Springvalley Middle School Parents Advisory Council Minutes February 17, 2014.

- Call to order 6:06
- Welcome and introductions

Heather Scholes

Kim Lindahl

Darcy Eby

Sherry Fisher

Brenda Crowley

Sherrie Farquhar

Troy White

- Adoption of Agenda: Motion to adopt by Sherrie Fisher. Seconded by Sherry Farquhar
- Adoption of Minutes from January: motion to adopt by Brenda Crowley, seconded by Kim Lindhal
- Officer's Reports
 - a) President's Report: Nothing new to report.
 - b) Treasurer's Report: Please see financial summary. Cheques written for teacher requests.
 - c) COPAC Report: Boysmarts presentation Thursday February 20. Tickets available at Kelowna Community Theater at the door (7 pm) Still looking for COPAC president.
 - SD23 looking for input on budget and calendar for the upcoming school year. More information on how to take part can be found on the SMS Website.
 - d) School Planning Council update: Reviewed achievement data. Focus over the last 3 years of "what are we asking them to do?" with 80% of material being taught now project and collaboration based. Have reduced the number of incompletes from 112 three years ago to 12 now

• Administration Report

- Aboriginal enhancement agreement signed with 4 SMS students going as representatives.
- Harmony Day February 5 (no classes blocked that day to solely focus on presentation). Started in gym with presentations and then grouped into breakout sessions. Big day at the school with representatives from the media and school trustees present. Great success with many students taking away the powerful message and reflecting. Thanks to the PAC for their support.
- Five student teachers are in full swing at the school
- Basketball and volleyball will be wrapping up in March (short season)
- BC Lion assembly Tuesday: on setting goals

New Business

- Grade 6 parent meeting April 14 at 5 pm. Hoping to inform new parents about the PAC and invite them to become involved in our school community
- June 11 is grade 9 grad celebration. If you are interested in being involved in the grade 9 grad committee please contact the school office and/or Mr. Hopgood/Wakefield
- Facebook page probably the best way to keep our parents informed of what's happening with SMS PAC. Brenda Crowley to tackle page set up.
- Old Business

- Sysco orders go home April 1. Deadline April 14. Pick up May 10
- CSLC \$200 donation suggested. To be voted upon when we have quorum
- Announcements
- Items for a future agenda

• Adjournment: 6:52

Next PAC Meeting March 10, 2014 6pm