

WYNONA – JOHNSON O'MALLEY PARENT COMMITTEE

September 11, 2017 MEETING MINUTES

6:00 Meeting called to Order

1) Call to Order by Kelly Chouteau, Chairperson

- Roll was called and Meeting Agenda for September 11, 2017 was approved

2) Discussion on Needs Assessments and Requirements

- Discussion of the importance of Needs Assessment and the information provided by the Assessment
- Wynona JOM Parent Committee and parents in attendance discussed how prioritizing needs of students and families could benefit Parent Committee.
- Discussion of the fact that we won't know number of eligible students until we see which students have provided CDIB/Tribal Membership cards and can go through the Needs Assessments
- Rough estimate of 40 eligible students was given
- Dana Lott proposed helping contact parents who have not yet filled out Needs Assessment or provided CDIB/Tribal Membership cards
- Absolute date of September 25, 2017 set as deadline to turn in CDIB/Tribal Membership card and Needs Assessment so that information may be reviewed and used to benefit those eligible

3) Discussion of New Budget

- Committee and parents in attendance discussed items that should be included on possible budget for New Year.
- Due to special circumstances in Wynona, Committee and parents agreed that helping eligible student families financially would be a priority

4) Items to be in New Year Contract

- Discussion on deadline for contract and its contents
- Long term goals listed are to be school supplies, educational support on both an Elementary/High School level as well as Tech and TCC, athletic activity support and cultural events
- Short term goals listed as continuation of school supplies, cap and gowns, and book fair
- Committee and parents acknowledged and agreed that Cultural items are important as well

5) Native American Day

- Committee realizes importance of having a Cultural Awareness/Native American Day
- Date of Friday, November 17, 2017 from noon to 3:00 p.m. set for Wynona Native American Day
- Dana Lott to check with other Tribes to see if they will donate information, materials or time to our Native American Day
- Cheri Towell to check with Otto Hamilton and Larry Sellers for donation of time
- Charlie Riddle to talk to Leon Hawzipta and Rock Pipestem for donation of time
- Tentative activities include storytellers, drummers and singers
- Hoping to have enough activities to rotate every 30 minutes
- Confirmation of date and time with Shelly Shulenberger, School Superintendent
- Discussion of possibly having school donate time and food for fry bread, corn soup and grape dumplings

6) Book Fair

- Book Fair to end September 14, 2017 Committee approved \$20.00 for each eligible student to spend with stipulation of books only, no pencils, erasers, etc.

7) Possibility of Facebook Page for Wynona –Johnson O'Malley Parent Committee

- Dana Lott proposed idea of making a Facebook page to make it easier for Committee and parents to stay in contact and stay informed
- Committee approved Dana Lott to make said Facebook page

8) Next Meeting

- October 2, 2017 @ 6:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.