

WOODLAND SCHOOL

School Council Meeting
Convened at 4:02 P.M

Minutes – Thursday, February 27, 2020

4:00 P.M. Meeting – Woodland School Library

SECTION I:

A. Attendance

- P Kimberley Saso, Principal
- P Noëlle Duquette, First Grade Teacher
- P Kathleen Irwin, Kindergarten Teacher
- P Beth King, Ell Teacher
- P Sharyn Antico, Parent
- P Brenna Comee, Parent
- P Laura Doyle, Parent
- P Christopher Garvey, Parent

B. Public Comment: None

C. Minutes	Motion	Second	Yes	No	Abstain
	<u>BC</u>	<u>CG</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

SECTION II: Discussion Items

- A. The District’s School Nutrition Director shared that our food service program follows Legislative and the Department of Secondary and Elementary regulations. All food items are vetted.
- B. Council member parents shared their concern about the small food portions, particularly for older elementary students. Mr. Lillibridge shared that the portions are set by the USDA by calories and grade. Also the school lunch program provides 1/3 of students’ calories per day. In addition, the Healthy Hunger Free Act provides the salt guidelines for food served.
- C. Council members questioned whether we integrate vegetables into pasta, nuggets and noodles. Mr. Lillibridge responded that we do, but more could be done.
- D. Greater participation in the school food program takes place at the younger grades. Mr. Lillibridge also invited parents to come experience a school lunch with their child.
- E. The elimination of salad as a lunch offering was made as there were only ten salads being purchased by students throughout the District.
- F. A new lunch menu for March was sent to families. The lunch items are based on the top selling items.

Meeting Adjourned: 5:06 P.M.

MOTION: BK; SECOND: LD; VOTE: For: 8 Opposed: 0