

Kleefeld PAC meeting

Minutes #47

Date: December 8, 2020

Time: 1:15-2:00pm, via Zoom

Present:

President: Andrea Klassen

Secretary: Jenna Fehr

Vice-President Vanessa Rempel

Principal: Joel Bergen

Treasurer: Gloria Funk

Vice-Principal: Link Wallace

Guests: Charissa Barnard

Welcome by Andrea Klassen

Agenda:

A.) How can we appreciate the staff at Kleefeld School?

- Positive emails!
- Attending the google meets! Teachers are thrilled that the engagement of their students is higher than in spring, and kids are connecting through their meets!
- Send a positive email to the Superintendents!

B.) Christmas 2020

- No Christmas program this year.
- Check the Kleefeld School website starting Thursday for Christmas stories read by different staff members!
- More fun ideas coming to keep the students and staff connected!

C.) Survey coming!

- Watch for a survey coming from the Division in the next couple of days regarding a change from Red to Orange level in MB after Christmas and what that looks like for the Hanover School division. Depending what our numbers do during Christmas break.
- 2 week block from January 4-15, 2021
- Survey to get numbers as to who will continue remote learning versus coming back for in class learning! To start planning for the New Year,
 - o *Grades K-6 orange level*
 - o *Grades 7-12 red level*

- **Orange level re-cap**
 - o 15-16 students per class depending on room size, 2m spacing, remote learning option, students above class size limit will be combined into an overflow split class. 2 weeks at a time commitment.
- Hanover School Division is the only Division in Code Red right now. The province is working at trying to alleviate the Teachers from having to teach in the classroom as well as remote learning during code orange. More to come on this hopefully next week!

D.) Google Meets

- Grades 1-4 are required to have 1hour online live teaching and 1.5 hours independent work.
- Grades 5-8 are required to have 1.5 hours online live teaching and 1.5 hours independent work.
- Students in school are to have the same opportunities as kids at home.
- They are split into 2 groups grades 1-3 (6-7 students) and grades 4-6. (7 students)
- All students are on devices in a separate classroom to receive the same distant learning support as remote learners. Mr. Shields, Mr. Goerzen and EA's supervising and helping them at school. Lunch and recess, opportunities to go and play!
- Some feelings of overwhelm throughout all grades, amount of work and screen time discussed, times of meets.

E.) LIBRARY BOOKS

- Check the Kleefeld School website for the link to Destiny to reserve Library books by Tuesday 4pm and pick up on Friday. There is a drop off bin in the hallway for books being returned. Outgoing books will be labelled with student's name and class on the tables for pick up!

F.) PICKING UP WORK PACKAGES

- When picking up work packages please ask a staff member to help find the applicable packages.

G.) Local National Holiday each Friday declared by Kleefeld School!

- Stay tuned to hear what this weeks Christmas holiday is!!

Next Meeting:

-Tuesday, January 12, 2021