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Parent Council Meeting: January 23, 2023

Meeting called to order at 6:32.

In attendance: Parent council members - President Sarah Mckinnon, Vice-President Diana Davidson, Treasurer Heather Saquet, Secretary Leslie Pearson, Principal Mr. Hanke and Vice-Principal Mr. Freeman

Motion made to review agenda and minutes by Heather Saquet. Seconded by Diana Davidson. Carried.

Correspondence: Thank you note for instruments purchased by the parent council from Mrs. Weisgerber.

Reports:

President Sarah Mckinnon: none

Vice-President Diana Davidson: suggested announcement be made on Facebook page for upcoming Make it Sow fundraiser.

Treasurer Heather Saquet: account is sitting at \$5398.04. Recent cheques written were for 2 babysitters, \$40 dainty tray for staff at Christmas, and candy canes purchased for students for \$75.

Fundraising: Make it sow fundraising will be going home with students on January 30 and 31. To be returned by February 10. Council will be making an announcement on the Facebook page as well as holding a draw for a free seed packet.

Principal Mr. Hanke:

- Mr. Unger has been reassigned as a divisional Phys. Ed teacher. Cole Krukewich is currently subbing for Mrs. Schafer's Grade 4 class.
- Mrs. Rainka will be returning from leave on Thursday.
- Shawna Zechowski has been hired as an evening custodian.
- HMK enrollment is currently at 451 students.
- School board is currently budgeting for the upcoming school year. A planning and learning seminar will be held on Thursday and Friday made up of the school board, some teachers, as well as a divisional student advisory panel made up of

high school students from NACI and Carberry High School. In 2021 it cost the Beautiful Plains School Division \$11,828 per student to attend school.

Vice-Principal Mr. Freeman:

- Hot dog fundraising is currently being held to help subsidize bus costs during field trips. Hot dogs are being sold for \$2 each and are being cooked in slow cookers in classrooms. Last week 32 dozen hot dogs were sold.
- Noonskating is continuing and is held on Wednesdays and Thursdays with approximately 230 students attending weekly. Neepawa Titans have been coming to help skate with students and tie skates.

Old Business: A motion was made on January 12 by Heather Saquet to post a draw on the Facebook page to win a Roxy theatre pass. This was seconded by Leslie Pearson. The draw was won by Tricia Braun.

New Business:

- Upcoming Make it Sow fundraiser was discussed.
- Teacher appreciation was mentioned but will be discussed further at upcoming meetings.
- Spring Fling will be planned at upcoming meetings. Possible dates were discussed.
- Mr. Hanke was asked to have teachers send in requests for the next meeting.

Next meeting will be held on March 20 at 6:30.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:34.