

REED RANCH PARENT COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
MONDAY JANUARY 25TH, 2021
3:45PM

IN ATTENDANCE

-Theresa, Dean, Christa, Jaynee, Merissa, Deb, Trudy

CALL TO ORDER

- Dean called the meeting to order at 3:55pm
- Motion to approve the agenda the agenda made by Jaynee, seconded by Theresa

APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES

- Theresa read the previous meeting minutes

BUSINESS ARISING

- Dean looked into the picnic tables for the school. To buy commercial ones they start at \$700 and can go up to a \$1000 per table. Dean is also going to talk with Jason Molyndyk and see what it would cost to have them built through his work which is also a local business. We need to decide if they should be moveable or not, if we should have concrete or gravel underneath. Jaynee will discuss it with the rest of the staff as well and see what they think may be better.
- The christmas goody bags went over well. Jaynee said they were a hit with the kids.
- Merissa said as of right now, Fun Team Alberta is not running. We will see what happens come Spring. There may also be problems with using the school equipment for the Fun Team if it does reopen, due to Covid restrictions. We will just have to wait and see what happens.
- Motion to approve previous meeting minutes made by Merissa, seconded by Deb

OLD BUSINESS FOR DESISION AND ACTION

- The Christmas raffle went really well. We sold 857 tickets and made \$1716.00. The report has been submitted, and all prizes have been delivered.
- We will run an ad in the newspaper to thank all the sponsors. Motion to approve ad made by Deb, seconded by Theresa, all in favour.
- The price to have the tickets made up for the raffle cost \$178.50. Motion for parent council to donate the cost of the tickets, so that the full \$1716.00 can go towards chrome books for the school made by Deb, seconded by Merissa, all in Favour.
- We will be doing sub sandwich orders month to month now just in case, the schools get shut down. There will be a note on the next sub order form reminding parents and staff that most still have a credit from last year, and to contact Christa if they would like to use it towards the next sub sandwich day. Jaynee also said that Leanne was asking if we could put a note on the forms encouraging parents to pay by etransfer instead of cash as the school policy is not to have an amount of cash on hand.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES

- Christa read the Treasurer's Report
- Motion to approve the report made by Merissa, seconded by Theresa

STAFF REPORT

- Jaynee said the christmas goody bags went over really well, and the staff all say thank you.
- They are having a hard time sourcing out chrome books right now because of covid, but will let us know when they become available again.
- We have money left over from last years raffle and think it would be a good idea if we can to put it towards the chrome books as well. We will discuss this more at our next meeting, and Dean will contact the license and gaming department and see if there would be any restrictions on doing so.
- Motion to approve the staff report made by Christa, seconded by Merissa

NEW BUSINESS

- The Spring DFS fundraiser cataloug is out now but we feel we do not need to do the spring fundraiser this year.
- Trudy is with us today. She says she is glad the kids are back in school and everything is going well.
- Parent council would like to do the resurfacing of the tennis court this Spring. We will look into the product we need to get this done.
- Chantelle and Theresa have volunteered to make up Easter goody bags for the students. Motion to approve a \$250 budget made by Deb, seconded by Merissa. All in favour.
- We discussed maybe trying to do some zoom field trips for the students. Jaynee said that the staff have discussed it, but with the covid restrictions they cannot place all the students together in one large space, so that would make it difficult unless there was a way to stream it to each classroom.
- Christa brought up maybe trying to provide a movie afternoon, where parent council purchases a new release kids movie for the students to watch. Same idea though we would have to figure out a way to stream it to each classroom.

CORRESPONDENCE

- None

NEXT MEETING DATE AND ADJOURNMENT

MONDAY FEBRUARY 22ND, 2021