

Ecole Bannatyne Parent Advisory Council Meeting in Person and via Microsoft Teams –

Date: Tuesday, January 9th, 6:30 PM.

Attendance:

In-Person: Charlene Hogg, Janice Baranoski, Alex Eyjolfson, Lori Potts, Kyle Hayes, Crystal Siwak, Kevin Scott

Virtual: Adam Milne, Nina Crocker, Nicole Bowering, Dana Henderson

Meeting Start: Meeting called to order: 6:32 PM

1) Approval of Minutes:

November: Moved by: Charlene Hogg Seconded by: Crystal Siwak. Carried

December: Moved by: Charlene Hogg with amendment to movie night earnings of \$739.90
Seconded by: Janice. Carried

2) Principal's Report:

Current total school enrolment: 218

kindergarten – 37 grade 1 – 35 grade 2 – 39 grade 3 – 35 grade 4 – 29 grade 5 – 43

Our Winter Concerts were a huge success; we hope families enjoyed the production.

Winter Solstice – the activity day in cross grade groups was an excellent way to end the week before winter break.

We're looking forward to seeing some of our students perform in the divisional musical Finding Nemo Jr. at the end of the month. Grades 3, 4 and 5 will attend the show on the afternoon of January 31, 2024.

We will celebrate I love to read early in February, followed by Festival du Voyageur at the end of the month.

3) Treasurer's Report

Opening Balance: \$23,987.63

Outstanding Checks: No outstanding transactions at month end

Final Balance: \$23,987.63

Motion to Accept: Lori Potts Seconded: Crystal Siwak Carried.

4) Events and Fundraising:

a) Special Lunch

Discussion took place regarding most recent special lunch with Dominoes.

Next Lunch scheduled for February 9th with Papa John's pizza, as it offers gluten free and lactose free options.

- b) Movie Night: next movie night will be Mario Brothers on January 26th, 2024.
- c) Paint Night: Discussion took place about the event and possibilities of another one in Spring.
- d) Trivia night: Date for Trivia night confirmed for February 23rd Discussion took place regarding volunteers and equipment required.
- e) Playground: Assiniboine Credit Union grant was not awarded to Ecole Bannatyne. Adam to reach out to ACU for feedback on application. MLCC and Coop grant applications are due at the end of January. Additional 2 grants are due in March.

5) New Business:

A question arose regarding Winter Solstice and was responded to.

6) Next Meeting:

February 6, 2024 @ 6:30pm. In person at Ecole Bannatyne and virtual.

7) Meeting Close: Motion to adjourn, 7:16pm

- Should any changes be required, a note can be sent to bannatynepc@gmail.com