

Site Council/Booster Club Agenda
February 17, 2009
4:15 PM

Absent: Kim Michie, Tom Turk

Site Council

1. Approval of Minutes-December (There was no meeting in January.) The December minutes were approved.
2. Student Council Minutes – See Student Council minutes.
3. Review Agenda – The agenda was reviewed.
4. Announcements/Recognitions/Visitor
 - Maddy Moran Recognition – *Are You Smarter Than A Fifth Grader* Certificate- Maddy was presented with a certificate of achievement from the television game show for entering a question that was used by a contestant. Because her question was used, DP was awarded a \$1,000 gift certificate to Best Buy that will be spent on video cameras for the school.
5. Parent Leader Superintendent Report
 - January:
 - Mr. Currie is retiring this June.
 - The district calendar depends on MN legislature electing to start before Labor Day.
 - The School Board voted down an earlier start time for high schoolers.
 - February:
 - Due to enrollment numbers for next year, there will be staff cuts.
 - Next year teacher benefits will be paid by the school for positions not allocated by the district. This is an additional 29% of a teacher's salary.
 - The Lake Conference is reorganizing for the 2010 school year.
 - The district office is scheduled to move March 9th.
6. Principal's Report
 - Scholarship donation form – Kathy DeDock, Margaret Miller and Deanna Boyer will be on the Scholarship Selection Committee along with Lynn and Nancy Cooley.
 - Perception of limiting language choices- In an attempt to keep Spanish and Chinese at equitable sizes (currently 40% enrollment in Chinese and 60% in Spanish), a draft form for Language options for Kindergarten Round-up was shared with Site Council.

- Alex Neppel Spaghetti Dinner- A benefit dinner will be held by the AV Fire Department on March 22nd at the AV American Legion for a DP first grader. Proceeds will help the family with Alex's medical bills. You can buy tickets through the Fire Department at \$7 each.

Booster Club

1. Treasurer's Report- See monthly report.
2. Action Items/Request for Funds – Nicolai's request for bussing and reception for Sr. Pen Pals was approved for \$228.
3. Tabled Items – More discussion was held on a Booster sponsored event for parents/families. Kim Mueske will check with her aunt for costs. Either April or early May is the targeted timeframe.
4. Meeting Adjournment – The meeting was adjourned at 5:45 PM.