# The Lake and Peninsula School District Regular Local School Advisory Committee Meeting Date 1-17-22 Time 5:30 P.M. Chignik Bay School - Chignik Bay, Alaska

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The Regular Meeting of the Chignik Bay LSAC was called to order by James at 5:35 p.m.

**ROLL CALL OF LSAC MEMBERS** 

Seat A: Ilane Ashby Absent Seat C: Dannica Anderson Present

Seat B: James Anderson Present Seat D: Open

Seat E: Angela Daugherty Present

INTRODUCTION OF VISITORS Jim Dube, Lana Anderson, Debbie Carlson, Stephanie Canning,

Chrystyna Tsuvanyk
APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOTION: Moved by Angela, seconded by Dannica to approve Agenda as presented.

**DISCUSSION:** None.

**VOTE**: Unanimously in favor.

**APPROVAL OF PREVIOUS MINUTES** 

MOTION: Moved by Angela, seconded by Dannica to approved minutes as presented.

**DISCUSSION:** None.

**VOTE**: Unanimously in favor.

**OLD BUSINESS** 

- 1. Minnie's Memorial- Dannica would like to get together for a potluck and discuss what to write on the plaque. Can talk more on the item "Community potlucks" on the agenda.
- 2. LSAC Election-Steph explains we have two open seats available. Jim clarifies some details and procedures. Lana expresses interests and Debbie said she's interested.
- 3. Student Government- Stephanie gives the schedule for future meetings and updates on what kids have planed in the near future. Hoodie flyers are to be sent out soon and movie night to start on the regular schedule again. Kids goals with funds are volleyball net and score board and new projector/ entertainment set up for movie nights. We get an update on the account funds. LSAC discussed the canceled school trip from the previous year and if it's something that is still possible.
- 4. Picture Day- Steph updates. Each site was given a budget to do our own pictures and can order backgrounds and equipment. Still trying to decide if a new camera is needed. James suggests using someone's iPhone. Dannica Requests that picture days be planned at the beginning of the school year again. We miss having photos to share during the holidays and it's nice to look back at school pictures and see how the kids have changed and grown over the school year. Jim agrees it's a valid point and explains past picture day procedures and timelines. It's been hard with Covid. Moving forward will have a better plan with this "New normal". LSAC agrees that in the future, being more prepared, we can plan earlier in the year. Picture Day will likely be this coming up spring. Will wait for equipment to plan dates and times. Can also plan to do family portraits.

### **NEW BUSINESS**

 Resignation- Jim shares that Ilane is resigning her seat on the LSAC, and Seat A is open. James makes a motion to appoint Lana for Seat A and Dannica duly seconds. Vote is unanimously in favor. James makes a motion to appoint Debbie for seat D

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- and Angela duly seconds. Vote is unanimously in favor. Congratulations to Lana and Debbie. Will get documents together for properly swearing in at next meeting.
- 2. Reassess Smart Start Plan and COVID-19 policies- Jim talks about updating, how other schools do it, and says the Lake and Peninsula school district (LPSD) wants communities to take the reins. LSAC discuss masks. Angela likes masks and says that things are going well. Talk about weather or not to mask in gym. Currently the procedure is that it's optional to mask in the gym. LSAC agree to keep mask policy as is. Dannica points out that mask policy should include afterschool events as well, literacy events, holiday programs, and student government events that are not held in the gym.
- 3. Library Grant Plans- Things are getting finalized. Steph explains the plans to expand the library into the room that is currently the student store. The store will move into one if the offices. Going to be weeding out old books and will make available to people in community if people are interested. No guaranteed timelines. End of the year and over summer is when the big changes will be happening. Dannica asks if we still have potential to not get library grant. Jim assures things are guaranteed to come regardless of student numbers. James asks about involvement in selection of library furniture and supplies. Jim describes the process and how the plans happen for choosing supplies.
- 4. Outside of School Activities- James had the thought earlier, when it was colder, to get kids out ice fishing. However, recently weather and ice have been unpredictable. Steph explains how somethings cannot be school supported events because of liability issues but can definitely plan something as a community.
- 5. Community Potlucks- There have been a lot of ups and downs in the last couple years with Covid. James suggests a potluck at the end of every month again, something the school would do pre-Covid. LSAC is on board and discussed schedule and themes. Clarified that these are LSAC hosted events and will plan accordingly. We will have the first potluck dedicated to Auntie Minnie and have traditional Chignik recipes and Auntie's favorites on Saturday the 29th of January. Can collaborate with community on how to finalize her memorial plaque.
- 6. Indian Policies and Procedures- Jim explains the program and says LPSD wants to make sure that if there are any issues, they are addressed to them. Let them know if there are any concerns especially regarding Alaska Native, Indian students and equality. LSAC talk about timeline for culture week. James asks about things to do in school that are culture related on a more regular basis. Steph informs they are transitioning to a full-time schedule after the long break and don't have a lot of extra time on their hands. She says that kids can have the opportunity to work on culturally related studies during TEC the last half hour of the day.
- 7. School Calendar- Jim informs that we need to make up sick days from when we couldn't have school do to positive Covid case in the community. Dannica asked if this is something all schools must do, and Jim says yes. He goes on to give some options for the calendar. LSAC discusses the options and ultimately asks for more time to think about it. Jim will email suggestions to go over and LSAC is to decide at next meeting. James motions to table
- 8. District Activities- Jim skips this item.
- 9. School Vehicle- Jim updates LSAC on new vehicle and says it will come on the barge in the spring. James shares info on other barges for options. Talk about the ferry schedule and how Kennecott may be taking the place of the Tustumena for the first

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couple of trips. Dannica asked about potential of losing the vehicle due to the student numbers. Jim explains to his best knowledge, the intent is to send regardless of school numbers. Steph informs that new tires came in for the current school car.

10. Valentine's Day-Steph gives an update on valentine's plans. Same as usual, will have a party in the gym during PE, bring snacks.

**HEADTEACHER/PRINCIPAL REPORT-**Jim talks about School Climate Survey and explains what it is. Kids, staff, and families can participate in survey.

**TEACHER REPORTS-** Steph will send link for the survey that Jim is talking about. She states that another survey went home today with students on teachers and performance and explains procedures for how to drop them off. Steph thanks for understanding during the closure and says she appreciates all of us who supported and cared for her. Welcome to our new tutor Chrystyna who will be with us for the rest of the year!

**STUDENT REPORT-** None.

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS AND POTENTIAL MEETING DATE- Tuesday the 8th of February.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION: Moved by Angela, seconded by Dannica to adjourn at 6:36 pm. PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 8th DAY OF FEBRUARY 2022 BY THE LOCAL SCHOOL ADVISORY COMMITTEE