

**MORTLACH SCHOOL COMMUNITY COUNCIL  
REGULAR MEETING  
Tuesday, February 13, 2017**

**PRESENT:** Corinne Cobbe, Kim Dreger, Angela Molde, Kim Misuga, Tricia Lambert  
TEACHER- Greg Kotschorek  
STUDENT REPRESENTATIVES- Not Present

**CALL TO ORDER:** Meeting was called to order at 7:05 P.M.

**MINUTES:** Moved by Tricia Lambert and seconded by Kim Misuga that the minutes of meeting from January 10, 2017 be approved as circulated. CARRIED

**PRINCIPAL'S UPDATE:**

LIP and LIT – **LIP has been updated. We are planning to Anita come on February 16 to do Yoga with PE classes – Grades 3 – 5 in the am and Grades 9 – 12 pm. LIT – we have been working on organization. Our goal was to have student go from 63% to 80%. Students met the goal for organization – 86%. We are now going to go on to the next writing trait of voice. Voice is writing with personality. For example match vocabulary – sad, happy, angry.**

2. Look at exercise 2 – **We are doing the SCC Self -Monitoring tool on lThe line. It will be a survey monkey which needs to be completed by March 24 in preparation for the AGM on April 4. The link is**

**<https://www.surveymonkey.com/SCCSelfMonitoring17>**

3. Literacy Day – **We had two guests in that day. Thank you Mrs. Jacek for arranging to have Gerry Stonechild, aboriginal storyteller, come in to share stories with our Grades K – 5 in the afternoon. In the morning we had Melanie McFarlene, author, come in an work with our 6 – 12 students.**

4. Staff Appreciation Week – February 12 – 18 – **Tony Baldwin is sending out emails for teachers to share with their students – each email dealing with a different group of people who make education possible for them. He would like us to send photos of students expressing their appreciation for the people who work with them.**

5. Our School Parent Survey – **Will not occur this year. Students and teachers will do the survey between March 13 and May 13. There are three windows to do the survey. We will be doing ours after Easter Break.**

**CHAIRPERSONS REPORT:**

**NEW BUSINESS:**

**Staff Appreciation-** Angela will take care of February after the return from break and Kim Dreger will take care of staff appreciation for the month of March.

**Rural Congress-** Rural Congress takes place this year March 26-28 at TCU place in Saskatoon. Early bird registration has passed as of February 1, 2017. Will revisit at next meeting to see if any SCC members will be able to attend.

**Student Led Conferences-** Report cards will go out on March 10, 2017. SLC's will be held on the evenings of March 14<sup>th</sup> & 15<sup>th</sup>. There will be no school on March 17, 2017. High School report cards will go out on April 12<sup>th</sup>.

**Yoga-** Yoga will take place on February 16, 2017. Anita will be coming in to the school in the am for grades 3-5 and in the afternoon for grades 9-12. Students will be encouraged to bring a mat from home if they own one. After discussion, it was decided to donate \$2 per child in gratitude for Anita's time.

**SCC Annual Meeting-** We have tentatively set the date for our annual meeting for Tuesday, April 25, 2017 to be followed by our regular meeting for the month of April.

**Prairie South AGM-** The annual meeting of electors will be held this year at École Gravelbourg on Tuesday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017. RSVP by March 22, 2017. Will discuss possibility of SCC attendance at next meeting.

#### **OLD BUSINESS:**

**"Tell Them From Me" Survey-** There will be no parent survey completed this year.

**Family Fun Night-** Tentatively set for Thursday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2017. We will brainstorm ideas and share at the next meeting.

**SCC REPORT:** The SRC organized activities for each day of milk week which was from February 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>.

They will have Candy-Grams and have organized a Valentines dance to be held on Valentine's Day during last period.

**FINANCIAL REPORT:** Angela made a motion to spend \$140 for 4 sessions of yoga from School Generated Funds. Seconded by Kim. ALL IN FAVOUR.

Angela made a motion to spend \$150 from decentralized account for newsletters. Al

Angela made a motion to spend \$25 from decentralized account for photocopies for the SCC. ALL IN FAVOUR.

**STAFF APPRECIATION SNACK:** February- Angela, March- Kim Dreger

**NEXT MEETING:** Wednesday, March 1, 2017 at 7PM

**ADJOURNMENT:** Moved by Kim Dreger that the meeting adjourned at 8:06 PM