

Cobequid District School

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SAC Meeting Minutes February 17th, 2021 6:30-7:00 pm

In Attendance: Nicki Eikelenboom, Denise Hilchie, Michelle Singer, Joslyn Paige, Chance

McLellan, Kristyn Thoms, Jill Sutton, Krista Laffin

Welcome & Call to Order: 6:30 p.m. Review/Approval of Agenda: Approved Review/Approval of Minutes: Approved

Business Arising From Minutes:

None

Principal's Report:

- SAC funds left over from last year, didn't get spent and in order to get additional funds for the 2021 year, the current money needs to be spent.
 - Account currently has \$3176.76 to be spent
 - Nicki E received a quote on 30 pairs of snow shoes, at a reduced school rate of \$120/pair, the estimated cost was \$4140
 - If approved by members, the remaining deficit money will come from other school funds, until the next allotment is received.
 - Michelle S. asked if Mr.McKenzie is on board, and if the snow shoes will receive use during gym classes. She is overall, wondering how the snow shoes will fit into the curriculum
 - Although Mr McKenzie is not present, Nicki E shared that he loves outdoor gym classes, and she is confident he will get some great use out of them.
 - Nicki E was also told the snow shoes are easy to get on, and simple for children to use.
 - Denise agrees that they might be difficult to use efficiently, and also brings up a great point that they are only usable for one season. It is a lot of money to invest, for the small limited time of year they can be used.
 - Denise also brings up a great point about storage space for the new purchase.
 - Currently, the plan is to use the pre-primary shed, as well as looking at purchasing a
 new shed for next year. There is also potential storage in the gym storage space that will
 be cleaned out over the next few months.
 - Michelle S asked if we could ensure there are a few pairs available in adult sizes, so they are able to join in with the class.
 - Nicki E confirmed that she will make sure there are a few larger sets included in the order. It was agreed that 3 adult sets would be enough.

o It was voted on whether to use the SAC funds towards the purchase of snowshoes. It was unanimously agreed that we would proceed. Motion was approved.

Next Meeting Date: Wednesday, March 31st

Adjournment: 6:59 p.m.