

Simone Gessler opened the mtg with a prayer. In attendance: Chris Hanna, Jennifer Bishop, Ann Lynagh, Seanna Stewart, and two new people Kalpana and Kabba (welcome) and Simone Gessler.

**School Report.** Simone informed everyone that she would be leaving Weledeh after the school year to move to the District office, but will be remaining with Yellowknife Catholic Schools. We all wished her well and thanked her for her years of hard work – Simone promised to continue as a Weledeh PAC member! Simone assured us it wasn't the playground that did her in – and she is hopeful that with some matching grants, to have the money raised this spring to get the grass started!

Simone continued with the upcoming events:

Family Feast Night on Thurs April 16 from 5:30-8:30 event is free and entertainment and good food is supplied!

May 7<sup>th</sup> PBL Fair (project based learning) between 11 and 1pm – over lunch parents are invited to see these projects

May 15 PBS (positive behavior support) There is a school-wide day put aside and the school is looking for additional help – pls contact Simone.

**Bridge Building** – notice arrived at the school that, of the 3 teams that submitted bridges – two of them won prize money – Weledeh came 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> this year. There will be a PAC sponsored lunch of pizza, cake and juice for the participants. Everyone seemed very happy with how Weledeh did and feedback from the students. The prize money will be put towards the school and the participants will have a say in the contribution. Lunch will be wednesday April 15

Sound system in the gym – there was a discussion about making sure the PA system gets looked at Chris H said he would book some time to look at it. Simone mentioned Donny Reid from St Pat's is in the know about the use of the board, cables and mics.

Ann said she would contact Linda Z about the PAC finance template and any docs.

Meeting ended with a discussion on Gr 8 and French Immersion. There seems to be quite a bit of interest in the late French Immersion and it is going ahead and planning continues with gr 8 moving into St Pats.

**Next meeting May 6<sup>th</sup> 12.05pm**