

Moose Pass School
Site-Based Management Council
Meeting Minutes
October 11, 2017

Meeting called to order at 3:38 p.m.

ATTENDEES: Jason Aigeldinger, Laura Aigeldinger, LaQuoia Malone, Jamie Malone, Laura Johnson, Eva Sanchez, Melanie Schilling, Sandra Barron, Heather Lindquist.

MINUTES of LAST MEETING: Read and approved.

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT: Mr. Hayman was absent from the meeting as he had traveled to the school the day before for his weekly visit.

TEACHER'S REPORT: It is almost the end of the quarter. District Writing Assessment was given to the younger students today. The students are excited about the science they are doing and excited about Halloween. We are lucky to have Laura Johnson doing art with the kids every Friday. Conferences are on October 26th. They will be student-led conferences so the students can show parents what they have been doing and what they have learned. There can also be time for serious talk with just the parents afterward if that is desired...The Halloween Carnival decorating will be on that Friday, October 27th...Mind-A-Mazes is a science/engineering project sponsored by the Quest program. The 4-6th graders have been working on this as a team to create a catapult for the competition this coming Saturday in Soldotna...Lego Robotics continues for 1st through 6th grades and is run by Wendy Bryden with assistance from Eva and Laura J...Girl Scouts is every other week sponsored by Melanie Schilling. She has 8 girls participating: 2 Juniors and 6 Brownies. Melanie added that the Juniors have really stepped up to be leaders and teachers of the younger ones and assistants to Melanie...Ms. Barron said that the kids here are great and like a family. There is a very special feel in our school...Soccer is ongoing; cleats and shin guards were passed out to each child, and they have been doing drills and scrimmages. Unfortunately, it doesn't look like we will be able to get together with Hope and Cooper Landing Schools this year...Astronomy Night is on the agenda for this year, hopefully with Cooper Landing School. Science Fair will be here this year and we will invite the other small schools to join us. We will participate in Jump Rope for Heart, as well as the Healthy Futures program. We have also signed up for the statewide spelling bee which takes place in March.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. Halloween Carnival. Eva has been working on donations for prizes. She is applying for a Community Rewards Program award through Fred Meyer which could provide up to \$2500 for food. The cake walk and food booths will be the only parts of the event that will charge money. Eva needs help on Wednesday, Oct. 26th, to hang the netting of lights in the gym. She will begin after students leave at 1:45 for early release. She will be decorating on Thursday and Friday and would love help. Mostly, help is desperately needed to man the game booths at the carnival itself. Heather will run the cake walk and will have students call the community members and parents and ask them to donate cakes or other baked goods. Eva asked for people to save and bring in their 1-liter and 2-liter plastic bottles and paper towel rolls for some of the decorations and games. Melanie Schilling mentioned that we will need candy bags donated from each school family so that she can make the treat bags for every child that attends.
2. Fund-Raising. Alpine skiing will cost \$120 per child for lessons, etc. The bus costs us up to \$2000 each year. We have \$4600 left in our Student Activity Fund. Jason is looking into a Seward Community Foundation mini-grant for \$500-\$1000 and will pursue that. Other ideas discussed were creating a calendar, Christmas card sets, a winter bake sale at the community ski race, and possibly Friday night local pizza delivery once a month.

NEW BUSINESS: No new business was discussed.

PUBLIC DISCUSSION: None.

TIME & PLACE OF NEXT MEETING: Wednesday, November 8, 2017, at 5:30 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 4:47 p.m.