



OCHRE PARK SCHOOL

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Ochre Park School Council Minutes Nov 28, 2022 @ 3:30

Attendance: Lacey, Amanda, Karli, Mrs. Geleta, Trustee Pequin, Laurie, Mr. Anhorn, Amber, Cherise

1. Meeting Called to order 3:30 pm
2. Approval Of October meeting minutes: Amanda motioned to approve prior meeting minutes from October. Lacey Seconded. **CARRIED.**
3. Old Business
 - Ornaments for Festival of Trees– Amanda motioned to sponsor festival of tree ornaments for up to \$80. Laurie seconded. **CARRIED.**
 - Christmas store update– Amanda advised that store is all on display but need more donations for men and older children. Amanda also made a motion to spend up to \$1000 on additional gifts for the Christmas Store which will be made back by the shoppers. Amber seconded. **CARRIED.**
 - Festival of tree updates– Home Hardware price matched and as per email Amanda motioned to spend up to \$300 for a new tree. Laurie seconded. **CARRIED.** Amber and Cherise volunteered to setup and decorate tree at Pembina, Friday after school.
 - Hot lunch Program—Laurie reported it is going well, help is always needed.



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4. New Business

Review 2022-2023 School Wishlist– Mr. Anhorn advised of wishlist: new chrome-books and cart for k-1 to share, PTI suppers, field trips, busing, new walkie talkies, student of the month t-shirts.

Chrome book and loft boards discussion tabled to next meeting after costs and amounts researched. Amanda motioned to spend up to \$375 to cover teacher supper at PTI. Amber seconded. **CARRIED**. Amanda motioned to sponsor an flat amount of \$15/student for field trip expenses. Laurie seconded. **CARRIED**.

Amanda motioned to pass busing expense requests as they come. Lacey seconded. **CARRIED**. Amanda motioned to spend up to \$700 for new staff walkie talkies. Cherise seconded. **CARRIED**. Amanda motioned to sponsor student of the month tshirts once they are billed. Laurie seconded. **CARRIED**.

Christmas Concert (execution parameters)- Cherise will ask Fire Dept. if they would be willing to direct traffic and parking for the Christmas Concert.

10 days of giving– Mrs. Geleta reported 3W is proceeding with this starting Dec 6
Christmas pizza party– as hot lunch is already ordered that day, the idea of treating students to hot chocolate and donuts was suggested by Laurie. Email motion to be made later.

Cards for the lodge? No cards this year but will have a mini in person concert.

Amanda made a motion to cover busing to the lodge during the mini concert for up to \$500. Laurie seconded. **CARRIED**.

Draft Calendar– Trustee Pequin advised to provide her with any feedback.

Smart Photography- feedback needed . Well received, good, awesome. Would like to look at renewing contract for next year. Laurie will advise Smart Photography of the same and get the ball rolling.

Reports

Society- casino funds– Lacey reported

Trustee– Trustee Pequin presented her report and advised lagoon issue is being repealed

Teacher - Mrs. Geleta advised of the recent student learning activities

Counsellor– Mrs. Geleta presented her counselling and wellness approach and mentioned working with HYPE this year well

Principal - Mr. Anhorn presented his report and budget

Class Reps– Amanda reported for 4S, 2B and 2T. Karli reported for 1G

NEXT MEETING: December meeting Cancelled, next meeting January 23, 2023

Adjourned: 4:42 pm