

INDIAN PRAIRIE PARENTS' COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA

February 15, 2018 9:30 am – 11:30 am

IPPC BUSINESS (9:30-9:35am)

- 1) Call to Order (*Kellie Herzberg, IPPC President*)

IPPC BUSINESS (9:35-10:10)

- 1) Treasurer's Report (*Karen Duncan, IPPC Treasurer*) no activity this month
- 2) Administrative Updates (*Shelley Morgan, IPPC Secretary*) book recommendations, slide show submissions, what's going on at your school?
We need IPPC nominating committee
 - a) Approval of January minutes
- 3) Committee Reports –
 - a) Reflections (*Trudie Ranson*)- pick up entries before leaving today, thank you to all those that volunteered to help set up and take down, if students advanced to the region- those are not back yet
 - b) Unity (*Annie Cole*)
 - c) Education & Enrichment (*Karen Duncan*) summer activities fair –March 22nd set up at 4:30
2/28 deadline for organization to sign up for the fair, we still have openings
 - d) Legislation (*Marc Poulos*)
Update- read update via email

Members at Large- Theresa C, Mark L, Kathy L

COMMUNITY UPDATE (10:10-10:30)

- 1) Lisa Schwarz-Barry – Community Relations Coordinator

204-203 is collaboration to have presentations on vaping- later in March.

(Tentative date at Metea March 21)

Robotics tournament is now Feb. 24th at Still MS. Both MS and elem school tournament will be that day. Engage 204, 2/26- topic is Facilities. Over last 10 yrs. budget cuts have been from maintenance area-. 4 million square feet of building, total paved area is 101 acres (which is size of Disney's magic kingdom) Question- why are we not talking about budget at the district 204 meetings, Mark L- set up the schedule to do budget at the end because helpful to know what we are dealing with before the budget , what we are dealing with- a lot of info, meeting 5 is the budget meeting

Can send in questions to Engage 204 and emails go directly to an administrator

2) Ron Johnson, Director Support Services/Food/Transportation: Food/Fundraiser guidelines
National school lunch program- fundraising during school day, we are members of national school lunch program so we are required to follow their guidelines, one is fundraising- guidelines state that we are not allowed to sell fundraising items during school day on school property (school grounds), times during school day from midnight to ½ hour after school - you can not sell food items before breakfast served, the soda and snack machines are shut off during lunch service. We charge a set price because we are in the national school lunch program; we get 85% reimbursement back. We have to follow guidelines or we will lose our status with National School Lunch program. You cannot sell items that can be consumed at the time (this does not include- cookie dough, coffee, popcorn kernels) you cannot have competing sales

*exempt if selling during PT conferences when school not in session

*can sell to parents in school office not to students

*can sell vouchers to pick up food later at least a day later

*candy gram is ok if you sell it now and deliver it later b/c not competing

*recognition- like pizza day for good grades is fine

*if not breakfast service at that school you can sell before school

*concessions for sports are fine

*Kona Ice- park on street and its ok

*Food trucks need to be on the street

*BPA cannot sell candy bars during the day

*school lunch program can provide a cart with items for a student in job training/special needs to sell items during the day

*RULE: Cannot compete with meal program during school day on school property

Last year all schools had to have a health/wellness policy. It's a board policy.

This is through the government lunch program- NOT organic life.

District 204 does not turn a profit from lunch program-any profits are reinvested

TRANSPORTATION: *new app is being developed to allow parents to track buses to know their location Or can access on webpage. Will be on map and ETA will update every 5 seconds
If bus gets delayed in traffic- it will let you know that , anything happens will let users know

Currently bus drivers or bus dispatcher lets bus company know and they let schools know and they let parents know

Launch date is end of next school year

IPPC will be pilot parents ** more info to follow - approx. April

Palatine is comparable to our district and currently using this system

You will have a map of just your route and it will show where your stop is and then will show if on time or what ETA is.

All data is encrypted and very secure and you will log in using your home access username and password

Question- if different bus

What if bus is broken down and driver takes different bus- driver will log in to bus he/her is driving.

Multi-student household- you can select which student you want to see bus- and you will see only that student's bus

No cost to district

Dr Sullivan (10:30- 10:40) Dr Sullivan was unable to attend meeting-

Kathy Pease- Chief Academic Officer

First snow day- usually don't call before the snow starts but we knew it was coming so gave parents time to prepare

Admin is excited about transportation app

PARCC for gr 3-8 is changing again- state is looking to change format, questions will be the same but format will change, 18/19 will be the same

Engage 204- a lot of projects have been deferred over past 10 years so need to start fixing those item now

Security audits happen frequently, some formal and some informal, there is a national checklist of school security

BMO HARRIS (10:40-10:45) Volunteer of the month

Round Table Discussions (10:45-11:25) nominating committees

CONCLUDING BUSINESS, ANNOUNCEMENTS & ADJOURNMENT (11:25-11:30am)