October 1, 2013

PSSC/ Home and School Meeting Minutes

Attendees: Tracey Kennedy, Ashley Tayes, Gloria Donald, Natasha Bennett, Tiffany Munn, Ms. Donovan, Laura Clark, Nancy Clark, Rhonda Makepeace

PSSC:

- Meeting called to order
- Minutes from May's meetings were reviewed and passed
- WITS update Ms. Donovan is waiting for information to arrive. Once program is here she will begin to implement with help of guidance councilor. This is expected to be here in November.
- RCMP Public Safety Night> school is working with RCMP to hold an evening session where in families will be invited to attend to listen to a presentation. Date TBA in October.

Home and School:

- Chef Frank from River Valley Middle school to provide a lunch option on Wednesday in lieu of subway subs. Children will have a choice of either a chicken Caesar wrap or a chicken snacker which is a lightly breaded chicken finger served on a multigrain roll. Ranch dressing is served on the side. Both are available @ \$2.25 each.
- Fall Fun Fair. We will hold the fall fun fair this year the weekend of Nov 1. We will still have the usual games, bingo, mock jail, bake sale, face painting, cake walk, and a canteen. We are working on other activities and more information will be posted soon. Of course we will need lots of volunteers. Current volunteers are as follows: Tracey, Ashley, Gloria, Natasha, Rhonda, Laura, Tiffany, Nancy. If anyone can offer an hour of their time please contact Ms. Donovan.

- Hot lunch program has started. Thank you to everyone for having their completed police checks.
- Playground > we have made significant progress on our playground fundraising. We have held
 two very successful breakfast and both the Greenwich Fire Department and Greenwich
 Recreation have given us 2 very generous donations. Below you can see how much money has
 some in since the first of July...I actually said it wrong at the meeting (I apologize)..it's more!! So
 this money added to what was already in the bank brings our total to just over \$15,000!

Field Day			
Donations	6/30/2013		211.20
playground Breakfast	7/13/2013		1692.25
steak tray draw	7/13/2013		60.00
donation jar @ breakfast	7/13/2013		180.25
Fire Hall Boot			
Drive	9/14/2013		1600.00
September breakfast	9/21/2013		1453.00
Greenwich Recreation Cheq	9/21/2013		3000.00
		Sub	
		total	8196.70

We would not have been able to reach this point without help from our community partners, The Greenwich Recreation, The Greenwich Fire Department, The River Road Co-Op, and The Home and School Association. The children recently hosted an assembly in their honor to recognize these efforts and thank these individuals. Each group was presented with a huge thank you card signed by all of the children.

The Co-Op additionally presented the school with a \$500 gift card towards our school breakfast program and an additional amount will be forthcoming in January.