

PSSC Minutes

Tuesday, March 24, 2015

SSMS Library

Members present:

Tanya Downey, Chairperson, Alan Dunfield, Principal, Shelley Grant, Nancy Snow, Jennifer Gowan, Secretary

Meeting called to order at 6:35pm.

New Business

- Principal's Review: Will do next month
- Spring Symposium: Moncton, May 29-31, PSSC members invited, expenses covered
- Fun Night: \$50 fee for students, fundraiser run by Scott Legge, money split between activities (mostly athletics, uniforms), takes place on a Friday night, students play/have spaghetti dinner/play games/watch movie/sleepover/have breakfast.
- Mix-It Up day: To encourage students to socialize with kids whom they normally wouldn't at lunchtime. Kids were given numbers via hand stamps upon entering cafeteria, then they were to proceed to that table number to eat. Conversation topics were on each table to encourage discussion. Great idea!

Old Business

- School trips: Ottawa trip is okay for numbers. Quebec and Snider Mountain trips are in trouble due to low numbers. Options to be discussed....possible opening trips up to non-FI students. If money is a factor in students not going, just ask....money is available for such cases.
- School sports: Jen Gowan emailed Courier editor Vern Faulkner. Basketball was featured in the paper in March. Season for "B" team is shorter than "A" team due to less competition available.

Principal's Report

- Basketball: Girls "A" won banner, Boys "A" won banner, Girls "B" had fun at Provincials in Hillsborough
- Wrestling: 40-ish kids involved, Mr. and Mrs. McKinney coaching. Some kids will attend Canada East meet in Niagara Falls.
- Parent-Teacher Interviews: Thurs. March 26 and Fri. March 27 (no school Friday for students), Synvoice should have gone home today to remind parents
- Chess: Yesterday in St. George, SSMS won 1st in Grades 6, Grade 7, Grade 8
- Volleyball: Great turn-out, 40 girls attended try-outs

Next meeting: Tues. April 21 at 6:30pm in SSMS Library

Meeting adjourned at 7:20pm