

PSSC Agenda October 4th, 2021

Attendees: Kathy Young, Heather Gillis, Lori Foley, Lindsey Rees, Crystal Tufts, Brian Gaudet, Paula Boudreau

1. Welcome/Call to Order - 5:35 pm
2. Approval of Agenda – Approved by Lindsey, Second approval by Brian.
3. Approval of minutes – Lori volunteered to take minutes
4. Principal report:
 - Chairperson and secretary 2021-2022 - Requested new Chair and Secretary – will wait for volunteers to email Kathy
 - New members
 - Introduced new member Crystal and re-introduced Paula back.
 - Outdoor area
 - Fully operational now.
 - Need to dig hole deeper for stools.
 - Lots of imagination play happening in this space.
 - Kindness ribbons being tied to the rope. (sharing messages of kindness)
 - Phase 2 is not planned as yet. (weather station and outdoor music).
 - Will have children paint stools.
 - Benches are solid.
 - School library open this year
 - With class sizes back to full, more space allows for library space to be open.
 - Library to open Oct. 5.
 - With the library, the 'maker space' comes back as well.
 - Agenda items from members: Open discussion:
 - Brian asked about field trips and what that means.
 - Kathy advised, not having them right now. Hoping for May/June to be back on track.
 - New reading curriculum for K, 1 & 2.
 - Brian asked about K enrollment #'s.
 - Kathy replied with a small increase in K. Full enrollment in K, 1 & 2.
 - Heather mentioned the 'Appeal Committee' and asking PSSC members to join. Can reach out to Heather if interested in more information.
 - Brian mentioned cereal donation was a huge success.
 - Kathy replied, there is enough to do until return from Christmas break.
 - Brian mentioned challenger cash store.
 - Kathy replied, there is enough to do for a little while.
 - Home and School provided a donation for supplies.

- Brian mentioned Covid and how that affects music class and asked if anything has changed: singing, instruments, etc.
 - Kathy replied that, children are singing and recorders are assigned to each student.
- Brian mentioned Covid and how it relates to parents picking up students.
 - Kathy replied that, parents are to be masked and are in and out quickly.
 - Face to Face meetings are allowed this year. Children are given mask breaks and no masks required outside.
- Brian mentioned previous student who has been diagnosed with Aplastic Anemia.

5. Setting date for next meeting – November 1 5:30 pm

6. Adjournment 6:12 pm