

Selkirk Parent Group

February 25, 2016

MINUTES

1. Approval of minutes deferred to another meeting
2. President's report by Brandi
  - a. Feedback from open house was positive – busy and well attended – thanks to all of those who contributed
  - b. Next board meeting is March 31, 2016
3. Treasurer report by Brandi (Jen away)
  - a. Reviewed report provided
4. Admin / staff/ Leadership – Erin
  - a. Registration for the upcoming year is going well; almost all spots filled
  - b. Strategic planning follow up on item 'more robust volunteering'
    - i. Short workshop to brainstorm strategies – current and over the next 2 years
  - c. Leadership – upcoming events include car wash April 23, bake sale April 29, games/movie night May 6, bottle drive in May
  - d. Possible parent education night in October 2016 / February 2017 when Montessori educators from Cincinnati will come to Selkirk
5. Community building – Jennifer Wong
  - a. Discussion about re-purposing fun fair to a last day of school event which could include more activities than currently (add in fun fair activities, eg cake/cupcake walk, craft fair, games, food fair); Erin to discuss with teachers for any concerns
6. Fundraising – Natasha
  - a. Purdy's fundraiser in progress
  - b. New opportunity to host foreign students in Selkirk family homes, with option to donate homestay fee to Selkirk; will get more information
7. Sports – Cara Jay
  - a. Swim meeting coming; volleyball teams are up and running
8. New business
  - a. News from Danica (by email) that the Rock Concert returns on March 10 – details in newsletter
  - b. Discussion on more in-depth discussion about SPG fundraising and role – this topic to be discussed at next meeting to form a new committee to look at how to diversify fundraising, and what tools to use (eg survey)
9. Next meeting Tuesday April 12 at 6:30pm