Parent Council Minutes: March 19, 2013

- Called meeting to order at 7:05.
- Secretary's report:
 - January 22, 2013 meeting minutes were reviewed.
 - Correspondence in regards to Manitoba Association of Parent Council (MAPC) meeting in Winnipeg May 3-4, 2013. None of our council members are able to attend.
- Treasurer's report:
 - We made \$4500 with Scoop-a-lot.
- Feedback about Staff Appreciation week:
 - Food provided by parents/families during the week was much appreciated by staff. The Friday Noon supervision provided by parents was also much appreciated. Thank you to those that brought in food items or provided supervision.
- Mr. Hanke gave his Principal's report.
 - There will be a Grade 5 transition meeting March 21. This is in regards to the first Grade 6 class that will move to NACI because of increased enrolment at HMK. Mr. Freeman has agreed to move to NACI to continue teaching Grade 6.
 - The Spring Fling is April 25. Only water and coffee will be provided this year. Parent volunteers are needed at the water, coffee & coat room. Please call the school if you are available.
 - Discount cards will soon be distributed. This fundraiser is used for field trips in all grades and the Grade 5/6 camp trip. Cards are \$15 each and are accepted at 19 local businesses. Each family is to pay \$30 and can choose to take 0-2 discount cards. The plan next year is to have HMK and NACI jointly sell the discount cards.
- Discussion on how to distribute the funds (\$4500) made by the Scoop-a-lot fundraiser:
 - Playground fund \$500
 - African drums for music room -\$700
 - Grade 4 levelled literary books \$1000
 - Replacement of kitchen set and table & chairs in Kindergarten room \$700
 - School shelving \$700
 - Artist in the School (2 extra weeks) \$900
- Meeting adjourned at 7:58 pm.