

**REED RANCH PARENT COUNCIL MEETING  
MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2024 3:45 -515PM**

**IN ATTENDANCE**

Merissa, Lindsay H, Chantelle Debbie, Kirsty, Erin, Amanda

**CALL TO ORDER**

Merissa called the meeting to order at 3:45pm

**REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Merissa would like to add to the principal report point c) hot dog/ hot lunch. Kirsty made a motion to approve, Lindsay H seconded.

**REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MEETING MINUTES**

Chantelle read October 7, 2024 meeting minutes. Merissa would like to amend that in the playground committee report that is was not division that did the digging it was Penner Construction. Amanda made a motion to approve meeting minutes, Chantelle seconded.

**REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES**

**A) TREASURER'S REPORT**

Report given by Debbie. Debbie is going to cover the cost of Zero out of her pocket, but asked that we reimburse her every few months. Debbie made a motion for us to cover the cost, Kirsty seconded. All in favor, motion carried.

**B) PLAYGROUND REPORT**

Report given by Merissa. We will be wrapping up the playground install and final touches at the end of this week. The donor sign is on order and we will be putting it up in the spring and having a big reveal/ grand opening for the new playground. As of Friday the playground will be all done, and Monday the kids will be able to play on it. Suzanne from division will be coming out to give her approval. We are also going to be fixing up the rocket, maybe sand blasting it and painting it. The picnic tables will also go in, in the spring and with whatever leftover money from the playground fund we will be used toward install of the picnic tables, fixing the ball diamonds, etc.

**C) HOT LUNCH**

Report given by Merissa. This Thursday we have spaghetti and rice krispie squares for lunch. Last week we were able to feed the crew that was installing the playground. We had beef on a bun. They loved it! There was rave reviews and no leftovers at all! We met last week to get a list together of much needed kitchen items like silicone oven mitts, serving spoons, tongs, knives, etc. We still need to get some kitchen towels but for now we have come in under budget at roughly \$169. We looked into getting another cabinet from wayfair to store things, unfortunately it is about \$514. Erin said that we could use the cabinet that is already there as they are only using a couple shelves in it.

**D) GOODY BAGS**

Nothing to report so far from Chantelle

**E) PIZZA DAY**

Report given by Chantelle. We are going to keep putting it out there to see if anyone is willing to pick up pizza.

**F) YEARBOOK**

No report given

**G) FUNDRAISING**

Debbie gave the report. She will be putting up a spreadsheet to write down raffle items. You can fill in the info of where it's from and how much it's worth. We need about 10-12 items that need to be in by November 12th. We will be sending the tickets to Dunrite Printing so that we can get them out ASAP. The cookie walk is coming up December 6th. We are getting DJ to make up a poster. We are in need of tables so we will be purchasing those right away.

Motion to approve A-G made by Lindsay H, seconded by Chantelle.

**OUTSTANDING BUSINESS**

**A) PICNIC TABLES**

We have saved some of the old gravel from the playground so that we can use it to build a foundation for the picnic tables. April we will put all 5 of them in.

**B) GIFT FOR KYLA**

Dj has ordered the leather engraved riding gloves. They ended up being \$36.75. Chantelle made a motion to cover the cost, Lindsay H seconded. All in favor, motion carried.

**C) SANTA FOR CONCERT**

Lindsay H is talking to her contact. He will need to be here from 7:45-9:30. If not Amanda may have a backup.

**PRINCIPALS REPORT**

**A) EDUCATION PLAN**

The Education Plan is now up on the website. If you have any Questions please contact Erin.

**B) FOCUS POINTS FOR YOUR ATTENTION**

**1. ATTENDANCE**

Attendance is very important and we will be putting a reminder in the roundup.

## **2. CAREER CONNECTIONS**

Jackie Taylor is going to come work with our k-4 and talk about careers that are out there. We will be starting to work more with the grade % and bringing in speakers to talk about different careers. We want to set kids up for success when moving on to different schools etc.

### **B) FEEDBACK**

We have pulled the class newsletters from the roundup and are wondering if parents like them separate? We discussed it and would like the newsletters to be linked with the round up.

### **C) HOT DOG/ HOT LUNCH**

We are going to make it the teachers decision if kids need a lunch for whatever reason. They can decide if a child needs a hot dog/ hot lunch. We will talk to teachers and ask if anyone needs a lunch.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **A) PARENTS MATTER**

At the last meeting they talked about having no electronic devices at school or on the busses. They want to promote welcoming, caring, safe schools. The next meeting will be in January.

### **B) ANNUAL RETURN**

The annual return has been submitted and Merissa has changed the address to the new address.

## **CORRESPONDENCE**

Desserai got an email from West Coast Seeds. She has submitted the application.

## **NEXT MEETING AND ADJOURNMENT**

Next meeting will be Monday, November 25, 2024

Merissa adjourned the meeting at 5:10pm