#### SANSOME SCHOOL PARENT COUNCIL

## October 11th, 2023

**Attending**: Henrietta Hoch, Kelly Cassie, Jenna Evans, Kailey Mymryk, Kara Booth, Kim Bales, Kristin Thomas, and Victoria Kubas.

Meeting called: 6:02pm

## Principals Report to Parent Council (Henrietta Hoch/Chris Mavroudis):

- Current enrolment = 324 With 3 more students coming in Oct. for a Total of 326
- Wooden Play Structure: An Inspection has been completed by the Division and we have requested a report from them.
- Assemblies: We held our Orange Shirt Day Assembly on Sept. 29th. The students did a remarkable job listening respectfully during the program. We had Elder Norman Campbell speak at the Assembly. Unfortunately, our mic and speakers were not up to par and it was difficult to hear the Elder. The students were so very patient. We're working on a solution to the audio difficulties.
- Picture Day is on Oct. 17th. We have switched from Lifetouch to Edge Photography. Retakes are scheduled for Nov. 15th.
- Fall Bus Ridership will take place on Oct. 26th and 27th. Each class will have a safety session on the bus with a Bus Driver.
- Halloween Parade will be held in the morning on Tues. Oct. 31st at 11:15, leaving the gym available for the Halloween Dance during the afternoon. Teachers had suggested perhaps the students could pre-order their glow items the day before??
- Luca's Mom (Gr.2) has offered to bake and sell Halloween cookies with the proceeds going to the PlayStructure. Mom has a bakery business.
- Remembrance Day Assembly will be held on Friday, Nov. 10th at 10:45. Families are most welcome to attend.
- Winter Concerts will be held on Dec. 18th and Dec. 19th More details to follow.

## Treasurer's Report (Kelly Cassie): Attached

- Motion put forward to refund Munchalunch balances. Kim firsts, Kristin seconds, Approved.
- Motion put forward to issue coupons to parent that won free lunches. Kara firsts, Victoria seconds, Approved.
- Cheques 3116-3120, 3122-3124, and 3126-3131. Jenna firsts, Kara seconds, Approved.

### **Fundraising:**

• Pizza Lunch going well with Volunteers. Facebook post was helpful. Average raised is \$325 per lunch.

- Halloween fundraiser sheet went out today. We have a Basket prize available, 1 entry per \$10 raised. Party will be provided to class that sells the most pledges.
- We will have another Dance-A-Thon in March
- Cash Raffle in December. 1st prize \$1000, 2nd prize \$750, 3rd prize \$500. 5000 tickets will be printed.
- Another raffle will be held in May

# **New Business:**

- Schedule of upcoming Parent Council Meetings.
  - Nov 13<sup>th</sup>
  - Dec 4<sup>th</sup>
  - Jan 15<sup>th</sup>
  - Feb 12<sup>th</sup>
  - Mar 4<sup>th</sup>
  - Apr 8<sup>th</sup>
  - May 6<sup>th</sup>

## **Old Business:**

• NIL

Next Meeting: November 13 <sup>th</sup> , 6:00pm
Meeting Adjourned: 7:16pm
Minutes prepared by:
Jenna Evans