

ERNIE STUDER SCC

Meeting Minutes

September 10th, 2019

Present:

Marielle Schafer, Kim Arnott, Treasure Ross, Brad Freyman, Minda Diamond,

Absent:

Brenda Mutch, Kate Vidal, and Alexis Loehndorf

Approval of Minutes:

The minutes of the previous meeting were unanimously approved as distributed.

Financial Report:

- The account balance is \$ 8, 440.10 (Up to August 30th, 2019. This does not include the North West School Division yearly allotment.)
- \$ 7,380.12- playground fund.

New nominations:

- We will review positions of members at the next SCC meeting in October.
- Instead of holding nominations for open positions on the SCC we are going to advertise that we are open to new volunteers who would like to join the SCC committee.
- Marielle Schafer will put this information on the school's Facebook page. If anyone is interested in joining SCC, they can speak to one of the present SCC members at meet the teacher night or anytime after.
- Brad Freyman will inform the School division that we are going to take this approach to fill SCC spots.
- Minda Diamond suggested that we create a Welcome to the School Community Council pamphlet that can be sent home with the registration package for new students and families.

Day Planners:

- Dayplanners arrived on time and were handed out to students (K-5).

Lunch Program:

- We are waiting for school cash to be set up on the new school computer program (My School Sash) before we look at offering hot lunches.
- We will talk about the hot lunch program in more detail at the October 16th meeting.
- Marielle Schafer will get in touch with Subway and the Lake House and have information regarding food options and prices for the next meeting.
- Some committee members were wondering if an online Subway order form could be created and connected to the School Cash Online program to help eliminate confusion and extra work for SCC members when gathering orders from students.

Back to school Solutions:

- Kim Arnot is going to look into the numbers of families/ students who made use of this service for the 2019/2020 school year.
- We have no feedback as of yet.

Meet the Teacher Night:

- Marielle Schafer will post the details for this evening on the school's Facebook page.
- SCC member will encourage parents and students to come out and meet the teachers and bring a snack to share.

Bus Driver Appreciation Gifts:

- Bus driver appreciation takes place the first week of October.
- Marielle Schafer will call the school division office in Turtleford to find out the exact details.
- We have 5 bus drivers for Ernie Studer School. Two returning drivers and three new drivers.
- Some gift ideas we will be looking into will be jam and pickles from the farmers market.
- We are allocating \$10.00 per bus driver for a total of \$50.00

Additional Items:

- Brad Freyman has attached some new information from the school division regarding SCC and their plan to create a new SCC handbook.
- North West School Division Representatives will be invited to attend our October 16th SCC meeting to review our LIP (Learning Improvement Plans for the 2019/2020 school year.)

Adjournment:

- Meeting was adjourned at 12:35p.m. by Marielle Schafer.
- Next meeting will be set for October 16th, 2019 starting at 7:00p.m.