

**Carseland Elementary School  
School Council Meeting**

**Monday, November 16, 2009**

Present: R. Cleveland, Mr. Grimsdale, J. Alce, J. Cook, L. Lightfoot, T. Page, Miss Deschenes, J Cook, Y Anderson, Kelsey Hall, Nick Christensen

1. **Welcome** to all by Rhonda, and the meeting was called to order at 7:00pm

2. **Reports:**

**Secretary's Report** – The minutes were adopted.

**Motion – Linda Lightfoot moved that we adopt the minutes as read.**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Motion – Jenn Cook**

**All in Favor**

**Passed**

**Treasurers Report** – Jenn Alce stated our balance to date is \$7961.23, unofficial profit for the comedy night is \$15,000.00. C.K.W.C will donate \$10,000.00 to the school and keep \$5,000.00 to start next years comedy night.

**Fundraising Report** – Jenn Cook proposed we sell poinsettias for our X-mas fundraiser.

**Motion – Yvonne moved we sell the for \$15.00 ea**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Motion – L. Lightfoot**

**All in Favor**

**Passed**

**Students Report** – Raised \$205.00 for unicef cup cake sale

-Bobby Bugaloo coming Nov.18

-Alien inline skating was a blast!

-Halloween was fun and spooky

-Had fire safety presentation in October

-Gr. 4's had fun on their field trip

-We finished intramurals for dodge ball and will be starting volleyball

-Blue team is in 1<sup>st</sup> place! Red is in last.

**Teachers Report** – Student conferences were a hit, shoe boxes will be picked up Thursday, x-mas concert themes are Melton the warm hearted snowman and the Grinch. Concert is on Dec, 9.

**Hot Lunch** – Doreen couldn't make it but Jenn C reported there are leftover chips for the next Jelly Bean dance.

**Community Representative: Mrs Trudy Page reported**

**\*Community News-** Lions had their sportsmans dinner, grandma's put on the Halloween function at the hall, Remembrance ceremony was a success PB club prepared the meal, COP is up and running, president for the Ag remains Andy Weibe, Library is now open Sat mornings as well as Thurs 2-4 and 7-9, Flu clinic was cancelled, Farmer's market Dec 4 & 5, Santa run Dec 24<sup>th</sup>, New Years dance tentatively on.

**3. Principal's Report – class sizes:**

- a. **Kindergarten - 11**
- b. **Grade 1 – 12**
- c. **Grade 2 – 13**
- d. **Grade 3 – 18**
- e. **Grade 4 – 14**
- f. **Grade 5 – 24**
- g. **Grade 6 – 16**
- h. **Total – 108**

**-Presentation to the Board**

- a. AERR
- b. School Goals

Character Education update (Virtues Program)

Assessment (AIS)

- Report Cards: Student Led Conferences
- Assessment conferences
- Provincial Achievement Test results

Technology

- Photocopier (\$21000)
- Ever greening our computers
- Accelerated Reader

Other Items

- Unicef Cupcake sale raised \$205.00
- Asking for help reading to students (Early Lit) & Leveling books in our

Library

- Bobby Boogaloo Wednesday Nov. 18<sup>th</sup> 2:00pm
- Halloween activities
- Operation Christmas Child shoe boxes
- Pedometers donated by Encana
- Fire Safety presentation in October
- Christmas concert Dec 9<sup>th</sup>

Extracurricular Events

- Grade six volleyball tournament at Wheatland School Dec 4<sup>th</sup>
- Alien inline skating was a success

Field Trips

-The grade fours went to the Tyrell Museum in October. Past support from School Council has included \$500.00 per grade to cover bussing costs as well as admission for this event. The grade fours are requesting this funding again.

**Old Business:**

- What does everyone think about doing the comedy night every two years? Unanimous every year!
- Jelly bean dance postponed until Nov 27<sup>th</sup>
- Staff appreciation dinner, Rhonda will inquire

**New Business:**

- x-mas concert bake raffle

**Motion** – Jenn A moved we have a bake sale instead  
**2<sup>nd</sup> Motion** – Yvonne  
**All in Favor**  
**Passed**

Meeting Adjourned at 8:15pm  
Next Meeting, January 18 2009 @ 7:00pm