

## **Prueter Public School Parent Council Minutes Meeting November 18th 2013**

Correction from last meeting:

Mrs. Campbell is allowed to count Parent Council money but she is not to be the only one doing so.

Dance -A- Thon:

Booked for March 28th 2014

Kick off assembly will be on March 3rd 2014

Asking the kids to come dressed in their brightest neon colours

The students will have three weeks to collect donations

Grade 6 students will have half of their earnings go towards the Grade 6 camp trip

Fundraising

Update - poinsettias are in at the end of the month the 28th of November

There will not be a cookie dough fundraiser this year

Big box of Cards are to be returned to the school for December 2nd

Sending out a parent council newsletter to help inform parents about the fundraising goals

Re thinking some fundraising ideas

Treasurer Report

Closing balance \$6242.22

Teachers Report

Christmas musical 2pm start time

Teachers are asking for the nutrition for learning snack bins to be cleaned out of spoiled items

Principal's Report

Safe school conference

Teachers and students went

Discussion of the policy of equality and inclusion

Making sure everyone's human rights are being looked after

No discrimination

Discussions of race, religion, sexual orientation

Students had an information session to give them a better idea of the things to look out for on the school ground regarding behaviour to others

The student group came up with ideas to better the play ground rules to better relationships

Be respectful to others

Helping with playground safety

These conferences happen every 2 years

Change of staff

Mrs. Beattie offered a full time contract

new LTO to take over Monday

We Day

13 students and teachers attending

The students return very inspired

Taking ideas to help others. Pennies for Change and the bake sale raised \$1100 for clean drinking water

Prueter public school will be honoured for their efforts

Rink volunteer

Many have volunteered

Public health presentation  
Growing bodies  
Information night for parents  
Ask parents if this would be something they would like to come out for

Microphones  
Getting a couple to try out from Sherwood  
Two different types  
No charge for this trial  
Cost will be \$971.00 for two microphones

Site visits School network  
Focus will be on math  
Visiting other classrooms to see what works for them and to see how it may be possible to implement in our school

Math Parent Event  
No date yet  
Will be in the new year  
Possibly in the school day  
Parents would visit classrooms

Upcoming Events  
No December meeting

Chair's Report

Tables for Mr. Linseman  
Just waiting for a sale

Book donation for summer reading

Looking into a Reading reward program

Library program  
\$50 kit  
Take a book, leave a book