

April 2013 PAC Meeting Agenda

Attendance: Linda Bontron, Geilan Carnell, Andrea Hicks, Kimberly Shaw, Michael Bourcet, Barb Evans,
Wendy Chatten, Mary Rutherford, Sherri Lock, and Nadine Stirling

Called to order-7:01m

Business to discuss :

- Thank you's for the kitchen? Forwarded for next month
- PAC Positions to be filled for next year? Bulletin Board coordinator only! Andrea will announce it in the next newsletter
- Garden- Mr. Bourcet will bring it up at the next staff meeting to remind the teachers that it is available to use in their class programs.
- Food Safe Discussion- We are looking for 10 people at minimum to take this course and willing to volunteer for the foods programs in the school. PAC is paying for this. Linda has announced this in the newsletter hoping to get more people to do this. The course is to be run in May. If you are interested, talk to Linda Bontron to get signed up.
- Admin Report-The money from the PRRD has arrived and has been forwarded onto the School District. The school name sign is now back up. Mr. Bourcet is looking into a drumming residency. It would cost \$800/day. We would at doing hour to hour and a half sessions for maybe 2 days. All students would participate. Mr. Bourcet will approach PAC if the school needs some extra funding support. Other residencies he is looking at are puppeteering and origami. He is still finding details about the circus residency as well.
- Treasurer's report- Gaming-\$5966.51 General-\$55,351.07-the PRRD cheque is still to be written. The new accounting program has been purchased and thank you to the treasurer for all the future work in re-imputing all the years numbers!
- Any new discussions / business?-The School Board has been discussing bussing fees. The district's funding for bussing has been slashed drastically and therefore costs will probably be forwarded to parents. More information will be forthcoming.
- DPAC report-Barb discussed what the Taylor School had done as a fundraiser for their playground. They did a silent and live auction, appies, drink tickets, and a magician to perform. She went and said it was very successful and raised a large amount of money. She was wondering if our PAC is interested in doing anything like it to raise money for our playground. Most agreed it would be a fun event to plan. It could be done for next year. More details need to be looked into and then we could decide if it is something we want to do. Also at the DPAC meeting the Kid Check problem has still been an issue. It can take up too much administration time. Ideas for a solution have been discussed, like parent volunteers. Charlie Lake School had

parents volunteering, but as the years went by, there were less and less parents having to be called, so the secretary does it now.

- There was discussion about what type of playground equipment we are going to purchase. Mr. Bourcet just recently helped to purchase \$50,000 worth of equipment for 101 School. He will bring pictures of it for us to look at to get ideas.
- Draw Prize-Purdy's Chocolates-Congrats to everyone.
- Meeting adjourned 7:42pm