

**Prince Arthur Community School Council**  
**Wednesday, January 15, 2020 – 5:30pm**

**Attendance:** Brad Raes (vice principal), Randi Kirkby (chair), Suzanne Vance (teacher/secretary), Laurie Hellings (teacher), Darryl Kirkby (parent), Shawna Facette (parent), Brian Swanson (Board Trustee)

**Regrets :** Mary Jukes (Board Trustee), Stephanie Southcott (parent)

**Welcome and Introductions**

**A) Randi**

**a. Christmas Concert Draws and Lotto Board Winners**

- Harvey Family – TJ Pizzas
- Thalhoffer Family – TJ Pizzas
- Bookout Family – High Kick gift card
- Lester Family – Hub Meat gift card
- Juan Family – Turkey, Wandering Market & Safeway Gift cards
- Bajus Family – Turkey, Wandering Market & Coop Gift Cards
- Van Damme Family – MJ Warriors Family Fun pack
- Lotto Wreath Winner – Mrs. Gordon

Students will write thank-you cards to businesses for their generous donation.

**b. Christmas Concert**

- Discussion around sharing some general audience Housekeeping Rules at beginning of show next year
  - ✚ Leaving only during classroom changes on stage
  - ✚ Video taping from front to prevent loss of stage visual for folks behind
  - ✚ General talking during the performances
  - ✚ Cell phone usage takes place in lobby

**c. Future Fundraising**

- March 16 – April 3 – Kernels Popcorn – Randi will contact to get flavor options, size options and prices
- May – Art Gala or Family Dance

**d. Family Movie Night (Suzanne)**

- January 30<sup>th</sup>
  - ✚ Suzanne will get poster ready to send home
  - ✚ Need a copy of the movie and supplies for the event
  - ✚ Email will be sent out by Suzanne to get all things organized

**B) Brad**

**a. See attached Principal's Report**

**b. Christmas Turkey Lunch**

- Fantastic meal provided
- Volunteer group was thrilled with our kiddos

**c. Family Literacy Day – January 29**

- **Motion by Randi:** SCC will provide funding for the purchase of Muffins, Coffee and Juice for this event. **2<sup>nd</sup>:** Laurie      **Carried**

**d. School Facebook Page**

- Shawna and Brad will work together to set this up

**e. Budget**

- We need to get a copy of our two SCC budget accounts from Mrs. Coburn for next meeting.

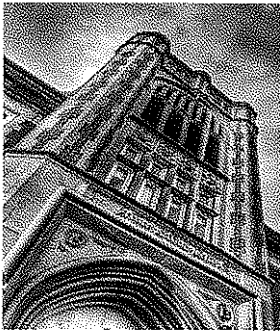
**C. Trustee**

- Brian shared some information from reports presented at last Board Meeting
  - 876 students in the city are bussed to school each day
  - Average ride time in the city is 9 minutes; Average ride time in the rural is 35.5 minutes (some children are on bus for up to 90 minutes)
  - PSSD has 155 busses in their fleet
  - PSSD employs 905.46 employees
  - Discussion around Class Composition

**Next Meeting: Tuesday, February 11 @ 5:30 pm**

**Supper will be served**

**New members must contact Randi at [p.a.scc@hotmail.com](mailto:p.a.scc@hotmail.com) to register to attend**



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## Prince Arthur Community School Council Meeting Wednesday, January 15, 2020 Administrators' Report

### Purpose of SCC's:

- ◆ Support student learning
- ◆ Support student well being
- ◆ Encourage parent and community involvement

Board Representatives for Prince Arthur: Brian Swanson, Mary Jukes

### Areas to Consider:

- ◆ How can the SCC be involved and engaged in our academic and/or wellbeing goal?
  - ◆ How can we engage parents in the school and in their child(ren) learning?
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### Past Events

- Christmas Store
- Christmas Concert
- Christmas Turkey Meal

### Future Events

- Family Literacy Day – Book and a Muffin 8:15 – 8:45 – parents come and read with their child(ren). Middle years students have some special literacy activities involving robots and
- Character Day – Feb 29
- No school Jan. 31
- PA Pride Day – Feb 3

### TidBITS

- Basketball has started Boys A and B, Girls B and a developmental team consisting of grade 5
- Curling continues. Bonspiel Feb. 5
- Flag Football league with Holy Trinity
- Guitar Club – lots of interest. Currently looking for more guitars
- December AAA Club – Academics, attitude and attendance – **Bowling!** (Averaging 45 students/month)
- We have 2 fourth year nurses from the UofS joining us until March.
- New soccer net here and ready to put up (when weather permits).

### SCC Ideas to support school

- Fundraisers:
  - Family Movie Night - Jan 30 and April?
  - Popcorn Sale – when?
- Literacy Day – Book and a Muffin – Would SCC be willing to pay for juice and muffins?
- Other ideas?

*Growing a Community of Learners*