

Rudolph Hennig Jr. High
Parent Advisory Council
October 18, 2017
Minutes

Attendance: Corrie Sidam, Jeannie Sinclair, Crystal Hudson, Trish Kuhn, Chris Belyk, Vanessa Gabert, Tanis Evans, Karen Clipsham, Justin Mazur, Maegan LaRocque-Walker, Carilyn Afaganis, Shyla Gray, Beverly Evans, Chantel Werner, Lindsey Reed, Harvey Stadnick (trustee)

Meeting Called to Order: by Chantel Werner at 6:05pm

Motion to Approve Agenda: Unavailable

Motion to Approve Minutes: Unavailable. Tabled to next meeting.

Staff Report Highlights:

- Terry Zurock – Puts together the yearbook and is requesting a better quality camera for action shots (Digital SCR Canon valued at \$1349.99 + tax)
- Budget – cost recovery/payment plans – No profit will be made by the school. Refunds need to go back to the parents.
- The Hate U Give by Angie Thomas– Grade nine approved reading for LA. An alternative choice was given to parents who were uncomfortable with their child reading The Hate U Give due the content and language.
- Read-in-week Oct 2-4 involved guest readers and author visit by Sigmund Brouwer. Project initiated to see all students receive City of Fort Sask library cards.
- PD Days –Math department met to discuss MIPI results; tackle the problem of students who need help; how do you identify these student; PAT results
 - Teachers met at Fort High focussing on literacy, which is a district wide focus from elementary through high school
- Grade 8 and 9 awards – October 12 @ 1:30pm
- Cross Country Zones took place. Unfortunately no one moved on to provincials
- Terry Fox Run – School raised \$5600; \$4500 from Mr. Reid’s class alone; \$1500 by one student
- Observed Orange Shirt Day – Students were encouraged to wear orange to honour “Every Child Matters”
- Mrs. Olsen has taken training to facilitate blanket exercises. Grade 7’s have completed the exercise.
- Volleyball is still ongoing.
- Halloween Dance – Will be led by Student Council. Costumes: no masks, no weapons and minimal gore.

School Trustee Report Highlights:

- Following election there are three new trustees; nine in total. They will be sworn in next Thursday.
- Within the next month a survey will be made available for parents and teachers to offer input on the 2018/19 school calendar. Final decision will be made in Dec/Jan.
- EIPS observed school bus safety week
- COSC meeting: Committee of School Councils takes place first Wednesday of every month; discussions involved Bill 1 (act to reduce school fees) also COSC planning for 2017/18

Correspondence- None

Next Meeting: November 22, 2017 at 6:00pm

Meeting Adjourned: at 6:53pm by Chantel Werner

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Meeting Called to Order: 6:54pm by Chantel Werner.

Motion to approve agenda: Unavailable

Motion to approve minutes: Unavailable. Tabled to next meeting

Correspondence: Sun Ergos – Theater and Dance Company pamphlet. Not interested; appeared to be designed for younger children.

Treasurer's Report: General Account: **\$7337.48**
Casino Account: **\$19,163.66**

Carilyn submitted receipts for \$75 of gift cards.

(\$50 to Mr. Zurock for compassion & thank you for Casino help; \$25 to Mrs. Wlasichuk for baby congratulations)

Lindsey moved to purchase camera for \$1417.49 as per Mr. Zurock's request. Trish 2nd.

Carried.

(Purchase will be made from the Casino Account if able, if not then through General Account)

Shyla motioned to accept Treasurer's Report as presented. Lindsey 2nd. Carried.

Committee Reports:

- **Hot Lunch-** Lindsey – Next lunch is Taco-in-a-bag on Oct 19th. Currently 87 orders. \$2 from each paper order and \$3 from each online order will go back to the school. Each lunch will be supported, promoted and served by a different school club/committee. This month raised \$193; 50% will go to volleyball.
- **Fundraising** – Tanis – Tanis has contacted Charlie's Place in Sherwood Park; waiting for an email from them to do possible Spring Fundraiser. Next fundraiser is The Mixing Spoon; recipe jars @ \$10/each with 50% of the profit coming back to us.

New Business:

Next Meeting: November 22, 2017 @ 6pm

Meeting adjourned: 7:11pm by Chantel