SCC Agenda September 13, 2017

1. Welcome and introductions—Those in attendance were:

Jennifer Asay, teacher
Janene Day, parent
Katie Smith, parent
Jen Morris, parent
Abbie Griffiths, teacher
Angie Stallings, parent
Michelle Johnson, parent
Excused:
Marianne Barrowes, parent
Adrian Stephenson, parent
Robin Perry, parent

- 2. When is best to meet.- After much discussion we decided on the 4th Monday of each month. Our next meeting will be at 4:00pm on October 23.
- 3. SCC Training meetings—Christy handed out a list of the times. Hopeful everyone can attend one of the meetings since there are several.
- 4. Chair/Co-chair—Robyn Perry was nominated as Chair; Abbie moved we approve that and Jen Morris seconded it. Abbie Griffiths was nominated as co-chair. Christy moved we accept that and Katie seconded it. Everyone voted on both and agreed.
- 5. Lunch Issue—Christy brought up some issues with having lunch after recess. Teachers gave their input as well. Here are several reasons to move it to recess after lunch:
 - Health issues- older kids are taking back food to their classrooms and keeping it in their desks. Some classes are having a problem with ants.
 - Behavior- lunch room behavior is not good because the kids are sitting there with nothing to do after finishing their food. In the past there have been aides in the lunch room but those aides cannot be there this year.

- The cafeteria staff would like it to change. Some even wear ear plugs because it is so noisy in the cafeteria
- The older kids are so hungry that they often line up 10 minutes before they can even go in to eat. So, they are missing out on some of their recess time.
- The teachers that have done it both ways say they prefer it when lunch is first.
- A safety concern was brought up to the school's safety committee. At the end of lunch, the teachers come to the lunch room, hold up their hand and that signals to the students that they are to come line up. Many run to throw away their lunch and then run to get into line. We allow the students to throw away their things 5 minutes before teachers come but if they are not done they wait till the last minute. Many start goofing around after they finish eating even though the lunch workers remind them to sit down.

Christy has discussed this with the PTA and now the SCC and will send an email to parents once a decision about when the change back to recess after lunch will occur. The SCC was very supportive of this. They said it is important that Christy let parents know the issues and then they were sure they would understand.

- 6. Bond—Christy passed out the flier from the district and briefly discussed the bond and where the new elementary school would be.
- 7. Cell Tower- \$3,000—Christy explained that we are very limited as to where she can get money from to put in principal's discretionary budget. That is the budget that she uses to pay for incentives for teachers. She started this year \$1200 in the whole. She has transferred some money from the general fund with permission for the district to get us back in the black. She is asking to transfer \$500 into that fund from our cell tower money for this year. There was some discussion that maybe we should transfer more. She said we need to wait and not transfer more until we see that we need it. We might need that money for something else. Katie motioned that we approve the transfer and Janene seconded that. Everyone voted and agreed.

- 8. Misc. Jennifer Asay asked if we could get the cell tower back. Christy said she would check into that.
- 9. Adjourn Jennifer Asay moved that we would adjourn, Jen Morris seconded and everyone voted yes.