Green Acre School Community Council Meeting

March 14, 2019

7:00 p.m.

Green Acre School, Rapid View, SK

MEMBERS PRESENT: Mary Reay, Lynda Letkeman, Bobbi Bremner, Darell Ginther, Vicky Harris

OTHERS PRESENT: Al Maier, Michelle Hilldebrande,

Meeting called to order by Lynda Letkeman at 7:00 p.m.

Mary moved to Adopt Agenda; second Linda

.... Carried

Bobbi moved to Adopt minutes; second Darell

.... Carried

In Progress Items:

Mary made a motion that we pay for Green Acre student's participation that took part in the fishing derby hosted by Dorintosh School. Lynda seconded. ... Carried

Darell moves that we pay for books for the school up to the amount of \$1000.00. Seconded by Vicky.

... Carried

Reading program book concern: Terry Craig met with concerned parents. The books are Saskatchewan Education approved. They are not mandatory; parents are encouraged to keep an eye on what their child is reading. If there are lots of complaints, the 'Flag Reading Team' will look at the books.

Before and After School Program: Bonnie Gobert has been filling a bit when the two others are not able to work.

New Business:

Babysitting course will be offered at Green Acre this year.

Question raised about Teen Aid coming this year. The school cannot invite them. Lynda will see if they will be in this area this year.

Lynda looked into getting information on mental health. *Roots of Hope* is a program that will be in Meadow Lake. Meadow Lake was chosen to do a suicide prevention project.

Head Strong is a movement to take away the stigma around mental health. There will be a youth antistigma initiative summit.

Principal's Report:

Al provided a report on past and coming events. Some of the things ahead of us: Report cards and interviews. Robb Nah concert in Lloydminster. Division first Aid training. Milk week. Trash to treasure day. Hot lunches on Mar. 15 & Apr. 12.

Round Table:

The Rec. Centre will be getting a podium for the gym/hall. They are stripping the floor right now, but it may still be utilized while this is going on. Curtains for the stage were discussed again. There will be a possible Family Night March 29 or April 5.

Mr. Maier will call Carpenter High about an orientation day for our grade eights.

ESEP playgroup has not been running as of yet this year. They are hopeful to start up again next year.

Our Board of Education has developed a video about the future of Education in Saskatchewan. Our SCC will be combined with Ernie Studer to view it. It will be shown at Green Acre School (Mr. Maier's Classroom) on March 25 at 7:00 p.m.

Next Meeting Date: May 9 @7:00 P.m.

Meeting Adjourned 8:30 p.m.