Home and School - Feb. 20, 2024

## 1. Successes in the school

a. Monthly Pizza Days - \$3.00-Donair Hub
b. Islanders Bullying Presentation
c. Curling with 7 s and 8 s at Crapaud Curling Club
i. Playing games.
ii. Englewood does it as well
iii. ACC is starting.
iv. Some potential for a league or exhibition schedule.
v. Causable is helping to offset transportation costs.
vi. Manager Jamie Stride is leading it, positive thoughts for our students.
d. Winter Carnival was awesome
i. Leadership team did so well
ii. Field Trips were great.
iii. The empathy and support kids shared with each other was fantastic at the ski hill.
e. Staff Appreciation
i. Lots came in and staff loved it.
f. Cereal Fundraiser
i. SCS did not win but the food bank did with over 400 boxes of cereal going.
ii. Angela has to wear ACC Jersey.
iii. Could be an annual competition.
2. Causable has helped offset costs in these areas.
a. Helped pay for kids who can't afford things.
b. Superstars
c. Transportation
d. Kindergarten Toys
i. Farming Equipment
e. Math Manipulatives
f. New Books for library
g. Winter Carnival Supplies.

## 3. Yearbooks

a. Changing Companies.
b. Sponsorship for yearbook.

## 4. Staffing

a. We are asking for 1 teacher.
b. Andrea mentioned, through Teresa, to ask for bigger numbers because you won't get what you ask for.
c. Portables have been asked for. They could be classrooms.
d. The wall hopefully will get built.
e. New classroom will not be a classroom but a space to be used.
f. 4 of 10 classrooms will be big next year...25+
g. Grade 1 teacher needs to be in the space next year.
i. Concerns voiced about the VP being out.
h. We have one teacher coming back next year possibly.
i. We have one retirement in the building.
j. Splits? Too many variables to figure out what's going on in terms of classes next year.
i. We can plan now but adjustments might be required once we get to the summer, through to September.
k. Can you email over the summer? Not sure. It's tricky to communicate all that.
l. Can you look at ages when you create class lists if you are going to split? Fair point.
5. Drive a Honda
a. Possibility of a committee being formed to run this event.
b. Update - Committee formed.
6. Reorganization of the Parent Council
a. A brief history of the PC at SCS was presented. How what we experience here became a committee of the whole?
b. What is next for the group?
i. Maybe a liaison for the rest of this year?
ii. Maybe next year get a grant and run a Home and School parent/student activity.
7. Next Meeting
a. April 9, 2024
b. We'll create and share an agenda to post on FB.
c. Angela can share on email

