**HCS School Community Council**

Regular Meeting June 10, 2021

1. **Attendance**: Colin Covey, Leah Huff, Angie Evans, Jill McKenzie, Julie Hougham, Charlene Woodrow, Katie Clark, Andrea Perillat, Deanna Van Metre, Roberta Mills, Kelsey Trach, Sheena Oliver
2. **Missing:** Brenda Ottenbriet, Melissa Bergen
3. **Call to order:** 3:17 pm
4. **Review Previous Minutes (read/adopt):** Jill M adopted as read, seconded by Katie C.
5. **Business Arising from previous minutes:**

a.) Outdoor Classroom-the rafters have been delivered to the school playground. We will pay the bill for materials when we receive it. Unsure when the pilings will be installed but we expect soon.

b.) Scholarship-there was one applicant this year: Shyla Allcock. Her proof of acceptance at the U of S has been sent to the division so that the cheque for $500 can be issued.

c.) Leftover Jerky-the school is purchasing the remaining jerky from the SCC so that the SCC can be paid out. The school will give out jerky before the end of the school year.

1. **Financial Report:**

Division Account has a balance of $1930 (after paying $500 scholarship and $2883.60 to BAR Engineering)

School Account will have a balance of $10,039.57 once the beef jerky is paid out. Grand total in both accounts: **$11,969.57**

1. **Principal Report:**

* See attached

1. **New Business**
   1. **Hot Lunch Program (Deanna)**

Deanna V made some suggestions regarding a monthly or weekly hot lunch program within the school. Deanna will bring her ideas to the September meeting, when we know what the Covid restrictions look like in the fall. TABLED.

* 1. **Terry Fox Walk (Jill)**

Jill M would like to see the community become more involved in our Terry Fox Walk. It’s an excellent way to promote relations between school and community, which is the purpose of the SCC. We don’t know what Covid restrictions look like for the fall, so Jill will present her ideas at the September meeting. TABLED.

* 1. **After School Care (Katie)**

After school care has always been a challenge for parents in this area. Parents in the community are signalling that if they can’t find after school care, they may have to take their kids to Lloydminster to school.

ACTION: Mr. Covey suggested we begin with a survey to determine the extent of the need for after school care.

ACTION: Roberta M is finalizing a survey and will send the survey out to SCC members tonight for a test run. Once finalized, the survey will go out to parents Monday June 14 via Monday newsletter and school email. Parents will then have until Wednesday, June 16th to respond.

ACTION: Jill M suggested a sub-committee to explore options for after school care in our community. Sub-committee members will be Katie C, Roberta M, Sheena O and Jill M.

The sub-committee will report back at our next meeting.

* 1. **Positions for Next Year**

The SCC executive will be due for new elections in the fall. SCC members are welcome to recruit within the community for new members and step up to fill the positions coming open (President, Secretary, Treasurer).

* 1. **Bus Drivers**

Busing is another issue significantly affecting student retention at our school. The SCC will try to come up with ideas to recruit more drivers in our community.

1. **Next Meeting:** TBD once construction of outdoor classroom begins.
2. **Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned at 4:47 pm.