

Trochu Parent Council

Minutes of Monday, January 31, 2022 at 6:30 pm
Trochu Valley School – VIRTUAL via Zoom

Virtual Attendance: President Randi Hogg, Vice President Jackie Aellen, Treasurer Cindy Schmidt, VP Chantalle Van Otterloo, Amanda Gaboury, Secretary Debra Grosfield

1. **Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 6:39 pm by Randi Hogg.
2. **Agenda:** The Agenda for January 31, 2022 was approved as presented.
Motion by Deb. Carried.
3. **Minutes:** The Minutes from November 29, 2021 were reviewed and approved.
Motion by Deb, Seconded by Jackie. Carried.
4. **Business arising from the meeting**
No business arising from the meeting
5. **Treasurer's Report by Cindy Schmidt**
Expenses total: \$218.40 treats, \$949.76 Christmas lunch, \$250 swimming, \$50 Grade 10 award, \$100 Gingerbread houses, no fruit as there was donations from other places.
Income total: \$0
Balance forward is \$4,345

Motion by Cindy, Seconded by Jackie. Carried.
6. **Committee Reports**
 - a. **Quilters Report**
 - \$120 will be entry, maximum 40 participants to keep distancing safe, and only continental breakfast for meals (other meals will be ordered out and paid for individually). Weekend is March 4-6 and the volunteers needed will be low.
 - b. **Hot Lunch Report**
 - February 14 Hot Lunch, however with absences we are going to run with Subway instead, and a little extra love with the orders. Amanda will organize with Christina.
 - Jackie made a motion to purchase Valentines treat for all students and staff for under \$250. *Seconded by Jackie. Carried.*
7. **Principal's Report by VP Chantalle Van Otterloo:**
 - First semester finished with exam week being held with only a few COVID interruption.
 - Semester 2, we are very excited to be offering woodworking with Mr. Nelson for any interested grade 9-12 students.
 - Our basketball teams and JR Jays teams have been working hard in the gym- we have a little more than a month more of the season to look forward to! We are expanding our JR Jays from grades 5 and 6 and will be inviting any interested grade 4 students to participate as well!

- We are continuing to support the 'Pink Shirt' anti-bullying initiative at TroVal as well. 'Pink Shirt' day will be on Thursday, February 17th. Educating students about treating each other with dignity, respect and kindness is one of the many important lessons we continue to promote at TroVal.
- Kaylee Schultz, our Family Wellness Worker, continues to work in collaboration with school staff, to support students at TroVal. She will be doing classroom presentations throughout the week of February 14th - February 18th as we focus on kindness and empathy at TroVal.
- Our Elementary Seeds Fundraiser goes ahead again this month. We plan to use the proceeds of our fundraiser to help with fine arts equipment and activities, classroom libraries, athletic supplies and our community gardening/school grounds projects.
- Thanks to staff, parents and students for another successful semester of activities and academic work at Trochu Valley School. We are all working together to provide students with the framework to reach their personal potential, both now and in their future

8. New Business

- a. Fundraising Ideas, Requests for Funding, none at this time**

9. Meeting Dates:

March 28, May 30 Virtually at 630

Randi adjourned the meeting at 7:10 pm