Shannen Koostachin- Parent Council Meeting Minutes- April 15, 2024

- Meeting opened by Stephanie and Stacey at 6:07 pm
- Land Acknowledgement was reviewed
- Past meeting minutes were distributed, and no concerns. Stephanie and Colleen approved

Principal's Report:

- 869 Students are currently enrolled
- A New Boundary proposal was approved, which will decrease our numbers by approximately 140 students come fall
- A Transition Team has been implemented that consists of staff, parents, and students to help with the transitions occurring next fall
- We welcome our new Vice-Principal Mr. Hollingsworth. Mr. Hollingsworth comes from the Toronto School Board, and is excited to join the Kodiak family!
- Mrs. Nelson presented the new HDSWB strategic plan, and reviewed the five-year plan- "Be You, Be Excellent"
- UFli program has been having great success, and the school will continue to invest in this program
- New Technology has been added to the school- projectors are now in every classroom
- Shannen will be adding new science resources for students this coming fall
- Students and parents may have noticed new lines and markings on the black-top to help promote more play- more to come!

Teacher's Report:

- Chess, Checkers, Choirs, Band, and many more activities are happening!
- Teachers are looking forward to more upcoming learning sessions, as well as scheduling more classroom trips
- Spring Fling Dance is fast approaching
- You may have seen a stop in cookie and popcorn orders. This program has been paused for now to give everyone a bit of a break

- Welcome to Kindergarten- May 16th
- School Open House/ Raffle- May 9th

Treasurers Report:

• Information to come

Student's Report:

• Students are excited for the upcoming dance, and trips!

Other Items:

- Group discussed the upcoming Raffle Basket plan, and that boxes will be needed to store classroom collections- 35 boxes will be needed
- Ticket Sales will be 1 for \$2.00, 3 for \$5.00, and 8 for \$10.00
- Baskets to be completed by May 2nd
- Group discussed when events for the following year will be due, so planning can commence in advance to ensure the timeframe aligns, and events can be organized timely

Meeting was adjourned- Stephanie, and Stacey at 7:18pm