

**RancheView School Council meeting minutes**

**Tuesday, March 20th meeting minutes**

**6:30pm – 8:00pm**

**PRESENT**

Sharon C.

Fiona G.

Rochelle S.

Lisa B.

Jen H.

Angie P.

**Call to Order:** 6:31pm – Fiona G.

**Approval of Agenda:** 1<sup>st</sup> Jen H. 2<sup>nd</sup> Rochelle S.

**Approval of Minutes from February meeting:** 1<sup>st</sup> Rochelle S., 2<sup>nd</sup> Fiona G.

**Round Table Discussion**

*Topic: Learning Sessions for parents/caregivers*

We talked about possible sessions on the subject of Anxiety, Cyber crime, bullying, drugs alcohol. 25-30 parents attended the responsive parenting session at Elizabeth Barrett School. We could host a Learning session to learn more of what happens in your child's class? If you only had kids in younger grades it would give you an idea of what they were going to learn moving forward.

Literacy evening and numeracy evening, plan to look at arranging in September.

Idea was also discussed to look at running a session to understand the report card for parents before they are sent home.

School Council Report - Fiona G

Still actively looking for more Executive Board members; watch this space!

Movie night agreed for 15th June. The Incredibles. Motion carried By Jen H and Rochelle S for School council to pay cost of theatre and all proceeds go to fundraising School playground. \$10 per ticket purchase via school cash online.

May 10th Volunteer appreciation Tea. 1pm during school day. Teachers bake cookies cakes etc.

Grade 8 sandwich lunch all proceeds go towards their Farewell celebrations. Details sent out via newsletter when we return in April. Order 12,13 April receive lunch 19 April \$5 or 7\$.

#### Treasurer Report - michelle D

As of Feb 2, School Council balance is \$3509 with a few outstanding items still to come out.

#### Fun Lunch update - Stacy R

all good, Looking to get feedback from students as regarding Fun Lunch and and other suggestions for food vendors.

#### Fundraising Report - Rochelle S

Delay regarding the grant means that the playground will not be installed before end of the school year. Big box of cards going well 75 sold so far total to be confirmed. Westjet raffle tickets available in April after Easter break. Please come along and support the Committee AGM 3rd May

#### Administration Report - Sharon C

Lots of staff professional learning around literacy and assessment this month. Pylons at the crosswalk that don't have supervisors seem to help with safety during drop off and pick-up. Cars appear to not be parking on crosswalks and or doing U-turns on the crosswalks. Teachers full on with getting COSL's ready to go home on 29th March. Students excited for the Rancheview review (talent show). Nutrition presentation very informative for our students. Chef Barb Thomas was bought in through our breakfast program to take about healthy eating and the impact it has on our bodies. Looking forward to her presentation on thursday evening. She's also creating a brochure for us to send to all families. Junior B boys basketball season is going well (not enough girls came out to make up the team) upto \$2000 with the boxed cards fundraiser so we'll be celebrating at least a PJ/hat. Will advertise this out to pupils to let them know how well were doing with our incentives!

#### Trustee Report - Fiona G

Ongoing discussions regarding the school bus transportation shortfall. Look out for second survey to complete before decision made 12th April. Joint Board / Council networking dinner in Airdrie 12th April to discuss how to engage parents in School Councils.

Next meeting Tuesday 17th April 2018, 630pm-8pm