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School Advisory Council Meeting Minutes March 19, 2009

- A. Call to order 8:00 am.
- B. In Attendance: Mindy Menard, Piper Prach, Paulette Gleason, Stephanie Zvonek, Donna Mitchell, Kimberley Hubbs
- C. Approved Minutes from Feb. 5, 2009
- D. CSAP Update: Thanks to Mindy for all her hard work in organizing the snacks and getting them delivered. Stephanie reported that middle went well also, they needed a little more parent participation, as she did have to buy some snacks. Donna reported that all went well with testing with in the school this year.
- E. At this time fundraising came was brought up and we began our discussion on direct fundraising. Donna is willing to let parents charge their donation and will work with them on different payment plans. We also talked about how having direct fundraising will not curtail any of the social events the school has and hope this will increase participation by parents as the fundraising aspect will be removed.
- F. Donna's Update: New budget information has been released and we may now possibly feel the cut backs sooner then we thought before if the state lowers the PPOR that it gives the district for next year. The state is already finding ways to take money back it has given the schools. The school will be looking for ways to continue to operate smartly as to prepare for these cut backs.
- G. PVA update: We readdressed the volunteer coordinator with in the make up of the PVA. Now that position will be outside the PVA structure as it is a staff position. Sports will also be changed to outside the PVA structure as they are run by the staff. The last PVA meeting of the year will be held on April 9th.
- H. Paulette Update: Paulette gave us a handout of the minutes from the Feb. 10th DAC forum. The budget was a top item at the meeting. See those notes posted on website for more information.
- I. Survey project: we set time line for the survey this year. We will write it at our meeting on April 2 and will have in computer form to view for the PVA meeting on April 9. The actual dates for parents to complete the survey will be April 16-27. We will use the PVA press, bill board and car pool posters to get the word out to parents.
- J. We have one position to fill this year and will be holding our election on May 5, one day all day. We will post this after break to begin collecting letters of intent to run.
- K. Community time: no one present.
- L. Meeting Adjourn 9:25 am