DeWitt Carter Public School

Parent Advisory Council Meeting Minutes

May 2024

Our fundraising directly benefits our students.
Thank you for your support!

Date: Tuesday, May 28, 2024   **Location:** DeWitt Carter Staff Rm
Time: 6:00 pm   **Balance**: $6,098.31

In Attendance:

Board Members		Parents in Attendance
Dave H	*Principal*	Miklos B
Jennifer L	*Teacher Rep*	Chris L
Melissa L	*Chair*	Kerri H
Victoria P	*Co-Chair*	
Jenn M	*Communications Manager*	
Hope B*	*Treasurer*	
Mel R	*Secretary*	

*Absent

1. Welcome – Chair Melissa L

2. Administration Report – Principal David Howell

- Jump Rope for Heart fundraising winners acted as "Principals for the Day" and will enjoy "Pizza with the Principal."
- 10 students qualified for the final track and field meet of the season on June 12.
- Grade 7/8 trip to Balls Falls was an overall positive and provided great value.
- Staffing: There will be two postings for next year's Grade 7/8 classes.
- **Construction:**
  - Paved pathway from the back fence to the school has been completed.
  - Baseball diamond has been refreshed via donation of material and labour from Brilliant Finishes Shoreline Production.
- Grad Ceremony will be held on June 26.

3. Finance - Balance: $6, 098.31

- Fun Fair Ticket Pre-Sales via School Cash Online are at $1002.90
  - About 40 families took advantage of the pr-sale discounts.

4. Old Business

- **June 14**: Freezie Day

5. New Business

- **Fun Fair:**
  - Event Day is Wednesday June 5th
    - Volunteers can arrive at 9am, event begins at 4pm.
  - Note re: Grade 7/8 Game Prizes: Teacher/Volunteers will give out prizes to winners.
- **Talent Show:**
  - June 24 @ 9:30 AM: Popcorn will be provided to kids for talent show.
  - Motion: To allocate $100 to purchase prepared popcorn for talent show.
    - Motion: Chris L
    - Second: Miklos B
      - Carried

6. Discussion Items

- **Track and Field Participation Ribbons:**
  - **Q**: Can Participation ribbons be made available for kids who take part in Track and Field events?
  - **A**: School is considering distributing ribbons for those who join the club.