

Present:

Lana, LM, Kate, Lisa G, Greg, Bethellen, Chelsee, Kristina, Leisa, Lisa K, Corey, Nana, Jessica, Charlene

- 1. Call to order: The regular meeting was called to order by LM at 18:30
- 2. Welcome + Introductions:
- 3. Approval of Agenda: The agenda was approved by Lana as presented, second Kate
- 4. **Approval of Minutes**: The Oct. meeting minutes were approved as presented by Jessica second Kristina

5. New Business:

- 5.1 Halloween Dance: Negative feedback re: cash calendar contest for the park. Learning experience for next year. Feedback on quiet room parents asking for same. Great DJ!! Need more glowsticks for next year. More than enough candy bags and chips. Set up time worked better for this year.
- **5**.2 Christmas Concert + Baskets: Lisa K can take lead on the baskets. Committee? Nov 28th is the last day for money and items to be brought in. Dec 12 Christmas concert. Baskets to raffle off during evening show.
- **5**.3 Teacher Appreciation: Dec 13th. On Sign up Genius. Pulled pork sliders, Caeser salad, mini apple cheesecakes.? Cookies? Ornaments? Poinsettias. Lana to arrange cards for teacher gifts. Have all items at school for Dec 11. Meat will need to start smoking on the 12th. Plan for 30 staff members.
- 5.4 Purdy's Update: Fundraiser not doing so well. Ends tonight Nov 21.
- 5.5 FOBK Update: Financial Update -----PROFITS: Welcome Back BBQ: \$220/Healthy Hunger \$733/Halloween Dance \$1827/Mabels Labels \$75/Cash Calendar TBD once all winners have been paid out. Would like to have a reserve in the bank of \$5k. Remaining items in accounts payable = the last half of playground, insurance and extra sand. 50/50 + Raffle basket need license. Bottle drive after Christmas DATE: January 7/8th. ? Andrea to arrange? Need volunteers to unlock trailer in morning. Bethellen to make graphic. AGLC regulations on cash calendar. Need a debrief in the new year. Kindness calendars (BINGO cards) in February. Will need Halloween candy donations for same. All in favour.
- 5.6 Teacher Updates: Given by Lisa K. Advent starts soon. 12 days of Christmas. Nov 27th BobKat Lunch and Assembly 2:45. 29th Nov. PD Day, no school. Grade 1's leading advent celebration Dec 4th at 2:45. TY to all parents for supporting the book fair. An overwhelming success! Dress like a teacher day Nov. 22 Running club starts next week. Raffle Baskets, last day to get items to teachers is Nov 28th. Dec 12 Christmas Concert tickets on sale through powerschool. Last Day of school for Christmas break is Dec. 20th.

6. Reports:

6.1 School Board Report – Given by Greg Schell: Greg's first meeting of the year. District to change the boundaries merge Legal and Morinville Trustees + St Albert will have 4-5 trustees. 3

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new trustees to vote in election next year. Nov 1 Division Office moved back to renovated space. SRR Visits coming up. BK results reviewed today. Division Calendar Survey: Parent input on calendar dates.

6.2 Principal Report: Jesse Tree Advent Calendar starts Mon. 25th. Christmas concert tickets on sale November 25th. See BK Bulletin for Specifics on the 12 days of Christmas at BK. Dec 19th Leisa asks to remove pancake day and proposes a different meal for hot lunch as already pancake day planned for the 20th. All in favour. Lastly, big thanks to the amazing council!! ©

- 7. **Next Meeting**: January 16 2025
- 8. Adjourned: Meeting was adjourned @ 19:26