

Prince Arthur Community School Council
Wednesday, November 6, 2019 – 5:30pm

Attendance: Jackie Straub (principal), Brad Raes (vice principal), Randi Kirkby (chair), Suzanne Vance (teacher/secretary), Laurie Hellings (teacher), Darryl Kirkby (parent), Clara Reid (parent), Shawna Facette (parent), Board Trustees – Brian Swanson

Regrets : Mary Jukes (Board Trustee)

Welcome and Introductions

A) Randi

a. Fundraising:

- Lotto Ornament: 1 for Building Blocks and 1 for School Concert
- Suzanne will look after this

b. Prairie South SCC Page

- Information about an SCC Conference in Regina on Saturday, Nov. 23
 1. PD money available
 2. Clara is interested in attending

c. Gift Draws for Christmas Concert

- Turkey donation by anonymous source
- Shauna – chickens
- 2 food hampers and whatever is extra from donations
- Need a donation letter and folks will go around to get donations

B) Brad

a. See attached Principal's Report

b. Parent Involvement ideas

- Morning reading time with children
- Career Ed sharing with students
- Family athletic games organized (kickball, soccer, slo-pitch)
- Social Media – currently have Twitter and website, do we need Facebook or Instagram?
- Newsletter scavenger hunt – be entered in a draw to win something
- Sharing in Curricular programs
- Prize available for those parents who book interviews online

c. Playground plans

- Move benches from corner of yard to closer to school
- Need to create benches – Clara offered some support and availability – how can we connect this to partnership with Exhibition Grounds?

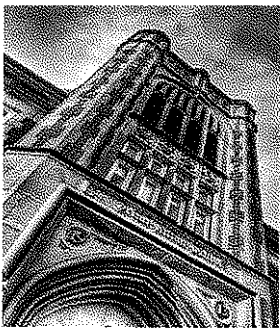
C) Trustees

- a. Discussion around class sizes**

Next Meeting: Wednesday, December 11 @ 5:30 pm

Supper will be served

New members must contact Randi at p.a.scc@hotmail.com to register to attend



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Prince Arthur Community School Council Meeting Wednesday, November 6 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? (Twitter)

Past Events

- FCC Drive Away Hunger - Collected 244 lbs
- Teacher vs. Student Volleyball game – teachers won!
- Education Week – big success!
- Home Reading Parent Presentation for Gr. 1 & 2
- Halloween Dance @ WG
- Halloween Centres and Dress Up Day

Future Events

- Parent portal opens Nov. 15
- Twin Day – Nov. 20
- Book Fair Nov. 26 – 28 (open the evenings of students led conferences)
- Student Led Conferences – Nov. 26 and 28 (3:00-6:30)
- No School – Nov. 29 (Prep Day)
- Christmas Store - Dec. 12
- Christmas Concert – Dec. 18
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TidBITS

- PA Pride Day 1st school day of the month.
- AAA Club – Academics, attitude and attendance – **42 students in October's Club**
- The Ministry of Education has asked school division to change how they collect and share information resulting in a new student information system called MySchoolSask (MSS). Parents will have access to an online parent portal that lets them view information about their child/children including their attendance and achievement levels. **There will be NO paper report card.**
- Online booking system for Student-Led Conferences again this year. **Opens Nov. 12 - 19**

SCC Ideas to Support LIP

- Newsletter blurb
- Organize parent events – literacy nights, Math game evening,
- Yard Beautification – outdoor tables on MY side
- Book Exchange
- Bulletin Boards
- Trade Show
- Attendance Initiative
- Cultural Events
- Others ideas? _____