



Alwin Holland Parent Advisory Council Meeting
Wednesday, October 13, 2010.
Alwin Holland Elementary School

A meeting of the Alwin Holland parent Advisory Council was held in the library at Alwin Holland Elementary School on Wednesday, October 13th, 2010.

The meeting was called to order At 7:05pm.

Executive in Attendance: Ginger Alexander, Sharla Pearce and Cheryl Ross

Staff in Attendance: Pat Lang and Dave Burridge

PAC Members in Attendance: Mila Baker, Kelly MacLennan, Kerri Hyndman

Principal's Report:

- The Terry Fox fundraiser raised \$1,143.30. As a result, of such great efforts by the students Mr. Burridge dressed up as Mrs. Burridge for one day.
- Cross country running is over for the season with Alwin Holland taking fourth place overall.
- Soccer season has wrapped up. The grade six team, took first place in their division. The grade 4/5 team came in second place.
- Jay Morrison was in to visit the students.
- Next pizza day, primary students will be asked to pre-order.
- Volleyball season is starting up with approximately forty-five students wanting to play. Mr. Platzer and Mr. Burridge will be coaching the teams.
- The Halloween parade is on October 29th at 1pm. Staff is asking students to apply makeup and hairspray at home.
- Larry Espe will be visiting the school on October 29th to discuss the shift from IEP's to Adaptations referred to as "Learning Plans".
- Mrs. Gonzales and Mrs. Weibe will be looking after the "Voices of Nature" presentation.

Treasurer's Report:

- The gaming account has \$10, 329.41. The general account has \$7, 004. The Concession sales from the soccer tournament were \$310. 15.

New Business:

- Co-chair Carrie Jackson, is moving and is therefore stepping down. Ginger has agreed to take on the role solo. Carrie's signing authority will be given to Cheryl Ross.
- The PAC decided to join the BCC PAC at a cost of \$75. *Moved by Sharla and Seconded by Ginger.*
- Cheryl is to talk to Sherri Blanchette about getting "Extra Eyes" started.
- With the threat of cold weather upon us we reviewed the inside days policy. With the wind chill it has to be -20 degrees Celsius to stay inside. The school is purchasing a weather station to be installed near the office so everyone knows the temperature. The PAC will be looking for some inside activities for the students.
- Mr. Burrige will talk to Greg, about the possibility of using the brown wall in the field as a climbing wall.
- Kerri is to confirm with Mrs. Callison about looking after the cheesecake fundraiser. Future fundraisers will be the hanging flower baskets and possibly Purdy's chocolates for Easter.
- A family night in January was discussed. Spaghetti supper and a dance to follow were suggested.

The meeting was adjourned. *Moved by Kelly and seconded by Mila.*