



Stony Creek PAC Meeting Minutes Thursday, March 17, 2022 @ 9:15 AM

Call to order: 9:03 am

In Attendance: (Chair) Brenda, Tammie Sarauer, Travis McNaughton, et al

1. Lead Teacher/Principal Report (Travis/Leanne/Tammie)

1. Program report - Tammie -March and April. Lots of activities and engaging Friday activities (some Mondays upcoming.) We have an outdoor ed teacher that will be taking us out to Chickakoo for a spring observation, engineering activities, author visit, artist Willy Wong

It was asked if attendance to Friday activities is on a first come, first served basis, and which programs may attend. Mrs. Sarauer noted that “tickets” for events are distributed via Eventbrite.

She also explained that Friday activities are a part of the funding for Parent Partnership program. For Home Ed, fees will be paid via their funding. Virtual and Core programs are welcome to attend, and going forward (probably September,) there will be a recovery cost associated for Virtual and Core to attend certain Friday activities. Mrs. Sarauer mentioned that we are a flexible school and love to accommodate as many as possible.

Email issues were noted. There are a number of factors that could be affecting emails from getting to parents. If you feel you are not receiving emails, please check junkmail, check with office, check that you are selected as main contact in Powerschool, and if your child is in 2 different programs, i.e. Virtual and Parent Partnership, you may not be receiving the correct email.

Mrs. Sarauer thought a “test email” to all through School Messenger would be a good idea.

- b. Open House - Update - Good turnout. Really liked having the parent lead and introduction. Reminder to register for next year. It was recommended perhaps a video tutorial on how to register efficiently on Powerschool be produced and shared for future.
- c. Survey results- discussion 17 responses. If you haven't done the survey, please do so.
- d. Fundraising committee- April stepped down, Linda taking over as Fundraiser Chair. They will do signing authority changeover end of this month. Penny and Linda will be the signers. Fundraising mostly represents Stony Creek. A representative from each program would be beneficial.



- e. Outdoor Community Building- Jenni Leriger – Jenni suggested she may scheduled a regular Saturday outdoor community building event. Communication may be via facebook or, Travis mentioned through School Messenger. Brenda will contact Jenni to discuss extra outdoor events, including local bird store events.

- f. Market Day – Will be June 14. Mrs. Sarauer said it will go on the calendar. The fundraising foundation will run this. Linda said they will draft a document for participants to outline their business plan.

- g. Meeting in Person – The idea of having next month’s PAC meeting in person was met with resounding (virtual) applause.

New Business –

Bench – It was suggested that a bench be placed near the school. There are PSD requirements for benches, including a concrete pad and piling depths. Bench cost and concrete costs have not been assessed.

SEL Group- Heather presented her ideas for a Social Emotional Learning program at the school that she would facilitate. This is open for all students. Further planning to be done and information to come.

Meeting Adjourned: 10:30 ish