

Moose Pass School  
Site-Based Management Council Meeting Minutes  
October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019

Meeting called to order at 3:35 pm.

ATTENDEES: Sandra Barron, Debbie Thomas, Doug Hayman, Susanna LaRock, Jason Aigeldinger, Laura Aigeldinger, Angel Bond, Claire Bawtinhimer, Laura Johnson, Shayla Swain, Teresa Winter, Kristy Peterson, Rodger Painter, and Autumn Kelly-Roberts

PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Teachers strike has passed-11<sup>th</sup> hour save.

Potential New Teacher or Teacher's Aide-Mr. Hayman requested 7 hours additional for an aide, unfortunately it was only approved for 3 1/2 hours for Special Ed Aide. Still looking at applicants, hopefully we will have an aide in the next couple weeks. In the meantime Laura Johnson will temporarily fill that position.

MPS has a strong enrollment and looks to continue that direction. Due to the small numbers participating in the lunch program it could be withdrawn for 2020/2021. Diane Buchanan is in charge of the lunch program for the district.

TEACHER'S REPORT:

- 4-H Victory Garden Project will start this fall and will be working with CL School and Hope School. Cristy Peterson who is here today to give us more information.
- Ms. Baron and Mrs. Thomas both very happy that the strike did not occur and appreciated all the support from the parents.
- November 1<sup>st</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> will be parent teacher conferences.

OLD BUSINESS:

- MP Chamber has offered to buy the boots, poles and skis using a grant from the borough. The total for all equipment is approximately \$1200.
- Halloween Carnival – Friday Oct. 25<sup>th</sup>, 5-7pm. Laura J., Shayla and Claire will head up the committee. We will have hot dogs, chili and pulled pork for sale. Jason and Laura A. will be in charge of manning the kitchen. We will also have the cake walk, which we will charge a \$1 per ticket. Looking for cake donations.

#### NEW BUSINESS:

Cooper Landing School will be having its annual Holiday Market on November 23<sup>rd</sup> and Laura Johnson has suggested that we have a resale toy shop. She is currently looking for donations of toys.

#### PUBLIC DISCUSSION:

- Christy Peterson will help start a 4-H program here at Moose Pass School and would like to start a hydroponics program at the school. There is a large grant that was received from NASA to establish best practices of food being grown on the moon. Students will have the opportunity to go work on the space farm in Anchorage. They will be using some of these best practices here at Moose Pass in the hydroponics program.
- Mr. Painter who graciously helped with the planting of the potatoes last year has offered to help again. He is also suggesting a program to have the children start their own plant starters and potentially sell them. Sportsman's Lodge has offered to buy the seeds. He is also working on a grant with Rasmuson for a 3-D printer. He would like to involve the school in a program for the children.
- Fundraising Ideas-Still looking for additional ideas.

#### TIME AND PLACE OF NEXT MEETING:

Wednesday, November 6th, 2019 at Moose Pass School; 3:30 pm