

McCrosson-Tovell School Council Committee Minutes

Tuesday, November 22, 2016

Present: Deb Whetzel, MacKenzie Whetzel, Loretta Copenace, Sharon Parsons, Nancy Gate and Anne Carradice

1. Welcome and Introductions
 - Call to order
 - Welcome and introductions of guests none
2. Review and Approval of Agenda – future meeting
3. Review and approval of Previous Minutes
4. Declaration of Conflict of Interest – none
5. Business Arising from Minutes –
 - fundraising update – We sold \$1193 – Scentsy (\$300 profit) and \$1500 Mom’s Pantry (\$483.88 profit)
 - Board Parent Involvement Committee representative – meeting on Nov. 30th
6. News and Reports
 - Staff Update – Carl Big George resigned so Tishina was re-assigned to a student and Big Island agreed to hire a Band EA for 3 hours/ day to help with high needs students. In the meantime, Big Island has agreed to fill in until they hire. Alicia Anderson has been filling in.
7. Principal’s Report 4:15
 - Craft Sale Penny Table – Anne will setup and run the penny table. Everyone graciously contributed to the table.
 - Community Culture Caring Focus – Cookie Decorating Dec. 16 (we need someone to let Bergland and Big Island community know that we would like them come and decorate a cookie with a student.)
 - CISCO project – we have been approved to have a huge videoconference Unit installed in the Language room. This will allow us to have virtual tours of different areas, connect with other students and communities. Stay in tune for more information.
 - NOW Play Project – K – Grade 3 is involved in a NOW Play workshop. Students are involved in dramatic play that requires both literacy and numeracy concepts.
 - Volleyball Tournament – Kids did very well. They had very close games and excellent sportsmanship.
 - Anti-bullying week – many activities are planned to reinforce kindness and compassion.
 - Outdoor Education Proposal with Riverview – Kendall put in a proposal to have McCrosson and Riverview do an outdoor day together.
 - Christmas Concert Dec 21st at 7:00 PM – we received the hall for free.
8. Teacher Report 4:20
 - NSL
 - i. working on spelling activities and recognizing letter/vowel sounds
 - ii. Artist Study: Christi Belcourt

- iii. Days of the week, counting to 30
- iv. Finished dreamcatchers
- v. Hoping to start beading
- Halloween Fun House
 - i. Went over very well
 - ii. Family members & students enjoyed it
 - iii. Did an excellent job
- Student Council
 - i. Had a movie night – 17 kids and 1 adult
 - ii. Spirit Week
- Riverview coming end of December
 - i. Indigenous focus

9. New Business none

10. Questions and Answers 4:25

11. Next Meeting Date February 7th, 2017

12. Agenda items for Next meeting.

13. Adjournment 4:30