



# GARDEN CREEK HOME AND SCHOOL

**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 – 1<sup>st</sup> Hannah, 2<sup>nd</sup> Rebekah**
- **Approve minutes from January – 1<sup>st</sup> Hannah, 2<sup>nd</sup> Julie**
- **Spring Raffle**
  - Collecting gift cards – letter will be sent out next week with memo
  - Julie – will get licence for raffle
  - Draw date March 30<sup>th</sup>
  - 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 16<sup>th</sup>
  - 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 23<sup>rd</sup>
  
- **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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