Perryville LSAC Meeting Minutes March 3rd, 2022

- **I. TIME CALLED TO ORDER:** 5:04 p.m.
- II. ROLL CALL: Dana Phillips, Audrey O'Domin, Donna Shangin, Kennisha Shangin
- **III. VISITORS:** Chrystyna Tsuvanyk, Taryn Williams, Bertha Skonberg, Megan Maloney, Devin Kosbruk, Analise Kosbruk, Jadine O'Domin
- IV. APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Unanimous approval
- V. APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES: Unanimous approval

VI. OLD BUSINESS:

- A. D. Kosbruk Experiencing Out Presentation: Devin successfully presented about experiencing out in Cultural Awareness through his participation in subsistence activities.
- B. Basketball Jamboree Recap: Port Heiden was the only school that ended up coming; Perryville won every game against PTH and then they played a few games with mixed teams!
- C. Basketball Districts: Districts are next week and we have everything we need. We made over \$1,000 in profits and have a few extra shirts left to sell!
- D. Culture Week: CW is planned for April 18th to 22nd. The planning is mostly finished, now we just need to order the supplies and get everything set up!
- E. NAEP: The NAEP test for 4th graders is planned for 3/28.

VII. New Business:

- A. FY23 Calendar: We discussed the five days that we can move to anywhere in the second semester. Taryn mentioned that one option is to have spring break the first week of March, just as we did this year. Audrey says that's what she would like to do. Dana motions to approve this, Audrey seconds and the vote is all in favor.
- B. EOL Proposal: We talked about the Curriculum Department's proposal for the End of Level exams. Taryn mentioned that she's on the committee that will be helping to rewrite them and asked if anyone has any feedback on them. A few people mentioned that they are very long and that that's the main concern.
- C. Sports Co-Op Option: Athletic Director Nate Davis joined us to explain the co-op option that we'll have for sports teams next year. This option will allow smaller schools, like us, to join with other schools so that we could play Mix 6 Volleyball or 5-person Basketball. He also mentioned that this decision is due

- on April 15th; Donna recommended that we wait until the students can voice their opinions as well.
- D. Graduation: Graduation is currently planned for Saturday, April 23rd. Audrey asked if we can have Grayson's promotion ceremony at the same time and everyone said it sounded like a good idea. Taryn asked if we would also be doing an 8th grade promotion and it was agreed upon that that would be great.
- E. Testing: State testing will be the week of April 4th to 8th. 3rd to 9th grade students will be taking the AK STAR in ELA and Math and 5th, 8th, and 10th grade will be taking the Alaska Science Assessment. Teachers will be cooking breakfast and the village is providing the ingredients and snacks.
- F. SNAP Meet: The SNAP meet will be April 11th to 15th and 8th-12th grade students will be attending. Taryn will pass more information on as it becomes available.
- G. Village Clean-Up: We're planning to have the village clean-up one of the last weeks of school. It will likely depend on weather conditions and we'll decide as we get closer.
- H. School Pictures: We ordered the supplies and hopefully they will arrive before the end of the year. There was a recommendation that we do it during Culture Week, since all families should be in the village at that time.
- I. End of the Year Picnic: We'll look to have the picnic during a nice day towards the end of the school year. Bertha mentioned how the school used to also have a traditional beach day at the end of the school year–the teachers said they'll try to make that work.

VIII. Principal/Head Teacher's Report:

A. Jim was not available, but Taryn introduced Chrystyna, the new elementary class teacher, and mentioned the upcoming NAEP test for fourth graders.

IX. **Teacher and Aide Reports**:

- A. Audrey is trying to attend inservice and will hopefully make it out tomorrow. Recently, preschool students have been practicing some NYO events and working on their culture kits. Grayson will be going to kindergarten and Jackson and Taya will be joining the PK class.
- B. Elementary students have found a rhythm with their new teacher and recently started opinion writing pieces. They've also been doing different projects using the scientific method.
- C. Middle school students learned about Black history in February and will be working on women's history this coming month. They started projects on natural disasters for earth science and have been working on their personal narratives.
- D. High school students have a lot going on currently. Two students applied for upcoming CTE courses and one will be leaving next week for a program in Valdez. We've also been working through the Civil War in social studies and

physics in science. Several students have already passed their writing prompts and most are on schedule to do so soon.

X. Community Comment:

- A. Experiencing Out: Donna mentioned that she was unfamiliar with the Experiencing Out program and asked for more information. She said it would be good for us to remind parents about this, as those that have younger students might not be aware that it exists.
- B. Subsistence Calendar: Community members stressed their support of the calendar and what it means for our students. A few shared stories about what they have been able to do because of it.

XI. Future Agenda Items:

- A. SNAP Meet (4/11-4/14)
- B. Graduation
- C. Culture Week
- D. Village Clean-up
- E. School Picnic
- F. School Pictures

XII. Adjournment at 6:31 PM