

**Minutes – Tuesday, February 16, 2021**

**6:30 pm – Microsoft Teams**

**Present:** Rebekah Thompson, Katherine Campbell, Samantha Robichaud, Amanda Williams, Hannah Steeves-Carney, Julie Werner, Jennifer Sutherland-Green, Amy White, Lily Smallwood, Robyn Kenny, Carolyn Sypher, Stella Park, Andy Han, Holly McLean, Cheyenne Dickinson

**Regrets:**

* **Welcome Back**
* **Adopt Agenda – 1st Hannah, 2nd Rebekah**
* **Approve minutes from January – 1st Hannah, 2nd Julie**
* **Spring Raffle**
	+ Collecting gift cards – letter will be sent out next week with memo
	+ Julie – will get licence for raffle
	+ Draw date March 30th
	+ Collect cards Mar 8-12; sell tickets Mar 17-29
	+ Cost of tickets - $2 per ticket
* **Treasurer’s Report (Andy)**
	+ Current balance: $9,378.65
	+ Expenses: $10,201.90 (crates, Scott’s nursery, phys ed equipment, teacher reimbursement)
	+ Outstanding deposits: $20,625.00 (Bazaar, Chapters, Garden club loan to be paid back in March 2021)
	+ Estimated total balance after expenses: $19,801.75
	+ Keep $4,000 balance and $4,000 Garden Club loan available
	+ **Estimated total available funds: $11, 801.75**
* **Hot Lunch (Jennifer)**
	+ 2 snow days so hot lunch will extend for 2 weeks after March Break
	+ Last day of this cycle Mar 16th
	+ Pizza? - Need to box it by class and have 2 separate deliveries (1 group eats at 12:10 and the other group eats at 12:50)
	+ Buttercream Dreams? – will look into this ($7 lunch package)
	+ Fadi’s? – will look into this (see if willing to do a $5 lunch package)
	+ Cheyenne looking into another option
	+ Will hold off on Chartwells for this year
	+ Keep hot lunch at one day per week
	+ Will aim to start a new cycle Mar 23rd
* **Acorn Fundraiser**
	+ Will plan this for the end of May
	+ Amy will get the info for the teachers
* **Other items**
	+ Big thank you to Lily for getting all the bins stocked – balls, shovels, pails, dump trucks, sand toys chalk, jump ropes, Frisbees, basketballs etc
	+ All the required items for the maple syrup were purchased as well through the outdoor learning club
* **Playground Needs**
	+ District owns Garden Creek field
	+ Need separate fundraiser for drainage (this needs to be done by an engineering firm)
	+ Jeff Lenihan – specializes in playgrounds and could do the drainage. Amy has catalogue and will drop off to the school.
	+ Painting on pavement
	+ Re-paving basketball court – Hannah will get quote from Perfection Paving
	+ Fixing basketball nets – posts need to be re-set (or replaced?)
	+ Perhaps paving out a larger court where the rink used to be?
	+ Lily PSSC – getting quotes for drainage
* **Next meeting Mar 16, 2021**
* **Meeting adjourned at 7:30pm**

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Submitted by Rebekah Thompson

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