

Coulee Montessori SET

February 19, 2019 / 5:30pm / Lincoln Middle School CMAP Classroom

ATTENDEES

SET Members:

Brian Merkey, Nell Saunders-Scott, Vie Matty, Elaine Petersen, Alyssa Boardman, Amanda Luedtke, Kraig McCoy, Meredith McCoy, Carol Powell, Peter Stovall, Nathan Warnberg
Absent: Jim Carlson

Principals:

Laura Huber
Absent: Melissa Murray

Teachers:

Mariah Bigelow, Laura Carlson, Nine Dodge

Brian called the meeting to order at 5:30pm.

AGENDA

Recognize Those in Attendance

Public Comment / Guests

1. REAL Girls
Regan Mueller provided an overview and explained her request for funding.
2. Strengthening the Montessori Community in La Crosse
Building a stronger connection between schools was discussed with Jill Maraist from La Crosse Montessori. Sharing calendars was suggested as a way to avoid overlapping events.

Board Education Updates

A downtown building was purchased by the school district, no further details are available at this time.

Student Work

Ms. Bigelow:

Visit to the Eagle Center in Wabasha

- 5th grade – ancient civilizations
- 4th grade – biomes unit

Laura:

- Terrorism (ISIS, 911)

Nine:

- Occupations, meteorology, maps

Secretary's Report

Motion to approve minutes from January tabled until March.

Principal's Report

Ms. Huber:

- Tardiness has improved
- Enrollment numbers were shared and discussed

Treasurer's Report

Vie provided a summary and noted an operating balance of \$5,183.93.

Motion to approve treasurer's reports for January 2019.

Nell Saunders-Scott / Amanda Luedtke

Motion Carried

Motion to approve \$300 for REAL Girls program.

Motion to approve \$26 for two Student Leadership team t-shirts.

Nell Saunders-Scott / Amanda Luedtke

Motion Carried

Funding request for playground supplies was tabled until item needs are determined.

Committee Reports

Finance:

- Raffle license paperwork is complete and ready to be filed in the Fall

Fundraising:

- Soup Supper details were discussed

Outreach:

- Coulee Montessori specific newsletter
- CMAP info session
- Highlights from class projects

Education:

- April 14 screening of "Inside Montessori" at English Lutheran Church

District-Wide Parents:

None

Continuing Business

Soup Supper Updates

New Business

Montessori Week Activities were discussed.

CMAP recruitment:

Nine discussed ideas and strategies for possible recruitment.

CMAP visit to Children's House E1, E2 on March 4.

Preschool recruitment

Announcements

None

Adjourn:
Time 7:33pm

Brian Merkey /Elaine Petersen
Motion Carried