

Southwood PAC meeting Dec 12/23

Ashley, Teagan, Natalie, Chantal, Marge, Christina, Sarah, Steph, Michelle

AGENDA

1) School Report

- Had a really successful concert- they all worked really hard
- Venue was large enough since they opened the side and everyone could have had a seat
- Kindergarten will do theirs at learning expo
- If could find some parents/grandparents to volunteer some time/club for lunch time, as find especially closer to holidays, a bit more excitement, and need something a bit more to do
- Dress up day coming up
- Couches came in today in the lobby, they look wonderful
- Wed at 1240 Dec 20 – assembly is a sing along

2) Hot lunch

- Chica's chicken information (See email)
- Will table yay or nay to add -we will discuss markup
- Changes for new year re: admin/ ordering on Munchalunch?
 - o Will try to meet next week to go over what we need to do
 - o Teagan may be interested in taking this over

3) Fundraising

- Oakridge: Sold \$1473, and made \$300 profit
- Confirm oakridge was paid - yes
- Prize was given for highest order (purchased from Janzen's paint)
- Swing update
 - o Marge has talked to the OTD, they work with a company out of Oakbank, we will need to get a quote: runs from 1500-3000 depending on the features we need
 - o Can probably get reduced if willing to pick it up (\$500)
 - o Add-ons would include foot rest/ lumbar support/ arm rests/ different buckles
 - o Since at the moment, we do not need the add-ons- we can request as needed, we will purchase the basic swing.
 - o PAC voted on swing.

-will look into the other fundraisers:

- chocolates- but the upfront payment is not ideal and the profit from them, is not what it used to be.

- the school will be doing it again this year – chocolates (Not PAC related)

Action: for PAC to come up with some fundraising ideas.

- Colibri snack bags, Mom's Pantry
- Money towards lost and found organization/storage
- Silent auction at learning expo – table for next meeting
- By grade / PAC to fill basket if needed

4) Questions/Comments/ Concerns

- Ideas for something for the children before Christmas
- Juice boxes and popcorn for the last day of school
- 2 kindergarten classes on Thursday
- Dec 22- 22 classes
- Dec 21 – 2 classes – 30 popcorn

Looking into field trip with the pools -wondering whether PAC would consider raising money for that.

-Grade two swimming is out this year

Natalie had a concern about the drop off/ illegal stopping in the mornings- is there something that can be done.

Marge will look into re: gift for past member of PAC after serving 2 years.