

Broadneck High School
PTSO minutes
December 7, 2010

In Attendance: David Smith, Rob Baicar, Alice Willison, Cori Dykman, Genevieve Cartwright, Christie Folderauer

President's Report - Rob

- Possible kindness fund to help school families in need. Instead we decided to donate money individually to a specific family.

Treasurer's Report – Alice

- Nothing has happened in the last month.
- Receipts from Christie done
- Nothing went out with report cards and we have no more parent membership.
- Check for \$900. from driving school has been given

Membership: Stacie - not present

Vice President: Doug - not present

Administrator's Report: Dr Smith

- Ribbon cutting ceremony for new addition December 21st 11:00 a.m. The media and politicians will probably be there. Small area but PTSO is invited to be there. Rooms will be occupied after the holiday. 7 classrooms will be filled with math classes; English will probably get the 8th room.
- Connect Ed. Dec. 15th about AP Night, 6:30 in cafeteria where one can visit classrooms with teachers and students.
- School ski trips done by outside company taking kids to Quebec by college students, this is not sanctioned by the school.
- 1st Quarter honor roll is the highest it has ever been and enrollment has remained the same. Usually first Q. honor roll is about the same. This year has a high number possibly due to Parent Connect and/or giving kids an opportunity to make up work. There is normally a drop off in second marking period.
- The County is trying to put in a sport for students in functional life program at Broadneck. In the spring the school will have a competition in Bocce. Because those kids cannot participate in the regular sports program, the County is constructing something to go on the turf field. Not only for kids in that program.
- Students are looking to have another dance in the winter and they might do it.

Teacher's report: Genevieve Cartwright

- Work to Rule - each school is different in how they are handling it. Some teachers here meet in the parking lot and then all walk in together at 7:00. They brought in an arbitrator. The board is not starting negotiations for 2011-12. They are looking to do part-time health care for part-time people. The Board of Ed. has the money and that is why the teachers are upset. Asking for a

partial step increase and health care costs which have gone up. Furlough days instead of teachers losing their jobs. Many things have been cut throughout the whole County.

- December 13 Jazz concert at school
- Dec. 17th interims go out
- Last day is Dec. 22nd a Wednesday.

Hospitality - Christy

Honor roll breakfast has so many kids that if this continues there won't be enough money. Volunteers for hospitality are needed.

Fundraising: Bobbi: - not present

Meeting adjourned 8:35
Next Meeting is January 4th @ 7:00