SANSOME SCHOOL PARENT COUNCIL MEETING

May 29, 2019

Attending:

Kyle Lizotte, Barb Powell, Sarah Buchan, Ida Gigliotti, Paula Stuart, Christie Achesan, Sherri Flint

Report to Parent Council - May 29th, 2019 @ 4:15 PM

- 1. Enrolment: These numbers will fluctuate as the school year continues.
 - Kinder: 37 Grade 1: 49 Grade 2: 50 Grade 3: 45 Grade 4: 46 Grade 5: 56 (+1) Total: 283

New/Leaving Staff

- Mrs. Charlene Mitchell will be supporting our SLP program for the remainder of the current school year and into 2019-20.
- Floating Admin Assistant Laurie Horvey has retired.

2. Thank you!

• Supporting the Grade 1 field trip to Fort Whyte, Lazer Tag, Fundraiser Sales and Fun Lunch!

3. Recent School Events, Clubs and Supports of/for Learning:

- School Planning:
- 2 x Kindergarten
- o 2 x Grade 1
- \circ 5 x Grade 2/3
- 4 x Grade 4/5
- Teaching staff is now confirmed barring any unforeseen changes.

• Numeracy:

- Heather Jones, our numeracy coach returns to support 4 requesting teachers
- o Rachel McKenzie and Dallas Morgan have joined the SJASD Numeracy Committee

• Literacy:

- Regie Routman Metro Division Residencie will continue for Sansome School. Literacy Essentials will be the focus resource.
- School wide writing tasks, reading assessments to track growth and common literacy periods to support critical thinking are regular and ongoing.

• Whole Child Initiative:

- Constable Budahan was in to talk with all 4/5 students
- o Grade 2/3's went to the Japanese Cultural Centre
- Active Transportation (Walk, Bike, Roll) Week was held with donation prizes supplied by Olympia Cycle, Portage Cycle and Tim Hortons
- o Bike Blender from Green Action Centre visited for all Grade 2-5 students
- o WFD Fire Safety Trailer visited Sansome for all K-3 students
- Chef Kristoph visited from Fun en Français to cook with all grade 4/5 students in a French immersion setting.
- o Graduation Pow Wow happens on May 30th at John Taylor Collegiate starting at 4:00 pm.

5. Athletics and Arts

- o Divisional Speed Stack Tournament was held at Sansome
- o Shanlee Spence instructed all classes with the basics of Hoop Dancing.
- o Divisional Volleyball Tournament was held at JTC
- o Divisional Grade 4/5 Track and Field was held at JTC
- Grade 4/5's attended the WSO
- o Grade 2/3's went to the Adams Family Musical at Westwood

6. Recent and Upcoming School Presentations and Events:

- Volunteer Tea was held with 12 in attendance. We are considering combining this with fun lunch in years to come.
- o Welcome to Kindergarten was held with 38 registrations confirmed.
- Dance in the Park will be held on June 5th
- June 6th Social Media and Online Safety presentation evening with Constable Budahan, Sarah Juchnowski and Julie Bonk.
- o Earth Rangers (June 17th)
- Year End Celebration (June 20th)
- o Transition "Bump Day" (June 24th)
- Grade 5 Farewell and Awards Day (June 26th starting at 1:30 pm)
- Report Cards home (June 27th)

7. Building Enhancements, Improvements and "As is" Items:

• None to report.

9. Requests:

- o Review Staff Requests from Survey and Google Form.
- Are we set to post the constitution on our website?
- Parent council email ... will this be maintained/
- Any responses from new to K families?
- Enrollment Session attendance has been greatly appreciated. There is one more that happens on June 10th at 7:00 pm. Anymore to attend?

Respectfully submitted by, Kyle Lizotte – Principal

President's Report – Sarah Buchan:

- Approval of minutes from last meeting.
- Committee review.
- Celebration of learning will same games as last year. Hamster balls. \$1.00 per game and \$1.00 per food item. Food will not be sold at the event. Tickets must be bought ahead of time.

<u> Treasurers Report – Paula Stuart</u>

• Nil Report

Committee Updates:

Fundraising:

- Done for this school year. Other fundraising ideas for future to be discussed.
- Last one was o.k. had 40 orders may not be worth repeating in the future.

Fun Lunch:

• June will be McDonalds. Last one.

Playground and Safety - Nil

Volunteers Coordinator – Nil

Lost and found – Nil

Year Book: Candance – Absent.

• Lifetouch order will be due June 21, 2019.

Community Services - Nil.

Old Business:

• Recruiting of new parent council positions for next year.

New Business:

• Celebration of learning – June 20th.

Next Meeting Dates: Next meeting, Wednesday, September 18, 2019 at 6:00 pm.

Meeting Adjourned at 4:50 pm.

Minutes prepared by: _____

Ida Gigliotti