

**MacNeill School Community Council**  
**Meeting Minutes**  
**Tuesday, December 3rd, 2019**  
**7:00 pm**

**Attendance:** Tracy Dittmann, Jodie Alexce, Jamie Browne, Leslie Kampe, Jen Love-Green, Stacey McCulloch, Kathleen Whippler, Ashley Guarin, Karey Harris, Grant Urban, Tracy Johnson.

**Guests:**

**Regrets:** Melissa Weger, Nicole Reeve.

**Absent:**

1. **Call to order** 7:02 pm.

2. **Approval & Additions to the Agenda.**

**Motion:** Jen Love-Green

**Second:** Jamie Browne

**"To add 7d) Craft Sale Concession to the agenda." Carried**

2. **Adoption of minutes of the November 5th, 2019 meeting.**

**Motion:** Jen Love-Green

**Second:** Stacey McCulloch

**"To adopt the Minutes of the November 5th meeting as presented." Carried**

3. **Executive Reports:**

a) **Chair Report: No Report**

b) **Vice Chair Report: No Report**

c) **Treasurer Report: Available upon request**

d) **Secretary Report: No Report**

4. **Administrator's Report: Presented by Karey Harris**

School Operations

1. LIP Committees Update – School Culture/Climate and Learning and Engagement Staff will be working on the action items for the LIP on December 6th and will be reviewing goals and data. The results of this work will be shared at the January MSCC Meeting.
2. Attendance Matters - MacNeill Attendance Average for the month of November 96%.
3. United Way Attendance Matters Campaign-SAC Involvement and they have done a wonderful job and will be receiving the DQ incentive offered through the campaign. Staff involvement in fundraising-silent auction, potluck and raffles  
Laughter for Literacy Event March 27th  
Twitter @RBE2019UnitedWay.
4. Christmas - Two Ways to Give - focus is on students being mindful of giving
  - Used Toys, games, books from home to be donated to a school for their Santa Store (2 days only)
  - Food hamper items for families in the school community for Christmas (December 9th-13th)

Upcoming School Events:

December 4th and 5th - Toy collection

December 6th - PD Day No School

December 9th -13th - Food hamper collection

December 17th and 18th - Christmas Concerts 1:30 and 6:30

December 16th - 20th - Christmas Spirit Week

December 20th - Last Day before holidays and early dismissal

December 20th - January 5th No School

January 6th - School resumes

**Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! All the best in 2020 - A New Decade !!!**

5. **Review School Plan**

-Please see above Principal's Report.

6. **Old Business**

a) **Water Bottle Filling Stations**

-Leslie Kampe will have all the quotes together so we can make a decision at our January meeting.

b) **Raffle Fundraiser**

-Information available upon request.

**c) Spirit Wear Sales**

- We have had a couple of requests to order Spirit wear for Christmas gifts.
- Jen Love-Green will open this up again for a few days so that anyone wishing to order anything may do so.

**d) Reusable Bags**

- The bags are ready to be picked up from TG Marketing on North Winnipeg St.
- Stacee McCulloch has offered to pick these up, if Tracy Dittmann is not able to..

**e) SCC Conference - November 23rd**

- There was a general discussion about the days events and different break out groups that we all attended.
- We shared some of the feedback that was received and will share the report once it is made available to us.

**f) Christmas Baskets**

- Leslie Kampe will send out an email to ask for help with making the raffle baskets for this years concerts.

**7. New Business:**

**a) GSD Presentation**

- This has been deferred to when the students are available with ideas and ways for us to support them.

**b) Parent Engagement**

- See 6e). We will be adding this to all of the agendas moving forward.

**c) Crosswalk Safety**

- We discussed some ways to make it safer for the students arriving and leaving school.
- Talking to the students about pushing the button before crossing the street.
- Talking to the parents and students about crossing at the crosswalk instead of jaywalking.
- Asking for there to be a ticketing blitz so that parents will abide by the rules.

**d) Craft Sale**

- Leslie Kampe will look after the concession for the craft sale again this year.
- Leslie Kampe has secured donations from Big Bob's Meats and Cobs Bread for the concession.
- Thank you for the generous donations!

**8. Activity Updates:**

**Playground Improvement:** Senior students seating.

**Fall Dance (Halloween):** More details to follow.

**Fundraisers:** Spring (mom's pantry)

**Movie Nights:** 78 people. Movie donated to school. People asked for the raffle basket. Jodie will do this for the next movie.

**Special Lunches:** Boston Pizza- December 12th.

**Be the Best You Can Be:** Jamie Browne distributed the funds.

**Recess Boxes:** Jodie replenished the boxes and will continue this on a regular basis.

**Family Spring BBQ:** More details to follow.

**Family Pizza Night/Open House:** More details to follow.

**Staff Appreciation:** More details to follow.

**Spirit Wear:** See above 6c).

Adjournment: 8:15pm Ashley Guarin

**NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, January 15th, 2020.**