*New Staff: Brenda Simpson and John Farin new custodians, and Nadine McCullum grade 3 while Julie Cunningham is out on Maternity Leave.

*Flags: To maintain the flags in proper shape at SCES it costs approx. \$500/yr. Looking to find flag donations, MLA/MPS. Tanis Friars offered to call with regards to this.

*Five Year Review: Sandy Tingley's contract is up for renewal April/May. PSSC members will be contacted by Dist for input.

*Inclusion: Speech will become a K-2 focus. No word on OT/Physio. A lot of changes in the works currently. Early Intervention will not offer the spring K Class this year...why? Sandy will discuss this at her principals meetings this week. It was a great program when offered in

preparation for K start. Guidance/methods will be more supportive and speech will be offered in the classroom setting also.

CORRESPONDENCE: N/A

NEXT MEETING: Members were asked to read over the DIP & SIP as well as the Teacher Perception Survey.

NEXT MEETING DATE: Monday April 22 @ 6:30

Hughanna Dunfield