

Charlie Lake PAC

General Meeting – Oct 15, 2013

Present: Andrea Hicks, Kimberly Shaw, Linda Bontron, Nadine Stirling, Patricia Colley, Melissa Babuick, Geilan Carnell, Jody Baumle, Lyndsey Davis, Sara Kelly, Mr. Bourcet

Called To Order: 7:04pm

Business:

1. **Bursary Recipient**-Laura Crossland going to Northern Lights College-she sent a great thank you letter.
2. **Sara Kelly presentation**- Monogramming program available for PAC fundraising. Newsletter went out about this. Looking at getting some items done for the school-toques, hoodies, pants. An order form will go out for parents to buy some things for their children, be back for Christmas. Mr. Bourcet is going to buy some toques to give out for prizes. They will say 'Lakers'. Will put out the order forms by Oct.28th. Back by Nov. 15. There will be a sizing kit at the school by Oct. 28. Linda motions to do up an order form and send it out. Andrea 2nd. Passed
3. **Food Safe Course**-on Sat. Oct. 19th. We have 7 people signed up.
4. **Thank you** to Dana Turner for all of her time doing Subway!
5. **Welcome** to Jen Heinrichs and thank you for taking over the Subway program! Starts in Nov.
6. **Fundraiser Report**-Deilmans not back. Pointsettia order forms out by Friday. They will be in black and white to save costs. Nov. 28 for the delivery of both plants and Purdy's. Reusable snack bags fundraiser -we get 20% of the sales. We decided to bring it up in January and pick a time to send it out as we already have three things on the go.
7. **Mr. Bourcet's Report**- we have new students in the school and we are down a division. The maximum students/class is 30, but the Ministry allows more, which is a concern. Looking for a new teacher to replace Mrs. Alexander who is going on leave. Interm reports are going home this week. Robot residency starting-10 robots available and all students will have a chance to participate. We will be able to use this all year to get as many people involved. Mrs. Haugen is running this. Remembrance day ceremony Friday Nov. 8 at 1 pm. All parents welcome.
8. **Treasurer's Report**-Sept. 30 balances-Gaming: \$2,412.19 Chequing: \$32,470.96 Gaming grant application has been accepted -\$7,080 will be deposited into our account. PAC money is put into the lock box until Nadine can pick it up and deposit it.
9. **Surveys** turned in, parent feedback, draw name for family pool pass-Lynette Pittam won the pool pass. Some feedback from the surveys-Lots of compliments. Some suggestions for new food-burritos, more soups, salads, lasagna, wraps, spaghetti, veggie side dishes more often, cultural meal each month, greek wraps, more options with subway, quiznos, more pizza choices, bun with soup day, meat, cheese cracker tray, have a fully stocked canteen. Some other comments are that someone would like to see a Christmas concert, carnival, year book, updated

playground equipment, keep website updated, school uniforms introduced. There were not many surveys returned. Thanks to those who completed these!

10. **DPAC report-** DPAC has no money. Parent Conference in March has been cancelled and the District is putting on smaller workshops instead-will be announced later. DPAC is putting on some workshops for PAC skills like how to run meetings, how to keep books, etc. Dates will be announced later.
11. **Any new business?** There was a suggestion to have our PAC club on Facebook. There was discussion on how this could be valuable. Jody has said that she could set this up. Nadine said she would help to keep this updated. Mr. Bourcet and Jody will discuss this. It would have to be a no comment site. It will be a Charlie Lake School Facebook page.
12. Erik Coulum's online Deilman's orders won a prize- \$100 Best Buy gift card! Congratulations to him!

Draw Prize-Congratulations to Kimberly!

Adjourned: 8:04 pm