

Centennial School Council

Minutes

November 8, 2016

Attendance –

- Kathy S
- Heather J
- Jennifer S
- Kelly G
- Helen C.
- Doug M.
- George O.

Proceedings:

- **Reports:**
 - **Treasurer:** Account Balance: \$9,678.25
 - **Staff Report:**
 - Christmas Concert December 15th.
 - Enrollment at 231 up 9 next week
 - Student election is Thursday afternoon
 - Record Cards on Nov 25th. Interviews Nov 30 to Dec 1
 - Remembrance Day assembly Thurs at 10:45am
 - Book Fair Nov 28 to Dec 1
 - **Council of School Council Report:** Doug M
 - Doug noticed a lot of schools are doing raffles. Other schools finding this more successful
 - Report from Dietician. Very interesting –handouts passed out
 - District health and safety review has given savings in premiums
 - Changes happen referring to maintenance program
 - Changed meeting schedule for May
 - Celebration of Excellence to acknowledge excellence in schools. To nominate please let the principle of the school know.
 - **School Trustee Report:**
 - Pilot Program involved 4 schools and was successful
 - Griffith Scott getting modular (6 classroom)

Centennial School Council

- Grades 8 and 9 High School presentation by principal.
- Jurisdiction up in students
- Budget is on the way

- **Principal Report:**
 - Ended Sept with 231 students. In line with June's expectation of 227-232.
 - Few Staff changes with a maternity leave.
 - PD: worked with staff on IPP system and technical systems: Google Classroom, online plans
 - Student Council election will happen in October.
 - School received call from Wetaskiwin Times to do a write up on school breakfast program.
 - School had a Technical Advisor survey of technology used in school tour.

- **Old Business:**

- **Discussion Items:**
 - City of Wetaskiwin has Grant in Aid program. Offering \$500 towards an event. Discussing whether council should apply for a basketball net. Council approves. Will follow up with David.
 - Jack Frost: Looking for Welcoming Committee to work the day Nov. 19th, 10am to 2pm. 32 vendors coming.
 - Add in Wetaskiwin Times on this week's flyer
 - Contest for favorite Christmas scene. Bring to the sale to be entered into a draw.
 - Motion to purchase 10 cards of \$5.00 for a dollar store raised by Jennifer. Second by Kelly and approved by council.

- **New Business:**
 - Motion brought by Jennifer to add Helen C., Doug M and Kelly G to signing authority – Motion carried and approved
 - Money Board for the Christmas concert.

Next School Parent Council Meeting: Tuesday, December 6th, 2016 at 6:45 pm.