

**Kettle Creek Public School**  
**School Council / Home and School Minutes**  
**Thursday, December 3, 2020**

The December meeting of the Parents' Association was called to order with 19 parents and staff in attendance.

**Present:**

Beth, Brytni, Debbie, Esther, Hedi, Janet, Jen, Jessica, Kelly, Laura, Melanie, Miranda, Rick, Sara, Sue, Suman, Tara, Vanessa

Approval of the agenda was motioned by Kelly and seconded by Sue

Approval of the minutes was motioned by Beth and seconded by Suman

Jessica, Tara, Suman, Sara, and Beth gave a brief introduction

**School Council**

**Proposed Initiatives**

The following ideas were proposed for the school:

- The key elements – Building the community.
- June 5 is World Environment Day and we'd like to do an Eco Day.
- Culture Day will be mid to end of February. The students can present their cultures.
- World Book Day is April 23. Students can dress up as their favourite character.
- 30 Day Fitness will be in May. Each student will try to do 30 minutes of physical activity each day. Esther suggested making it a competition for each classroom. We can donate books to the classroom that wins.

We will have a page on the school newsletter each month to communicate with parents

A suggestion was to have a parent representative for each classroom. We feel this would work best for JK – grade 3. We can use the What's Up app to communicate between the parents and teacher, but would have to get each parents permission to use their information.

We would like to have parents to be key speakers from the community to come in to speak. We will see if any parents are interested.

**Home and School**

**Fundraiser Idea**

Beth brought forward an idea that is a big box of cards. The box costs \$33.00 and we get \$11.00 per box profit. It can all be done online.

We can do a community recipe book. It can be done as an ebook and all done online. We can combine this with a culture night.

Once we get the go ahead to fundraise then we will revisit all ideas.

Esther has had people from the community contacting her to make donations. We can make a list of ideas that the donations will go to so we can tell them where their money will be spent.

**Hot Lunch**

Hot lunch is still on hold. We may have to put it off until next year.

**Treasurer's Report:**

Balance as of November, 2020	\$ 36729.34
Committed Funds	\$ 9637.65
Playground	\$ 14913.70
Uncommitted Funds	\$ 12177.99

**Teacher's Request:**

1. Mr Dursten has requested two chrome books. The total is \$814.00. Approved.

**Principal's Report**

See attached

The school is doing a can food drive until December 11.

**Meeting Date**

The next meeting will be Thursday, February 4th at 6:30pm