Cedarview School council meeting March 22, 2022

In Attendance: Shelley Neill, Carlie Gervais, Cheryl Strautman, Gabe Rother, Jennifer Roberts, Harprit Boiteux, Sarah Wise, Mark Diamond, Carol Laporte, Shannon West,

Regrets: Sarah Steeves, Elvan Kuzucuoglu, Sarah Misseri, Delinda Hayton, Elissa Cohen, Christa Skil, John Yakimchuk, Diana MacFarlane, Tracy Radbourne

Agenda Item	Discussion/Decision	Action Taken/Person responsible
Welcome and introduction	The meeting was called to order at 7:02 pm.	Carlie Gervais
Approval of Agenda	<ul> <li>Motion to approve previous minutes made by Jennifer Roberts.</li> <li>Motion to approve agenda made by Mark Diamond.</li> </ul>	Carlie Gervais
Principal's Report	<ul> <li>Budget spending - is at 55% of spending at 66% time through the year. Looking ahead to try to see what to spend on, and what can spend on next year. In good position financially.</li> <li>With restrictions lifted, they are finding most kids are continuing to wear their masks, not seeing banter between kids about mask choices. School is fully supportive of either choice. Approx. 95% continued mask wearing. Also seeing this for outside activities.</li> <li>Almost all teachers are wearing masks.</li> <li>Hearing from other schools, they are also seeing similar situations for mask wearing.</li> <li>School is trying to navigate changes to screening, isolation requirements. Also trying to figure out what are they allowed to do, full go ahead with lunch programs - maybe pizza after Easter. Will also look into Pita Pit.</li> <li>Questions being asked about Grad trips - not clear direction yet on field trips/grad trips. Day trips may be possible. If the school is allowed they will try to do a trip but will depend on guidance from school board.</li> <li>Intramurals are going great, loving Dodgeball. Pizza Party prize. After that will allow kids to create their own intramural teams. Then will proceed with more intramural sports. Don't think that board is moving towards inter-school sports.</li> <li>Have put a survey out to parents of feeder schools coming into Cedarview about the music program - heavy on keyboards, and then also a large inventory of instruments. Still trying to determine what direction the music program will take.</li> <li>Science Fair with Mr. Rickets, Mme. Pavic had a really good debate - great stuff still going on in classes - see previous weekly updates home for that info.</li> </ul>	Shelley Neill
Teacher's Report	Unable to attend tonight - no update.	Jody Fillion

Treasurer's Report	<ul> <li>Current balance is \$6625.67.</li> <li>Deposit came from Purdy's.</li> <li>Deposit from Boston Pizza coming - \$250.</li> <li>Merry Dairy fundraiser is starting now.</li> </ul>	Carole Laporte
Other Business	<ul> <li>Grad Committee Update - June 28, 2022</li> <li>What is the plan for the church? School would like to go ahead with the ceremony at the church.</li> <li>Would like students to have their lunch before they come out.</li> <li>Have secured Full of Beans - they do blow up activities - all safe - large inflatables and table top games, large property.</li> <li>Encouraging kids to use the free time to do what they want.</li> <li>Committee going to put together Photo Booths for kids, fancy DIY photo booths.</li> <li>Secured Homespun Ice Cream - food truck - going to pre-make ice cream sandwiches and cups.</li> <li>Inquiry out to Poppa Jacks, ? cotton candy, drinks,</li> <li>Balloons for decorations, music could be played outside potentially -? sound system for outside or speakers.</li> <li>Trying to get a few more volunteers to help that day - Full of Beans will provide the staff for their activities,</li> <li>School could consider a school dance as a backup plan, could move food and decorations inside.</li> <li>Gift cards for DQ secured for all grads.</li> <li>Funds are fine.</li> <li>Food options - combination of hot food and/or snacks? Shelley pretty confident that kids will be happy with anything that is brought in.</li> </ul>	Carlie Gervais
Next meeting	<ul> <li>Next meeting - April 20th, 2022 - Shelley TBD if in person - if in person then at 630pm in library (can also set up a virtual link), otherwise at 7pm online.</li> </ul>	
Adjournment	Meeting adjourned at 735pm.	